# F. No. 42/50/2010-P&PW(G) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

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#### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: 20<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) held on 21.9.2011 at North Block, New Delhi.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> meeting of Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) held on 21.9.2011 presided over by Secretary (P&PW) in Conference Hall, North Block, New Delhi for your kind perusal.

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To,

All Pensioners' Associations of Current SCOVA.

Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> meeting of Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) held on 21.9.2011 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (P&PW) in Conference Room, North Block, New Delhi

The 20th meeting of the Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) was presided over by Secretary (P&PW) as Hon'ble MOS(PP), Chairman of SCOVA, was pre-occupied with some other Government assignment.

- The list of participants is at Annexure I. 2.
- At the outset Secretary (P&PW) welcomed the Members of SCOVA and representatives of the Ministries and the Departments and mentioned that the Department has fulfilled the promise in convening the 20th meeting of SCOVA at least once in a year. Secretary (P&PW) also mentioned that in the next reconstitution of SCOVA, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare would also be included as its official member.
- Secretary (P&PW) informed the members that a number of clarifications had been issued in the field of Family Pension since last 19th SCOVA meeting which will definitely help the pensioner/family pensioners divorced/unmarried daughters, dependent parents, dependent disabled siblings in getting pension. He also informed that the Department has issued the necessary notification on the amendment of CCS (Pension) Rules, amendment of CCS(Commutation of Pension) Rules and CCS(Extraordinary Pension) by incorporating the various decisions taken in the matter from time to time. The members were further informed about the release of Brochure on "Retirement benefits to Central Government Pensioners and Compendium of instructions on retirement benefits during 2009 by the Department. He also reiterated that Pensioners' Portal Website is being constantly updated to fulfil the needs of the pensioners.
- Secretary (P&PW) pointed out that Pensioners Associations have been a major source of support for DoP&PW and they have been associated with DoP&PW in spreading awareness regarding pensioners' welfare programmes and educating the rights of the pensioners including responsibilities.
- Shri Umraomal Purohit, Member, SCOVA thanked the Secretary (P&PW). He however mentioned that frequency of the SCOVA meeting may be increased as the number of pensioners have increased. He also felt that after 6th Pay Commission, issues to be discussed have increased and one meeting in a year is not adequate to address all problems. He further stressed that meeting should be for a full day starting in the first half as the number of issues involving the pensioners need to be discussed in detail.
- Secretary (P&PW) informed the members that as requested DOP&PW had issued the minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> SCOVA meeting immediately after the meeting and also placed the minutes on the Pensioner Portal Web-site. Further, DOP&PW has also circulated the Action Taken Report (ATR) of the 19th SCOVA meeting as well as the Agenda items of the 20th SCOVA meeting and the same was posted on the web-site of the Department. However, some of the members felt that ATR of the SCOVA meeting and agenda for the next meeting may be issued well before the next meeting. However, the Department informed that they are handicapped due to non receipt of comments and ATR on time from the Ministries/Departments.

( Action : DoP&PW )

Thereafter, the Action Taken Report (ATR) of 19th SCOVA meeting (Annexure-I) and Agenda items of 20th SCOVA meeting (Annexure-II) were taken up for discussion.

#### Action Taken Repot (ATR) on the points raised in the 9. 19th meeting of SCOVA (Annexure-I)

Issue of Corrigendum PPO for Pre-2006 retirees and also to communicate the amount of pension as well as Family Pension to 9.1 be revised consequent to the 6th Pay Commission to Pre 1.1.2006 pensioners. (Refer para 6.1 & 6.2 of ATR)

Secretary (P&PW) informed the members regarding the steps taken by the Department in this regard. However, he expressed his concern over the pace of the revision. Shri Purohit at this point expressed his concern over the slow pace of revision and requested the Secretary (Pension) to intervene in the matter further and asked the various Ministries/Departments to fix a definite time line for the same as otherwise the process of revision may be further delayed. In case, required, additional manpower may be requisitioned by the Ministries/ Departments. Thereafter, Ministries indicated their status of revision as under :

