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New Delhi, the 18th Sep, 2017

To

The Chief of the Army Staff
The Chief of the Naval Staff
The Chief of the Air Staff

Subject:

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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SEVENTH CENTRAL PAY COMMISSION ON ALLOWANCES/CONCESSIONS IN RESPECT OF OFFICERS /JCOs AND ORs OF THE ARMY AND EQUIVALENT RANKS OF NAVY AND AIR FORCE-IMPLEMENTATION OF.

Sir,

I am directed to say that consequent on finalisation of Seventh Central Pay Commission award on allowances/concessions by the Government vide Ministry of Finance Resolution No. 11-1/2016-IC dated 6^{th} July 2017, the President is pleased to sanction revised rates of Allowances/Concessions in respect of Officers /JCOs and ORs of the Army and equivalent rank of Navy and Air Force personnel.

- 2. Allowances related to Risk and Hardship are listed in Appendix-A and allowances other than Risk and Hardship are listed in Appendix-B attached to this letter.
- Based on the approved recommendations of 7th CPC, various existing **Risk** and Hardship allowances have now been subsumed in different cells of the new Risk and Hardship matrix. The matrix is divided into 9 cells, based on Low, Medium and High risk juxtaposed with Low, Medium and High hardship. One extra cell on the top is RH-Max, to include Siachen Allowance as a combination of risk and hardship maximum. However, the allowances shall maintain their names and conditions attached with their admissibility (unless otherwise stated). These allowances will be paid as per rate of the cell under which they have been placed in the Risk and Hardship Matrix. A copy of the Risk and Hardship Matrix is listed as per Appendix-C.
- 4. Based on the approved recommendations of 7th CPC, some allowances have been rationalized by subsuming in allowances with a different/new nomenclature. Orders for these allowances will be issued separately.
- 5. Some allowances have been abolished as per approved recommendations of 7th CPC and are listed as per Appendix-D of this letter.
- 6. The revised rates of the above allowances/ concessions will be effective from 1^{st} July, 2017.



- 7. The other terms and conditions for grant of the respective allowances/concessions would continue to be applicable in respect of the revised rates notified in the Appendices-A & B to this letter.
- 8. Certain allowances are dealt by other Wings in Ministry of Defence. These Wings will separately issue orders pertaining to them.
- 9. The term 'Basic Pay' for the purpose of these orders refers to basic pay as defined in relevant Army/Air Force Pay Rules and Navy Pay Regulations.
- 10. This letter issues with the concurrence of Ministry of Defence (Finance) vide their LD. No. 1(3)2016/AG/225-PA dated 24.08.2017.

Yours faithfully,

(M Subbarayan)

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

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REVISED RATES OF RISK AND HARDSHIP ALLOWANCES/CONCESSIONS IN RESPECT OF OFFICERS/JCOs/ORs OF THE ARMY AND EQUIVALENT RANKS OF NAVY & AIR FORCE AS APPROVED BY THE GOVT

		Existing			After 7 th CP	C Recommer	ndation
SI No.	Allowance	To whom granted	Existing Rates (In ₹)	To whom granted	RH-MATRIX (Risk/Hardship involved)	Rates after VII CPC (in ₹)	Remarks
1	Boiler Watch keeping Allowance	Sailors	3000 PM	Sailors	R3H1	4100 PM	
2,	Counter Insurgency Allowance in Peace	Lt Col & above & equiv	7800 PM	Officers	R2H2	10500 PM	
	Area	Major & equiv	7200 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv in IAF	- North Control of the Control of th	6000 PM	
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	1	Lt & equiv	6300 PM				
		JCO & equiv in IAF	5400 PM				
		Hav & equiv in IAF	3600 PM				
		Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	3000 PM				

	Existing		After 7 th CPC Recommendation			
Counter Insurgency Allowance (CI Ops)	Lt Col & above & equiv	11700 PM	Officers	R1H2	16900 PM	
in Field Area	Major & equiv	10800 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv in IAF		9700 PM	
•	Captain & equiv	9900 PM				
	Lt & equiv	9450 PM			1	
	JCO & equiv in IAF	8100 PM		*		
	Hav & equiv in IAF	5400 PM				
	Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	4500 PM	A-	t. e		
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Modified Field Area	Major & equiv	8310 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv in IAF	32 \$ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	7469 PM	Field Area
	Captain & equiv	7620 PM			, in	
2	Lt & equiv	7260 PM			Y.	
	JCO & equiv in IAF	6240 PM				
	Hav & equiv in IAF	4140 PM				
	Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	3450 PM				
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5	Field Area	Lt Col & above & equiv	7800 PM	Officers	R2H2	10500 PM	
	Allowance	Major & equiv	7200 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv in IAF		6000 PM	
		Captain & equiv	6600 PM	# ² , 0		3 (A)	
		Lt & equiv	6300 PM		130		
		JCO & equiv in IAF	5400 PM				
		Hav & equiv in IAF	3600 PM				
		Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	3000 PM	4			
6	Flying Allowance	Fg Offr and equivalent	13500 PM	Officers	ŘÍH1	25000 PM	
		Flt Lt and equivalent	16500 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv. in Air	4	17300 PM	
		Sqn Ldr to Gp Capt and equivalent	21000 PM	7 01 00		V A	
	sa sa	Air Cmde & above and equivalent	15750 PM	-		-	
		JWO & above and equiv.	12600 PM				
		Sgt and below and equiv.	10500 PM				

