

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

Sub:- Dearness Allowance to Teaching Staff, Librarians and Physical Education Personnel on UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay - Revision of rates.

READ:- (1) G.O.No. FD 7 SRP 2008, dated: 24-4-2008.
(2) G.O.No. FD 14 SRP 2008, dated: 28-1-2009.
(3) G.O.No. FD 08 SRP 2009, dated: 28-5-2009.

ORDER NO. FD 18 SRP 2009, BANGALORE, DATED 6th NOVEMBER 2009

Government are pleased to sanction increase in the rates of Dearness Allowance to Teaching Staff, Librarians and Physical Education Personnel of the Government and aided educational institutions and also Universities who are on UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay from the existing rate of **114%** to **123%** of the basic pay with effect from **1st July 2009**.

2. The increase in Dearness Allowance admissible under this order is payable in cash until further orders.

3. In the wake of the nature's fury caused in various parts of the State, the Karnataka State Government Employees' Association has requested the Government to recover the entire arrears of DA payable to State Government employees for a period of four months from July 2009 to October 2009 as contribution to the Calamity Relief Fund.

4. Accordingly, sanction is hereby accorded to recover the entire arrears of DA payable by this order to the Teaching Staff, Librarians and Physical Education Personnel of the Government and aided educational institutions and also Universities who are on UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay and to remit the same to the Head of Account "8235-00-111-0-02-Public Contribution for Natural Calamity Relief". The employees who are not willing to contribute the arrears of DA for four months to the Calamity Relief Fund may give their unwillingness in writing to the concerned Drawing Officer on or before **16-11-2009**. In case the unwillingness of the employees in writing is not received within the specified time limit, it shall be presumed that they have no objection for the recovery of the arrears of DA.

5. The recovery of the arrears of DA for the above period and its remittance to the Calamity Relief Fund shall be as per the procedure laid down in G.O.No. FD 16 SRP 2009 dated 9-10-2009.

6. The arrears of DA recovered from the Employees on UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay as contribution to the Calamity Relief as per this order and remitted to "the Public Contribution for Calamity Relief Fund" shall be given 100%

exemption from Income Tax under Section 80(G) of Income Tax Act. Accordingly, they are eligible to get 100% exemption from Income Tax on the entire amount of DA arrears contributed to the Natural Calamity Relief Fund.

7. For the purpose of this order, the term 'Basic Pay' means, the pay drawn by a Government employee in the 1996 revised UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay applicable to the post held by him.

8. Basic Pay shall not include any other emoluments.

9. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above shall be rounded off to the next rupee and fractions less than 50 paise shall be ignored.

10. The Dearness Allowance will be shown as a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay for any purpose.

**BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA**

**(SUNDARA RAJA GUPTHA)
Deputy Secretary to Government
Finance Department (Services-2)**

To

1. The Principal Accountant General (Civil & Commercial Audit), Karnataka, Bangalore.
2. The Accountant General (Revenue Receipts & Public Works & Forest Audit), Karnataka, Bangalore.
3. The Accountant General (Accounts & Entitlement), Karnataka, Bangalore
4. The Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to Government.
5. The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
6. The Principal Secretary/Secretary to Government, Education Department.
7. The Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Horticulture Department.
8. The Secretary to Government, Finance Department (Exp.)/(Budget & Resources).
9. The Deputy Secretary/Under Secretary to Government, Education Department.
10. The Director, State Huzur Treasury, Bangalore.
11. All the District Treasury Officers.
12. All the Universities in the State.
13. All Section Officers, Education Department/Agriculture & Horticulture Department.
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