- Department of Posts informed that 80% work has been done. Out of the total Number of 226000 PPOs, 186000 PPOs have been i) revised.
- Department of Telecom informed that they could not compile data ii) for the pensioners/family pensioners of the whole country.
- Ministry of Railways informed that they have given 30.9.2011 as iii) target date for the compilation of the work
- CPAO has indicated that out of 645175 cases of pre 2006 pensioners/family pensioners revised PPOs in respect of 75594 iv) cases have been issued.
- Ministry of Defence informed that CGDA was monitoring the work. v) They have to cater to the requirement of 22-23 lakh pensioners. The representative of the Ministry of Defence was asked to make the latest data available.

Secretary (P&PW) requested all the organizations/Departments/Ministries to expedite the same without further delay and update the latest status with the Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare.

( Action : Desk E of DoP&PW, CPAO, Ministry of Railways, Ministry of Defence, Department of Posts and <u>Department of Telecom</u> )

#### Expediting cases of sanction of secondary family pension with monitoring mechanism at various levels. (Para 6.3 of ATR) 9.2

Necessary clarifications have since been issued on 1.4.11, 28.4.11, 3.8.2011 and 2.9.2011 Rule 54 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 also stands amended accordingly. The members felt that checklist of all documents required may be issued so that different ministries do not have different approach. It was agreed that a list of documents to be submitted alongwith the details of family or application for grant of family pension to other than spouse will be made available at the website of the Department. It is provided in this Department's OM dated 21.7.1999 that a self certificate for the income of those who are self employed or are in receipt of income from sources other than employment may be accepted. It was decided to send a copy of OM dated 21.7.1999 to all member Associations as demanded by them.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>Desk - E of DOP&PW</u> )

Same fitment benefit to Pre-2006 pensioners as recommended and implemented in respect of serving employees by the VI CPC. 9.3 Parity between Past and Future Pensioners. Stepping up of Pension and Family Pension to 50% and 30% Extension of new benefits granted to the past pensioners respectively. ( Para 6.4 to 6.7 of ATR)

Representative from DoPT informed that the Second Meeting of the National Anomalies Committee (NAC) was held on 15.2.11 but these issues were not discussed in that Meeting. It was further informed that all pending issues including those related to pension matters would be discussed in the next meeting of the NAC, which is likely to be held sometime in October, 2011. On the question of constitution of another Anomaly Committee for resolving anomalies for Group A and B officers, DOPT informed that this was not a feasible option and that such issues can be taken up by the concerned Departments with the Department of Expenditure for resolution.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>DoPT and Desk - A of DoP&PW</u> )

Additional pension for service beyond 20 years of service. (Para 9.4 6.8 of ATR)

This item was closed.

A suitable alternative to merger of DR after it reaches 50% in view of VI CPC recommendation against 50% DA/DR merger benefit to ensure 9.5 revision at reasonable intervals. (Para 6.9 of ATR)

Representatives from Department of Expenditure mentioned that there is 100% neutralization of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Pay against the rise in price index. It is precisely for this reason that the  $6^{tar{h}}$  CPC recommended against merger of DA/DR with Basic Pay/Basic Pension at any stage. Shri Purohit mentioned that in the case of serving employees, they get increase in other allowances corresponding to the rise in price index. However, the Commission failed to recommend any increase in the case of pensioners. On this, Secretary (Pension) mentioned that in the case of serving employees also, since the rise in price index is 100% neutralized by increase in DA, no recommendation for any increase in Pay at any stage has been made by the 6th CPC. It is only in the case of other allowances of serving employees which are not regularly increased corresponding to the rise in price index, that a separate recommendation was made by the Commission for increase in those allowances @ 25% after the rate of DA crosses the mark of 50%. Since these allowances are not applicable in the case of pensioners, the question of applicability of this particular recommendation to the pensioner would not arise. Secretary (Pension), however, mentioned that if the Pensioners Associations come up with any proposal as an alternative to the merger of DR with pension, the same could be examined in consultation with Ministry of Finance.

