

## GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM FINANCE DEPARTMENT GANGTOK

No. GOS/1(32) /Bud /Fin/2001-2002/Part 11/02

## Dated: 01/10/2024

## CIRCULAR

In continuation to the Department's Circular No. GOS/1(32)/Bud/Fin/2001-2002/Part II/01 dated: 17/06/2024, the Governor is pleased to enhance the rate of Dearness Allowance to the State Government Employees and Dearness Relief to the State Government Pensioners drawing pay in the pre-revised basic pay structure, from the existing rate of 230% to 239% w.e.f. 01.01.2024.

However, consequent upon revision of pay and allowances as per the decision taken by the Government based on the recommendation of the Pay Committee and in continuation to Departments Circular No. GOS/1(32)/Bud/Fin/2001-2002/Part II/01 dated: 17/06/2024 Dearness Allowance to the State Government Employees and Dearness Relief to the State Government Pensioners drawing pay in the revised basic pay structure, shall be enhanced from existing 46% to 50% w.e.f 01.01.2024.

The Dearness Allowance at the above rates will also be admissible to the employees appointed on contract basis and work-charged establishments drawing revised pay in the regular scales of pay of the State Government.

Accordingly, the rate of DA admissible to the All India Service Officers who continue to draw their pay in the pre-revised pay band/grade pay as per the  $6^{th}$  CPC recommendation shall be enhanced from the existing 230% to 239% w.e.f 01.01.2024.

However, the Dearness Allowance of All India Service Officers drawing pay in the revised basic pay as per recommendation of the 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission shall be enhanced from existing 46% to 50% w.e.f 01.01.2024.

The payment on account of Dearness Allowance/Relief involving fraction of 50 paisa and above may be rounded off to the next higher rupee and fraction of less than 50 paisa may be ignored.

Sd/-Chief Secretary, Government of Sikkim

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Deputy Director (Budget)