



ALL INDIA BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED RETIRED EXECUTIVES' ASSOCIATION

Central Headquarters

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Date: 24th October 2024

To
Shri Tuhin Kanta Pandey,
Secretary,
Department of Public Enterprises,
New Delhi.

Sub: Delay in issue of orders for revision of IDA rate w.e.f. 1.10.2024

Sir,

After anxiously waiting for almost a fortnight, we are hereby constrained to draw your kind attention to the fact that DPE is yet to issue orders for revision of IDA rate w.e.f. 01.10.2024, based on the figures of AICPI (IW) for the months of June, July and August 2024. The unusual delay is leading to unwarranted rumours, anxiety and concern among the pensioners who are waiting to get their dearness relief revised.

2. In the past DPE used to issue IDA rate revision orders within the first week of the concerned quarter. During the past few quarters there has been a delay, and orders were issued for the last quarter only on 22.07.2024. The Pension Disbursing Authorities start processing pension around the middle of month and latest by 20th of the month. Therefore, the delay in the issue of orders on revision of IDA results in drawl of pension without the increased DR due. DPE does not come up with the reason for the delay either, exhibiting a non-serious approach towards the issue.

3. We therefore request you to kindly bestow your personal attention to the matter and cause issue of orders for revision of IDA w.e.f. 01.10.2024 immediately and to ensure that there is no delay in the future.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(R.R.Balasubramanian)
General Secretary

Copy to: Shri V.Srinivas,
Secretary (Pension), DoP&PW