( Action : Desk G of DoP&PW )

Appointment of 7th Central Pay Commission, HRA & Transport Allowance, Children's educational allowance and Hostel Subsidy, Festival Advance 9.6 (Para 6.10 of ATR)

No action is required hence, the item is closed.

Restoration of commuted pension after 12 years. (Para 6.11 of 9.7 ATR)

It was informed that this issue is under examination in the National Secretary (Pension) however intimated that if the Anomaly Committee. Pensioners Associations come up with any fresh proposal, the same would be considered on merit.

( Action : Desk G of DoP&PW )

- Revision of Ex-gratia rates in respect of pre-1986 CPF/SRPF retirees and their families. (Para 6.12 (a) to (c) of ATR) 9.8
  - (a) : Revision of ex-gratia amount.
  - (b) & (c): DR and FMA to ex- gratia beneficiaries:

It was informed that the proposal for increasing the ex-gratia for CPF pensioners so as to bring them at par with SRPF beneficiaries is under consideration at a very advanced stage.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Desk - E of DoP&PW and Ministry of Railways</u>)

- Ex-gratia amount to be raised for CPF/SRPF retirees. (Para 6.13 (a) to 9.9 (c) of ATR)
  - (a) : Ex-gratia to CPF/SRPF retirees:
  - (b) : Uniform rates of DR:
  - (c): Ex- gratia to those who voluntarily retired after 20 years of service:

Though the matter is under the consideration of the National Council, Cabinet Secretariat, it was agreed that ex-gratia to those who were retired on medical invalidation may be examined again.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>Desk - E of DoP&PW and Ministry of Railways</u> )

Ex-gratia should not be less than minimum pension and the same should 9.10 be effective from 01/01/06. (Para 6.14 of ATR)

It was decided that after the CPF beneficiaries are brought at the existing level of SRPF beneficiaries, the Department will consult pensioners' associations on the proposal for revision of ex-gratia to CPF and SRPF beneficiaries.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Desk - E of DoP&PW and Ministry of Railways</u>)

Extension of secondary family pension to dependant widowed daughter-9.11 in-law. (Para 6.15 of ATR)

Though already rejected, it was felt that in case a proposal is received the same would be examined.

( Action : Desk - E of DoP&PW )

Extension of benefit of enhanced family pension for 10 years even in cases of death after retirement. (Para 6.16 of ATR)

In view of the refusal of Department of Expenditure, the matter now stands closed.

9.13 Fixed Medical Allowance to be enhanced to Rs. 1.000/- p.m w.e.f. 01/01/06 (Para 6.17 of ATR)

SCOVA members were informed that the Department had taken up this issue with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in view of the decision during the meeting with the representatives of staff side (JCM) on pensionary matters held on 18.5.2011. Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare is actively pursuing this issue.

( Action : Desk - D of DoP&PW and Ministry of Health & Family Welfare )

- 9.14 Implementation of Web Based Pensioners Portal -
  - Online Grievance redressal system: a)

The members of the SCOVA stated that the grievances registered by the various Pensioners' Associations through the Pensioners' Portal Website of this Department are pending as the ministries/ department/ organizations concerned are not taking necessary action to dispose of the same. The Department informed the Associations that review meetings are

now being conducted under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Pension) and things are expected to improve in the coming months. It is a continuous action.

( Action : Desk - C of DoP&PW )

b) Grant in aid to pensioners Associations to cover 'Rent' for office accommodation:

The same is included in the proposal for extension of the plan scheme in the 12<sup>th</sup> Plan. This item may thus be closed.

