GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Payment of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief payable in respect of the Teaching Staff/Pensioners/Family pensioners coming under UGC/AICTE/ Medical Education Schemes – Revised Rates – Orders Issued.

FINANCE (PAY RESEARCH UNIT) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P)No.104/2025/FIN Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 25-08-2025

Read 1. G.O.(P) No.151/2020/Fin dated 05.11.2020

2. O.M.No.1/1/2023-E-II (B) dated 03.04.2023 from the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.
3. O.M.No.42/04/2023-P&PW (D) dated 06.04.2023 from the Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Government of India.
4. O.M.No.1/3(1)/2008-E.II(B) dated 10.04.2023 from the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.
5. G.O.(P) No.30/2025/Fin dated 20.03.2025

ORDER

Government are pleased to order that the rates of Dearness Allowance payable in respect of the teaching staff coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who have changed over to revised UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale from 01.01.2016 or thereafter will be enhanced from the existing 38% to 42%.

2. The rates of Dearness Allowance payable in respect of the teaching staff coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who are continuing in the 6th UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale from

01.01.2006 or thereafter will be enhanced from the existing 212% to 221%.

3. The rates of Dearness Relief payable to UGC Pensioners/Family pensioners whose Pension/Family pension has been revised as per Government Order read 1st above will be enhanced from the existing 38% to 42%.

4. The rates of Dearness Relief payable to UGC Pensioners/Family pensioners whose Pension/Family pension had not been revised as per Government Order read 1st above will be enhanced from the existing 212% to 221%.

5. The enhanced Dearness Allowance shall be started to draw along with the salary due from the month of August 2025. i.e., salary disbursed from September 2025 onwards.

6. The enhanced Dearness Relief shall be started to draw along with the pension due from the month of September 2025, i.e, pension disbursed from September 2025 onwards.

7 . The enhanced rate of dearness allowance is applicable subject to availability of funds, to grant-in-aid institutions where UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme has been implemented through Government Order. The increased rate of dearness relief is applicable only to institutions, including universities, where statutory pension i s followed by Government order. The enhanced rate of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief should not exceed 42% (221% for those continuing in the 6th UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale from 01.01.2006 or thereafter). Such institutions can sanction the enhanced rate of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief after obtaining approval of the Board of Directors/Governing Body/Managing Committee/Executive Committee etc.

(By order of the Governor)
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