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I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's Office Memorandum No. OM No.1/4/2023-E-II (B) dated 20.10.2023 on the subject cited above for information and further necessary action.

Signed by Ravi Pahwa Date: 23-10-2023 14:45:09 Reason: Approved

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of rates of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employeeseffective from 01.07.2023.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's Office Memorandum No. 1/1/2023-E-II (B) dated 3rd April, 2023 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the rates of Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees, shall be enhanced from **42% to 46% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1**st **July, 2023.**

2. The term Basic Pay in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.

3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of FR 9(21).

4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

5. These orders shall also apply to the civilian employees paid from the Defence Services Estimates and the expenditure will be chargeable to the relevant head of the Defence Services Estimates. In respect of Armed Forces personnel and Railway employees, separate orders will be issued by the Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Railways respectively.

6. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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