9.15 The implementation of orders dated 01.09.2008 read with the orders dated 14.10.08 is not correct for fixation of pension. (Para 6.19 of ATR)

Para 9.3 of minutes may be referred.

( Action : Desk 'A' of DoP&PW and DOPT )

9.16 The Orders of Ministry of Health reiterating that all the pensioners are at liberty to opt themselves with any of the nearest CGHS hospital/dispensary may be widely circulated. Arbitrary orders dated 01/08/1996 and 01/09/1996 issued by Ministry of Health and Director of CGHS may be withdrawn and the benefit of CGHS facilities be allowed to the pensioners of Department of Post and Department of Telecom as specially provided in the order of the Department of Personnel and Pension. (Para 6.20 & 6.21 of ATR)

Representatives of M/O H&FW told that merger of 19 P&T dispensaries in 12 cities is under active consideration

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Ministry of Health & Family Welfare</u>)

9.17 Early commencement of meeting of National Anomalies Committee to settle all anomalies arising out of 6<sup>th</sup> central pay commission recommendations.(Para 6.22 of ATR)

It was informed that all pending issues including those related to pension matters would be discussed in the next meeting of the NSC, which is likely to be held in October, 2011.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>DOPT</u> )

9.18 Grant of concessional telephone facilities to retired P& T Employees.(Para 6.23 of ATR)

As on date the matter is under submission to competent authority for decision.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>Department of Telecom/Posts</u> )

9.19 (i) The existing Pensioners of Department of Posts and Telecom covered by P& T Dispensaries are neither considered for treatment of hospitalization facilities nor for Fixed Medical Allowance. (Para 6.24 (i) of ATR)

As per the comments mentioned by the Department of Posts in the agenda, further action in the matter is to be taken by M/o H&FW.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Department of Posts and</u> <u>Ministry of Health & Family Welfare</u>)

#### (ii) Pensioners falling within the limit of P& T Dispensaries /CGHS Hospitals may be allowed to opt for P&T Dispensaries or drawl of Fixed Medical Allowance. (Para 6.24 (ii) of ATR)

It is stated that the P&T pensioners residing within the jurisdiction of P&T Dispensary are eligible for OPD facilities and those residing beyond the jurisdiction of P&T Dispensary can opt for FMA. Only those Government pensioners residing in areas not covered under P&T Dispensary can be considered for Fixed Medical Allowance.

# 9.20 Extension of Benefits of Modified Parity to Pre-Jan 06 retiree Service Officers (Para 6.25 of ATR)

In view of the comments given by the Ministry of Defence in the agenda items, the item is treated as closed.

# 9.21 Disability Pension: Extension of benefit to Pre-Jan 2006 disability Pensioners.(Para 6.26 of ATR)

In this regard Order No. 17(4)/2008(1)/D (Pen/Policy)/ - Vol - V dated  $15^{th}$  February, 2011 has been issued. Hence, the item is closed

# 9.22 Companion facility in the same class to all complimentary pass holders of Railways. Cut off age limit for this purpose should be the same as for concessions extended in railway fares. (Para 6.27 of ATR)

In view of the comments provided by the Ministry of Railways in the agenda items, the item is treated as closed.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>Ministry of Railway</u> )

#### 9.23 Inclusion of Representatives of A.I.R.R.F and SCOVA in Railway Hospital Advisory Committees. (Para 6.28 of ATR)

The matter is under examination in consultation with Zonal Railways.

( Action : Ministry of Railways )

## 10. Agenda items for 20th SCOVA meeting (Annexure-II)

# 10.1 Withdraw new pension scheme as also the PFRDA Bill from the Parliament.

Secretary (Pension and AR&PG) explained the contours of the New Pension Scheme which has been introduced w.e.f. 1.1.2004 for Government employees appointed on or after 2004 to a notification dated 23.12.2003 of Ministry of Finance, Department of Economic Affairs. The PFRDA Bill has been introduced in Parliament to establish an authority to promote old age security to all citizens in the country. The NPS Scheme has been extended to the general public w.e.f. 1.5.2009.

