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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE FIINANCE PENSION POLICY AND COORDINATION BRANCH

Dated, Chandigarh, the 13th June, 2012

To

All Heads of Departments, Commissioners of Divisions, Registrar, High Court of Punjab and Haryana, District and Sessions Judges and Deputy Commissioners in the State.

Subject: Revision of pension of pre 01-01-2006 pensioners / family pensioners / of extraordinary pension.

Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to the subject cited above and to say that Government Letter No. 3/23/09-3FPPC/885, dated 17.08.2009 as modified vide Government Letter No.3/39/09-3FPPC/201 dated 22.02.2010, interalia provides that the revised pension of pre-1.1.2006 pensioners, in no case, shall be less than the 50% of the initial pay of the revised scale of pay corresponding to the pre-revised scale of pay in which the pensioner had last worked. Subsequently, the scales of pay of certain categories of employees were re-revised by the Government, from certain specified dates, over and above the scales of pay mentioned in the Schedule of the Punjab Civil Service Rules (Revised Pay) Rules, 2009. As a consequence of such re-revision of scales of pay, a claim has been raised by some pensioners for revision of their pension with reference to the re-revised scales of pay from the specific dates of such re-revision on the analogy of para 4.2 of Government Letter No. 3/23/09-3FPPC/885, dated 17.08.2009 as modified and supplemented vide Government Letter No.3/39/09-3FPPC/201 dated 22.02.2010.

2. The matter has been considered in the light of the prevailing policy of the Government and it is reiterated that as per para 4.2 of Government Letter No3/23/09-3FPPC/885, dated 17.08.2009, as modified and supplemented vide Government Letter No.3/39/09-3FPPC/201 dated 22.02.2010, the pension of the pre-1.1.2006 pensioners is to be revised only once with reference to the initial pay of revised scale of pay as on 1.1.2006, and the subsequent rerevision of scales of pay has no co-relation, whatsoever, with the pension of such pensioners. Similarly, the pension of those pensioners, who are retiring from 1.1.2006 onwards, is relatable only to the 'pay' drawn in the admissible scale of pay at the time of their retirement and it has no co-relation, whatsoever, with the re-revision of pay scales from any subsequent date. It is, therefore, requested that necessary action in the matter may please be taken accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Joint Secretary Finance

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