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Government of India

Ministry of Personnel, P.G & Pensions
(Department Pension & P.U.)

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New Delhi, the \$ 12.10.92.-

OFFICE MEMORALDUM

Subject: Change over of the Central Government employees from the Central battery Provident Word Scheme to the Pension Scheme - Formulation of uniform policy for Scientific & Technical Personnel - Regarding.

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The undersigned is directed to refer to para 6.3 of this Department's O.M. of even number dated the 1st May, 1987 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the proposal to formulate a uniform scheme for Scientific & Technical Personnel (here inafter referred to as SCT Personnel) has been under examination in consultation with the Department of Space, Department of Atomic Whergy and Department of Electronics.

- 2. The following uniform policy will apply to S&T personnel in the Department of Space, Department of Atomic Energy and Department of Electronics:
 - i) All SAT Personnel joining Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space and Department of Electronics and such other scientific Departments as have adopted the system prevailing in the Department of Atomic Energy will intially be appointed on CPF Scheme.
 - ii) The STA Parsonnel will have one option to be exercised any time but not later than completion of 20 years qualifying service to switch-ever from CFF to Pension Scheme of to rotain the CFF Scheme as they may wish.
 - iii) Those who do not exercise any option within the period specified above will be deemed to have retained the CPF Edieme.
 - iv) The gotton once exercised will be final. Those who have opted in favour of Pension Schema will not be allowed to re-opt in favour of CPF Schema.
- 3. The new Scheme mentioned above will apply to all SET personnel who join the Departments of Atomic Energy, Space and Electronics as fresh entrants after 31st July, 1992. As far as those already in service on 1.8.1992 are concerned, their cases will be regulated in the following menner:
 - i) Those who have completed 20 years qualifying service

on 1st August, 1992 and are still on CPF Scheme, will exercise the option referred to in the preceding paragraph within six months of the issue of these orders. The option once exercised shall be final. Those who do not exercise any option will be deemed to have retained the CPF Scheme.

- ii) The cases of those who have not completed 20 years qualifying service on 1st August, 1992 and are still under CFF Scheme on that date, will be regulated as for fresh entrants in terms of provisions of paragraph 2 above provided that the case of those who will be completing 20 years qualifying service within six months of the issue of these orders, the option may be exercised within the said period of six months.
- iii) Such of the S&T personnel as have already opted for pension Scheme under the instructions in force before issue of these orders shall continue to remain under the Pension Scheme. They will not have any further option to re-opt in favour of the CPF Scheme.
- 4. The Deaprtment of Atomic Energy etc. are requested to bring these orders to the nocie of all S&T personnel working under them.

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