

**Government of West Bengal**  
**Department of Panchayats & Rural Development**  
**Joint Administrative Building, Block-HC-7, Sector-III, Salt Lake,**  
**Kolkata-700 106**

No. 1450/PN/O/II/4A-01/2021

Date: 06.03.2023

Sub: Grant of Dearness Allowance to the employees of Panchayat Bodies also Dearness relief to the Pensioners/ Family Pensioners of Panchayat Bodies with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2023

**ORDER**

The undersigned is directed by order of the Governor to say that the Governor is pleased to sanction the benefit of Dearness Allowance @ 6% of basic pay with effect from 01.03.2023 in respect of the whole time employees of Panchayat Bodies (three tiers) including Panchayat Karmee who are drawing their Pay in the revised pay structure implemented as per recommendations of the 6<sup>th</sup> Pay Commission. The calculation of Dearness Allowances shall be made taking into account the revised basic pay and N.P.A., if any, but it shall not include any other type of pay.

2. The Pensioners/ Family Pensioners of Panchayat Bodies ( Three tiers), who are in receipt of revised Pension/ revised Family Pension as per recommendations of 6<sup>th</sup> Pay Commission shall draw Dearness Relief @ 6% with effect from 01.03.2023.

3. (a) The rate of Dearness Allowance in respect of the whole time employees of Panchayat Bodies (three tiers) including Panchayat Karmee who are drawing pay in the pre revised pay structure as per recommendations of the 5<sup>th</sup> Pay Commission shall be enhanced from 133% to 141% with effect from 01.03.2023.

(b) The pensioners/ family pensioners of Panchayat Bodies (three tiers) still drawing pre-revised pension/ family pension (As per ROPA 2009) will get Dearness Relief @ 141% with effect from 01.03.2023 till their pension/ family pension is revised.

4. The Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief sanctioned herein above shall be rounded off to the nearest rupee in each case.

5. This order issues in terms of Finance (Audit) Department Memo. No. 850-F(P<sub>2</sub>), Dated: 24.02.2023.

Joint Secretary  
to the Government of West Bengal

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
6/3/2023



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5. The Director of Accounts & Treasuries, New India Assurance Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, 4, Lyons Range, Kolkata-700 001.
6. The Commissioner, Panchayats & Rural Development, West Bengal, 11-A, K. S. Roy Road, Kolkata – 700 001.
7. The District Magistrate ..... (All) BY FAX.
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Joint Secretary  
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