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Secretary Govt. Of India,

Ministry of AR, PG & Pension, D/o Pension & Pensioners Welfare, Patel Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001 (CC: By Email: secy-arpg@nic.in)

Dear Sir,

Subject:- Revision of pension of pre-2006 pensioners – delinking of revised pension from qualifying service of 33 years – Case of PSU absorbee pensioners who had got 100% lump-sum in lieu of Pension for Stepping-up of Notional Pension

Reference: i) DOP&PW OM No. 38/37/08-P&PW (A) dated-06.04.2016 Reg: Delinking of revised pension from qualifying service of 33 years;

ii) CPAO OM No. CPAO/IT&Tech/Revision (Pre-2006)/2016-17/8 Vol-VI/58 Dated 13th June, 2016 and DP&PW ID No.38/6/16-P&PW-(A) dated-13.05.2016 - referred to by CPAO in OM dated 13-6-2016.

iii) DOP&PW OM No. 4/38/2008-P&PW (D) dated 15-9-2008, 11-7-2013, 3-4-2013 and 17-2-2016 — Regarding: Restoration of 1/3rd commuted portion of pension in respect of Government servants who had drawn lumpsum payment on absorption in Central Public Sector Undertakings/Central Autonomous Bodies - Stepping up of notional full pension w.e.f 01.01.2006 for the purpose of Dearness relief and additional pension for old pensioners.

We seek your kind intervention on a matter of serious concern to the old Pensioners, as the orders of CPAO (cited above) has caused much frustration and shock among the PSU absorbees due to unjust denial of the benefit of delinking of revised pension from qualifying service of 33 - in spite of Restoration of 1/3rd commuted portion of pension.

- 1. a) Restoration of 1/3rd commuted portion of pension was done as per judgment of Supreme Court in respect of Government servants who had drawn lump-sum payment on absorption in Central Public Sector Undertakings/Central Autonomous Bodies and Stepping up of notional full pension w.e.f 01.01.2006 was done for the purpose of Dearness relief and additional pension for old pensioners vide DOP&PW orders cited at SI. No. iii) above.
- b) Accordingly the notional full pension of absorbee pensioners was revised in accordance with the DOP&PW orders issued for revision of Pension of Pre-2006 Pensioners vide OMs dated 1-9-2008. 28-1-2013 and 30-7-2015; And DR and Additional Pension were also made admissible on such revised notional full pension (with the approval of the President).
- 2. DOP&PW have now issued the orders vide OM Dated 6-4-2016 Delinking of revised pension from qualifying service of 33 years for Pre-2006 Pensioners. But the Benefit of the same is being denied to PSU absorbees.
 - 3. CPAO, vide Para 3 of its orders dated 13-6-2016 (cited above), have directed that:

"These orders (Dated 6-4-2016) are however, not applicable to those absorbee pensioners who had got 100% lump-sum in lieu of their monthly pension on absorption in PSUs etc. during 1973-1995 and are eligible for restoration of only 1/3rd of their pension in respect of such absorbee pensioners. However, the absorbee pensioners, who are receiving full monthly pension would

continue to be covered by the OM dated-01.09.2008 and 06.04.2016 referred to above."

- 4. This is totally unjustified and against the policy decision of the Government as per judgment of the Supreme Court for Restoration of 1/3rd commuted portion of pension in respect of Government servants who had drawn lumpsum payment on absorption in Central Public Sector Undertakings/Central Autonomous Bodies Stepping up of notional full pension w.e.f 01.01.2006 for the purpose of Dearness relief and additional pension for old pensioners.
 - 5. It is, therefore, requested that orders/clarification may please be issued that:

Notional full pension of absorbees, who had got 100% lump-sum in lieu of Pension, be revised and "stepped-up" in accordance with the DOP&PW orders issued for revision of Pension of Pre-2006 Pensioners vide OMs dated 6-4-2016; and Dearness Relief & Additional Pension be and made admissible on such revised notional full pension.

With kind regards and thanking you in anticipation,

Yours truly,

(Harchandan Singh) Secretary General, RSCWS

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