

F. No. 19-62/2017-CU.Cdn.
Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
Central Universities Division

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 2nd January, 2018

To,

The Secretary,
University Grants Commission (UGC),
Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg,
New Delhi- 110 002

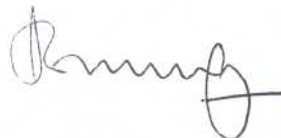
Subject: Pay revision of the non-teaching employees of the Central Universities (CUs) & Centrally funded Deemed Universities, under the administrative control of MHRD - regarding.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to say that the Government of India has issued orders regarding revision of scales of pay of Central Government employees, on the recommendations of the 7th Central Pay Commission vide Resolution No. 1-2/2016-IC dated 25th July, 2016 and the Central Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016 has been notified in Gazette of India Extraordinary Part-II, Section-3, sub-section (i), vide GSR No. 721E dated 25th July, 2016. Subsequently, the Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) vide Office Memorandum No. 1-5/2016-IC dated 29th July, 2016 has issued guidelines regarding manner of pay fixation in the revised Pay w.e.f. 01.01.2016. The Government of India has further issued guidelines vide OM No. 1/1/2016-E.III(A) dated 13th January, 2017 of the Department of Expenditure regarding extension of the revised scales of pay to the employees of the Quasi-Government organizations, Autonomous Organizations and Statutory Bodies set up and funded/controlled by the Central Government.

2. Accordingly, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure has approved the proposal for adoption of 7th CPC scales for Non-Teaching Staff of all Central Universities and Centrally funded Deemed Universities, under the administrative control of MHRD, subject to the following:-

- (i) The revised pay scales based on the instructions contained in the O.M. No.1/1/2016-E.III(A) dated 13.01.2017 regarding pay revision of employees of Quasi-Government organizations, Autonomous Organizations and Statutory Bodies etc., set up by and funded/controlled by the Central Government may be allowed, in the case of non-teaching staff of Central Universities. However, it may be ensured that only the revised normal replacement pay scales as per **Part 'A' of the Schedule of the CCS (Revised pay) Rules, 2016** would be considered, as mentioned in the O.M dated 13.01.2017.



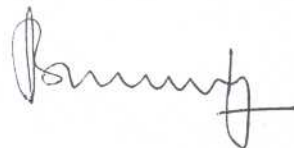
- (ii) Revision of allowances for non-teaching staff would be issued separately.
- (iii) Since, the order dated 13.01.2017 is only for pay scales and not pension, therefore, it may be ensured that no revision of pension is done at this stage, on account of the revision of pay.
- (iv) It may also be ensured that the Institutions which are in a position to fully meet the additional financial impact or the Institutions which are not in a position to meet either 30% or any lesser amount from their internal resources, the revised pay scales are allowed only after adjusting the amount so calculated. It is, therefore, mandatory that the internal resources are strictly and realistically kept in view for this purpose. The Statutory Bodies viz., Finance Committee, Executive Committee etc., should ensure this conditionality.

3. As per para 2 of the Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/1/2016-E.III(A) dated 13.01.2017, the revised pay scales as per the Pay Matrix, as contained in Part-A of the Schedule of the CCS (RP) Rules, 2016 as well as the principle of pay fixation as contained in the said rules, may be extended to the employees of Central Universities is subject to the following stipulation:-

- (i) The Conditions of service of employees of these organizations, especially those relating to hours of work, payment of OTA etc. are exactly similar to those in case of the Central Government employees.
- (ii) The revised pay structure shall be admissible to those employees who opt for the same in accordance with the extant Rules.
- (iii) Deductions on account of Provident Fund, Contributory Provident Fund or National Pension System, as may be applicable, will have to be made on the basis of the revised pay w.e.f. the date an employee opts to elect the revised pay structure.

4. In addition to the above, the following conditions may also be kept in view:-

- (i) The revised Pay and revised rates of Dearness Allowance under this Scheme shall be effective from 01.01.2016.
- (ii) Payment of arrears may be released by Central Universities and Centrally funded Deemed Universities after funds for the purpose is provided by the Ministry of Finance and released to the Universities through the UGC.



(iii) An undertaking shall be taken from every beneficiary under this Scheme to the effect that any excess payment made on account of incorrect fixation of pay in the revised Pay Level or grant of inappropriate Pay Level and Pay Cells or any other excess payment made shall be adjusted against the future payments due or otherwise to the beneficiary, in the same manner as provided in Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) OM No. 1-5/2016-IC dated 29th July, 2016. A specimen form of undertaking is also enclosed at Annexure-I.

5. It would be necessary to ensure that the final package of benefits proposed to be extended to the employees of autonomous organizations is not more beneficial than that admissible to the corresponding categories of the Central Government employee.

6. Anomalies, if any, in implementation of this Scheme may be brought to the notice of the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, for clarification/decision of the Government.

7. UGC may issue suitable instructions to CUs and Centrally funded Deemed Universities, accordingly.

8. This issues in consultation with IFD vide their Diary No. 4332 dated 28.12.2017.



(Surat Singh)

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Encl: As above.

Copy to:-

1. Secretary, Department of Expenditure, M/o Finance.
2. Integrated Finance Division, Deptt of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development.
3. Web Master, Ministry of Human Resource Development, for publication on the website of MHRD, hosted by NIC.

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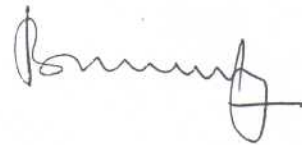
I hereby undertake that any excess payment made that may be found to have been made as a result of incorrect fixation of pay in the revised scales or grant of inappropriate pay band/grade pay or any excess payment detected in the light of discrepancies noticed subsequently will be refunded by me to the institute either by adjustment against future payments due to me or otherwise.

Signature_____

Name_____

Designation_____

Date_____

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'B. S. Singh', written in a cursive style.