



कार्यालय रक्षा लेखा प्रधान नियंत्रक (पेंशन)

द्रौपदी घाट, इलाहाबाद-211014

Office of the Principal CDA(Pensions)

Draupadi Ghat, Allahabad- 211014



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**Circular No. 573**

**Dated: 01<sup>st</sup> February' 2017**

**To**

**The O I/C,  
Records/ PAO (ORs)**

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**Subject: Ex-Gratia lump sum compensation- Recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission.**

Reference: This Office Circular No. 438 dated 16.07.2010, Circular No. 402 dated 30.12.2008 and Circular No. 228 dated 03.05.1999.

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Copy of GOI, MOD letter **No. 20(2)/2016/D(Pay/Services)** dated **2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2016**, which is self explanatory, is forwarded herewith for further necessary action at your end.

2. Consequent upon issue of GOI, MOD letter dated 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2016, the families of the Defence Service Personnel who die in harness in the performance of their bonafide official duties shall be entitled to Ex-Gratia lump-sum-compensation at revised rate as mentioned in ibid Government letter.

3. The conditions governing payment of Ex-Gratia lump-sum-compensation in terms of the ibid Government letter and the guidelines to be observed have been given in the Annexure attached with the GOI, MOD letter No. 20(1)/98-D(Pay/Services) dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September' 1998 and Corrigendum No. even dated 12<sup>th</sup> April' 1999 (Circulated vide this office Circular No. 228 dated 03.05.1999).

4. The order shall apply to all cases of death in harness occurring on or after 01.01.2016. In so far as cases of death, which occurred prior to 01.01.2016, are concerned, shall be regulated and finalized in terms of the orders and instructions in force prior to issue of these orders.

5. In view of the above, you are requested to submit all affected cases of Ex-Gratia lump-sum-compensation where death occurred on or after 01.01.2016 to the OI/C, G-4 Section of this Office along with the statement of case with supporting documents viz detailed statement of case, Special Casualty report approved by Competent Authority, FIR and/ or Court of Inquiry proceedings etc. including Sheet Roll indicating interalia the PPO No. wherein Special Family Pension/ Liberalized Family Pension and Ex-gratia have been granted earlier. In cases, where death occurred on or after 01.01.2016 and Ex-Gratia lump-sum-compensation has already been sanctioned at old rate, the same may be referred to this office on revised LPC-Cum-Data Sheet and Sheet Roll for issue of corrigendum PPO at new revised rates.

6. All other terms and conditions shall remain unchanged.

7. This circular has been uploaded on this office website [www.pcdapension.nic.in](http://www.pcdapension.nic.in) for dissemination to all alongwith Defence pensioners and Pension Disbursing Agencies.  
Please acknowledge receipt.

**No. Gts/Tech/0114/ Spl-XXXVII**  
**Dated: 01<sup>st</sup> February' 2017**

  
**(S C Saroj)**  
**Sr. Accounts Officer (P)**

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**No. 20(2)/2016/D (Pay/Services)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Defence**  
**D (Pay/Services)**

New Delhi, 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2016

To  
The Chief of the Army Staff  
The Chief of the Air Staff  
The Chief of the Navy Staff

**Subject: Ex-gratia lump sum compensation – Recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. 20(1)/98/D(Pay/Services) dated 22.09.1998 as amended vide letter of even number dated 12.04.1999, 03.08.1999, 19.05.2000, 21.10.2008 and letter No. 20(5)/2009/D(Pay/Services) dated 4.6.2010 on the above subject and to say that in pursuance of Government's decision on the recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission, the existing rate of ex-gratia lump sum compensation to the next of kin of the deceased Defence Forces Personnel is revised as follows:

S No.	Circumstances	Rates (in Rs.)
(a)	Death occurring due to accidents in course of performance of duties.	25 Lakhs
(b)	Death in the course of performance of duties attributed to acts of violence by terrorists, anti-social elements etc.	25 Lakhs
(c)	Death occurring in border skirmishes and action against militants, terrorists, extremists, sea pirates.	35 Lakhs
(d)	Death occurring while on duty in the specified high altitude, inaccessible border posts, on account of natural disasters, extreme weather conditions.	35 Lakhs
(e)	Death occurring during enemy action in war or such war like engagements, which are specifically notified by Ministry of Defence and death occurring during evacuation of Indian Nationals from a war-torn zone in foreign country.	45 Lakhs

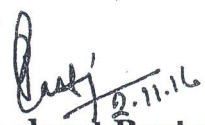
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3. The other terms and conditions contained in the Ministry's letter dated 22.09.1998 as amended shall remain unchanged.

4. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Division of this Ministry vide their UO No. 8(1)/2016-AG (414-PA) dated 27.10.2016.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Prashant Rastogi)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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