John Subhas Chander,
Under Secretary to the Govt of India/ CPIO
Department of Pension & Pensioners Welfare
3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan Khan Market
New Delhi 110003

Date: 09-07-2018

Sub: Request for Information under Right to information Act 2005

Dear Madam,

I Sri Amit Kumar Gupta son of Late Jyotilal Gupta resident of 1/4 Rajendra Banerjee Road, Behala, Calcutta 700034, Telephone number 033 23464646, Mob 9433000088 wish to seek information as under.

With reference to your reply to the undersigned vide 4/1/2018-P7PW (D) DATED 4TH July 2018 (copy enclosed) regarding a RTI application made to DOP&PW earlier, it is mentioned that DOP&PW's OM no 38-37/2016-P&PW(A)(ii) dated 04-08-2016 is applicable to Central Government civilian pensioners who had retired in CDA pay scales before 1-1-2016. Further the reference of a DOT reply (47-35/2014-Pen(T) dated 27-12-2016 is also given where it is stated that the memo dated 04-08-2018 is applicable to absorbee pensioners drawing Pro-Rata pension.

Since in the DOP&PW's OM dated 04-08-2016, there is no mention of the "pro-rata" or "retired in CDA scales" clause, kindly supply me the documents/Orders/Note sheets where Government has decided that the OM dated 04-08-2016 will be applicable to only those aborbee pensioners drawing pro rata pension and retired from CDA scales.

I, inform that following formalities have been completed by me.

- a) I have attached the requisite fee of Rs 10/- in form of Postal Order favouring PAO(HQ),
 Department of Telecom, New Delhi 110001 No
- b) I am also enclosing additional IPO of Rs 50 towards the costs for the documents sought by me Nos

 For any further amount, I may be informed pl.
- c) I am a citizen of India and asking the information as citizen
- d) I assure that I shall not allow/ cause to use/ pass/share/display/ or circulate the information received in any case and under any circumstances, with any person or in any manner which would be detrimental to the Unity and Sovereignty or against the Interest of India.

Thanking You,

Yours Sincerely

(Amit Kumar Gupta)

1/4 Rajedra Banerjee Road

Behala, Kol 700034

Mob: 9433000088, e mail : sdebhl@yahoo.co.in Enclosure: Four (4) IPOs as mentioned above.

Department of Pension & Pensioners Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan, Khan Market, New Delhi, Date: 10-08- 2018

To

Shri Amit Kumar Gupta, 1/4, Rajedra Banerjee Road, Behala, Kolkata-700034

Subject: - Information sought under RTI Act (Dy. No. 260/IFC/2018 dated 27-07-2018-regarding.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 09-07-2018 and to say that Department of Pension and Pensioners Welfare is administering pensionery matters of Central Government Civilian Employees under CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

- 2. In para 7 of O.M. No. 38/37/2017-P&PW(D)(ii) dated 04-08-2016 and in para 12 of O.M. No. 38/37/2016-P&PW(A)(ii) dated 12-05-2017, it has been stated that the pension of the pensioners who are drawing monthly pension from the Government on permanent absorption in public sector undertakings/autonomous bodies will be revised in accordance with these Orders (Copies enclosed). This refers to the pensioners who are drawing pension from the Government in CDA pay scales for the service rendered in the Government before absorption in the public sector undertakings/autonomous bodies.
- 3. Obviously, these orders are not applicable to those pensioners who are drawing pension in the IDA pay scale for the combined service rendered in the Government and the public sector undertakings/autonomous bodies. It may be mentioned that after 6th Central Pay Commission also, the Orders for revision of pension of Central Government Civilian Pensioners were not applicable for revision of pension of absorbee pensioners of BSNL/MTNL drawing pension under IDA pattern. Department of Telecommunications had issued separate order for revision of pension of pre-2007 pensioners/family pensioners of BSNL vide OM No. 40-17/2008-Pen(T)-Vol.III dated 15-03-2011 (Copy enclosed).
- 4. It is again stated that as per OM dated 04-08-2016, these orders shall apply to all pensioners/family pensioners who were drawing pension/family pension before 01-01-2016 under the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972, Central Civil Services (Extraordinary Pension) Rules and the corresponding rules applicable to Railway Pensioners and Pensioners of All India Services, including officers of the Indian Civil Service retired from service on or after 01-01-1973.
- 5. The appellate authority is:

Shri Sanjay Wadhawan, Deputy Secretary, Department of Pension & Pensioners Welfare, 3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi

Yours faithfully,

(Subhash Chander)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India/ CPIO

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