The staff-side expressed their reservations on the New Pension Scheme. In their view, the NPS is heavily dependent on the stock market and there is no minimum guaranteed return to the subscriber. The staff-side sought to know whether the Scheme was legally valid as a PFRDA Bill was yet to be passed by the Parliament. They also mentioned that there was no sound mechanism to communicate the details of the NPS accounts/wealth to the subscribers.

The staff-side enquired about the role of Department of Pension and PW in implementation of Scheme. It was informed that while the responsibility in respect of NPS continues to remain with Ministry of Finance (Department of Financial Services) Department of Pension and PW has recently been asked to take action to frame rules regulating NPS in respect of Government employees.

This matter is under examination in consultation with Ministry of Law to decide the exact scope of the proposed rules in order to ensure that the proposed rules are within the four corners of PFRDA Bill and the NPS Scheme notified by the Ministry of Finance in December, 2003.

Secretary (Pension, AR&PG) assured the staff-side that their concern in regard to NPS Scheme will be conveyed to the Department of Financial Services.

> ( Action : Desk - A of DoP&PW and Department of Financial Services )

### 10.2 Issue of Revised PPOs for pre and post 2006 retirees- Status thereof

This item has already been discussed in para 9.1 of the minutes.

( Action : Desk - E of DOP&PW, CGA, CPAO, Ministry of Railways, Ministry of Defence, Department of Posts and Department of Telecommunication )

#### 10.3 Revision of Pension/Family Pension Vth CPC:

Department of Pension & PW agreed to issue instructions to allow revision of pension w.e.f. 1.1.1996 in respect of any pre-1996 pensioner/family pensioner who applies for revision of pension in terms of Department of Pension & PW's O.M. No. 45/10/98-P&PW(A) dated 17.12.1998, without insisting on the deadline earlier prescribed.

( Action : Desk - A of DoP&PW )

#### 10.4 4% increase for every year beyond 80 years

It was informed that there was no justification for considering any enhancement in this benefit Item is closed.

#### 10.5 Quantum of Pension

It was informed that the 6<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission did not recommend any change in the present rates of pension. The pension rules have been liberalized after 6th CPC in as much as a Government servant retiring with 10 years of service is now entitled to pension @ 50% of his last pay. There is no justification for any further increase in the quantum of pension. Hence, the item is closed.

#### Revision of income criteria/eligibility of divorced/widowed daughter 10.6 grant of family pension.

A proposal in this regard had been referred to Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure for consideration. Department of Expenditure did not concur with this Department stating that with the periodical enhancement in the rates of Dearness Relief, more and more families would become eligible for family pension. As the item is in National Anomaly Committee, it was agreed to treat it as closed.

#### Early commencement of meeting of National Anomaly Committee(NAC) to settle all anomalies arising out of 6th CPC recommendations.

DoPT informed that the next meeting of the NAC was likely to be held sometime in October, 2011.

( Action : DoPT )

#### 10.8 Sanction of House Rent for Association office.

As given in para 9.14 (b) of the minutes

( Action : Desk - C of DoP&PW )

#### 10.9 Grant in Aid to Pensioners Association (AFA)

Proposal put up for examination. Necessary review meetings are being conducted by the Department and will continue to do so in future. This will definitely reduce the number of pending grievances.

( Action : Desk - C of DoP&PW )

#### 10.10 Fixed Medical Allowance

#### (i) to be enhanced to Rs. 1000/per month w.e.f. 1.1.2006.

Item has already been discussed in para 9.13 of ATR.

( <u>Action</u> : <u>Desk - D of DoP&PW and</u> <u>Ministry of Health & Family Welfare</u> )

### (ii) to pensioner residing beyond 2.5 Kms. from dispensary.

It was informed that jurisdiction of a dispensary is decided by its admn. authorities. Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare instructions allow Fixed Medical Allowance to pensioners residing outside the jurisdiction of dispensary.

