OFFICE OF THE MILITARY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL

Kashmir Road, Rawalpindi Cantt

No.

/AN/0112-XI

May, 2024

The Dy. MAG Rawalpindi All Controllers

Subject:

VOLUNTARY/RETIRING PENSION OF GOVERNMENT SERVANTS

Please find enclosed herewith a copy Finance Division's (Regulation Wing), Islamabad letter No.E.1(1)Reg-6/2018 dated .16/04/2024 on the above subject received vide Controller General of Accounts letter No. 173/CGA/Reg/3-23/2024/252 dated 10/05/2024 for information and further necessary action.

(Muhammad Bashir) Accounts Officer (AN-I)

No. 66 /AN/0112-XI dated.,04 /0@2024 Copy to:-

> The Director (MIS), MAG Office, Rawalpindi with a request to place above information on official website of PMAD with immediate effect please.

- The Section Officer (R-06) Finance Division (Regulation Wing) Islamabad.
- 3. The Section Officer (D-7) Ministry of Defence,
- 4. The Accounts Officer (Regulation) CGA office Islamabad.
- 5. The Accounts Officer (Automation) Local.
- 6. The Accounts Officer Digital Library Cell (Local).
- 7. PS to the M.A.G.
- 8. APS to the Dy. MAG.

9. PA to the A.M.A.G (Admin).

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4. The Accountant General Khyber Pakhtunkhy

The Accountant General Sindh, Karachi.

6. The Accountant General Balochistan, Quet

7. The Accountant General Gilgit Baltistan, GUS

The Accountant General AJ&K, Muzaffarbada

The Director General Accounts Works, Lahore.

The Director General MIS, Islamabad.

11. The AGPR Sub-Offices Lahore, Peshawar, Karachi, Quetta, Gilgit.

12. The Chief Accounts Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Islamabad.

13. The Chief Accounts Officer, Pakistan Post Office Department, Islamabad.

14. The FA & CAO Pak- Railways, Lahore.

15. The Chief Accounts Officer, Pakistan Mint, Lahore.

16. The Chief Accounts Officer, Geological Survey of Pakistan, Quetta.

17. The Director of Accounts, Pakistan Post Office Department, Lahore.

The Director (Budget & Accounts) Pak PWD, Islamabad.

19. The Accounts Officer (Admn-I), Local.

Subject:

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VOLUNTARY/RETIRING PENSION OF GOVERNMENT SERVANTS

I am directed to circulate herewith a copy of Finance Division's (Regulations Wing), Islamabad letter No. F.1(1)Reg-6/2018 dated. 16.04,2024 on the above subject and to state that the directions issued by the Finance Division vide above referred letter should be adopted in true letter and spirit.

Encl: As above

10/05/24 Accounts Officer (Regulations)

Government of Pakistan Finance Division Regulations Wing <><>

F. No. 1(1)R-6/2018

Islamabad, the 16th April, 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:

VOLUNTARY/RETIRING PENSION OF GOVERNMENT SERVANTS

The undersigned is directed to refer to para 5 of this Division's O.M No. OB.2/63-IMP(I) dated 18.08.1956 and 28.07.1966, reiterated vide O.M No. 8(5)Reg-6/73 dated 04.01.1975 on the above subject and to say that according to the Article 465-B of CSR (Note-1), it is the right of all Government servants to seek Voluntary/Retiring Pension after completing 25 years of qualifying service; provided that an officer who intends to retire, shall, at least three months before the date on which he/she intends to retire, should submit a written intimation to the authority competent to fill the appointment held by him at the time of submitting that intimation indicating the date on which he/she intends to retire. Such an intimation, once submitted, shall be final and cannot be modified or withdrawn. A number of cases have come to the notice of this Division in which it was found, after such an application for retirement under para 5 of the O.M. dated 18.08.1966 referred to above had been submitted and accepted by the competent authority and the government servant had actually retired, that the 25 years qualifying service for pension had not been rendered e.g. the period of extra-ordinary leave had not been excluded from service. As such the government servants became altogether ineligible for pension, which caused hardship.

- In order to avoid recurrence of such cases in future and to avoid resultant hardship to the retired government servant concerned it has been decided:
 - The PAO/retiring Officer/Official must ensure three month notice prior to the date of voluntary retirement.
 - In case of any lose to retiring officer/official, an inquiry must be carried out to fix the responsibility with regards to the issuance of the notification for retirement without ensuring completion of required length of service in the light of Finance Division's OM dated 04-01-1975.
 - iii. Finance Division's O.M. No. F. 14(1)-Reg.7/2007-230 dated 18.09.2008, the benefit of condonation of a period of not exceeding six months deficiency in qualifying service for pension under CSR-423 shall not be applicable voluntary/retiring pension.

This O.M. may be adopted in true letter and spirit.

(Fraz Ahmed) Section Officer (R-06) Ph # 9245848

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