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 Government of India
 Ministry of Communications
 Department of Posts
 [Establishment Division/P.A.P. Section]

Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,
 New Delhi – 110 001.

Dated: 05.04.2023.

To

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2. All Postmasters General
3. Sr. Deputy Director General (PAF), Department of Posts
4. All General Managers (Finance)
5. All Directors/Deputy Directors of Accounts (Postal)
6. Director, RAKNPA/Directors of All PTCs

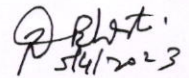
Sub: Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees- Revised Rates effective from 01.01.2023.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith copies of the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's Office Memorandum No. 1/1/2023-E.II (B) dated 03.04.2023 on the subject cited above for information and further necessary action.

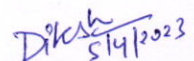
2. This issue with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,


 (R.N. Bharti)
 Director (Estt.)

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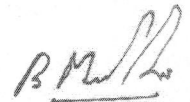
North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 3rd April, 2023.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of rates of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees effective from 01.01.2023.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's Office Memorandum No. 1/3/2022-E-II (B) dated 3rd October, 2022 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 38% to 42% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1st January, 2023.

2. The term 'Basic Pay' in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.
3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of FR 9(21).
4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.
5. These orders shall also apply to the civilian employees paid from the Defence Services Estimates and the expenditure will be chargeable to the relevant head of the Defence Services Estimates. In respect of Armed Forces personnel and Railway employees, separate orders will be issued by the Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Railways respectively.
6. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.



(B. K. Manthan)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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