Ministry of Railways explained that the 2.5 Km. limit is as laid down by decision of courts. The members thereafter raised specific issue of RELHS. It was decided that the Ministry of Railways may in consultation with the members resolve the issue.

( Action : Ministry of Railways )

#### 10.11 Medical facilities for pensioners

#### (i) indoor treatment to non-CGHS member pensioners

Representative of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare informed that the government is under process of formulating a Health Insurance Scheme whereby such pensioners would be extended the in-door treatment facility. Hence it is closed.

#### (ii) entitlement under CGHS for wards etc.- definition of pay

Representative of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare informed that the definition of pay is a subject of Department of Personnel and Training. Hence it is closed.

#### (iii) to increase number of CGHS dispensary/empanelled hospitals

The representative of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare informed that the proposed merger of 19 P&T dispensaries would to some extent resolve the issue. Due to resource constraints further increase of CGHS dispensary is not feasible. The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has been actively considering empanelment of pvt. Hospitals. Hence it is closed.

# 10.12 Fixation of Revised Pension (1/3 rd of commuted portion of pension) in respect of past pensioners may be by multiplying it by a factor of 2.26

The members were informed that the method of calculation of  $1/3^{rd}$  restorable pension was devised and ordered by Andhra Pradesh High Court in its judgment dated 24.12.03 in Writ Petition No. 8532 of and the government has implemented the same through OM dated 6.9.2007 quoting the relevant portion of the judgment. The formula for arriving at  $1/3^{rd}$  restorable pension for revision of pension after  $6^{th}$  Central Pay Commission in the OM dated 15.9.2008 is on the same lines which the Hon'ble Court has prescribed. Hence it is closed.

#### 10.13 CSD canteen facility to Defence Civilian Pensioners

It was decided that the matter needs to be reviewed by Ministry of Defence.

( Action : Ministry of Defence )

10.14 Implementation of the Govt Decision on the recommendations of the Cabinet Secretary's Committee – Revision of PBOR pension to pre-2006 retirees:

MoD informed that the issue is under active consideration and orders are likely to be issued shortly to resolve this issue.

( Action : Ministry of Defence )

10.15 Extension of benefits of modified parity to pre-2006 retiree defence officers:

MoD informed that their proposal in this regard has been rejected by the Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) as they are not as per recommendation of  $6^{th}$  CPC. Hence, the item is closed.

10.16 Anomaly in fixation of pension to DoT employees absorved in BSNL, who retired between 1-10-2000 and 31.7.2001.

Order is to be issued.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Department of Telecommunication</u>)

10.17 Grant of concessional telephone facilities to retired P&T employees.

The matter is under consideration.

( <u>Action</u>: <u>Department of Telecommunications</u>)

10.18 Payment of pension to postal retirees through banks

Proposal has been sent to the Controller General of Accounts.

( Action : Department of Posts )

10.19 Revision of pension of pre 1996 Railway pensioners

It was informed that some pensioners associations have raised this issue in their representations and the Railway Board has clarified their stand in this regard. The clarifications/advice sought from DoP&PW has also been provided to Railway Board. Since the matter involved interpretation of the Government orders for revision of pension in respect of a particular category of posts (e.g. Head clerk) in the Railways, it was beyond the scope of SCOVA to resolve this issue. Railway Board was advised to sort out this matter after hearing the representatives of the pensioners associations.

( Action : Ministry of Railways )

11. Agenda item No. 20 to 22 could not be discussed due to paucity of time and it was decided unanimously that this item would be discussed in the next meeting of SCOVA.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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 $20^{\text{TH}}$  MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF VOLUNTARY AGENCIES (SCOVA) HELD ON 21.9.2011 IN CONFERENCE HALL, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI

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