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7	Free Fall Jump Instructor Allowance	Officers JCOs & below		0 PM 0 PM	Officers JCOs/ORs	R2H2		00 PM 0 PM	
8	Hard Lying Money	Naval officers	<u>Full</u> 600 PM	<u>Half</u> 300 PM	Naval	R3H3	Full 1200	Half 600	Hard Lying Money (Half rate) will be half
		Sailors	420 PM	210 PM	Officers Sailors	*	1000 PM	PM 500 PM	the rate of Hard Lying Money
9	High Altitude Allowance Cat-I	Lt Col & above & equiv Major & equiv		0 PM 0 PM	Officers JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF	R3H2	340	0 PM 0 PM	
		Captain & equiv Lt & equiv JCO & equiv in IAF	159 144	0 PM 0 PM 0 PM	equiv. III IAI				
	20 1	Hav & equiv in IAF Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF		0 PM 0 PM	<u> </u>				
10	High Altitude Allowance Cat-II	Lt Col & above & equiv Major & equiv		0 PM 0 PM	Officers JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF	R3H1		0 PM 0 PM	
		Captain & equiv Lt & equiv JCO & equiv in IAF	240	0 PM 0 PM 0 PM					
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11	High Altitude	Officers	16800 PM	Officers	R1H1		25000 PM	ħ.,	
	Allowance Cat-III	JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF	11200 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF			17300 PM		
12	Highly Active Field Area Allowance	Lt Col & above & equiv	12600 PM	Officers	R1H2		16900 PM	g (4 ¹ 4)	
		Major & equiv	11640 PM	JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF			9700 PM		
		Captain & equiv	10650 PM						
		Lt & equiv	10170 PM						
		JCO & equiv in IAF	8730 PM	N.					
		Hav & equiv in IAF	5820 PM						
		Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	4860 PM		į.				
13	Hydrographic Survey Allowance (for non-surveyors)	Non-Surveyor officers serving onboard ships	600 PM	Non-Surveyor officers serving onboard ships	R3H3	*	1200 PM	W S.	
		Non-Survey Sailors serving onboard ships	150 PM	Non-Survey Sailors serving onboard ships			1000 PM		

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14	Hydrographic Survey Allowance	Naval Officers		Naval Officers	R3H2	Transition of the second of	3400 PM		
	(except non- surveyors)	Surveyor Class-IV	1200	Sailors			2700 PM		
		Surveyor Class-III	1500		6		127	3 a %	
		Surveyor Class-II	1800		1 2 ,			100	
		Surveyor Class-I	2100						
		Sailor							
		Surveyor Recorder-III	300						
		Surveyor Recorder-II	450						
		Surveyor Recorder-I (PO & Below)	600						
		Surveyor Recorder-I (CPO & above)	750						
15	Modified Field Area Allowance	Lt Col & above & equiv	3000	Officers	- 8	4	6300 PM		The rate is 60% of the Field Area Allowance i.e.
		Major & equiv	2790	JCOs/ORs & equiv. in IAF			3600 PM		60% of cell R2H2.
		Captain & equiv	2580					200	
		Lt & equiv	2400				*		
		JCO & equiv in IAF	1800						
		Hav & equiv in IAF	1380						
		Nk/Sep & equiv in IAF	1200						



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16	MARCOS and Chariot Allowance	Capt 3 yrs in rank and above	15750 PM	Naval Officers	R1H1		25000 PM		
		Lt Cdr /Cdr/Capt less than 3 yrs in rank	21000 PM	Sailors			17300 PM		
		Lieutenant	16500 PM						
		Sub Lieutenant	13500 PM						
		MCPO II/I	12600 PM			2			
		CPO & Below	10500 PM						
17	Para Allowance	Officers	1800 PM	Officers	R2H2		10500 PM		
		JCOs & below	1200 PM	JCOs/ORs & below		, , , ,	6000 PM		
18	Para Reserve Allowance	Officers	450 PM	Officers	- 1	A. A.	2625 PM		Para Reserve Allowance will be one-fourth of the
		JCOs & below	300 PM	JCOs/ORs & below			1500 PM	2	rate of Para Allowance
19	Para Jump	Officers	3600 PM	Officers	R2H2		10500 PM		
	Instructor Allowance	JCOs & below	2700 PM	JCOs/ORs & below	,		6000 PM		
20	Project Allowance	All Personnel							
		For post in the Grade Pay Rs.5400 & above	2250	Officers	R3H2		3400 PM		
		For post in the Grade Pay of less than Rs.5400	1500	JCOs/ORs & equiv.			2700 PM		

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		Existing			After 7th	CPC Recomme	ndation
21	Sea Going	All Naval Personnel				* 2	As this allowance is
	Allowance	Cdr & Above	7800 PM	Officers	R2H2	10500 PM	granted on pro-rata
		Lt Cdr	7200 PM	Sailors	w	6000 PM	basis, the existing
		Lt	6600 PM	~ ~ ~			condition that the sea
		Sub Lieutenant	6300 PM			, ,	vessels should be
		MCPO I, II, & CPO	5400 PM	-		*	deployed for a minimum
		PO	3600 PM			×	of 12 hrs. a day, is
		Ldg Seaman & Below	3000 PM				reduced to 4 hrs/. a day.
					* RH-MAX	42500 PM	
22	Siachen Allowance	Officers	21000 PM	Officers		12500114	
		JCOs/ORs and equivalent	14000 PM	JCOs/ORs & equivalent	1. y 3.5	30000 PM	
23	Special Forces	Lieutenant & equiv	13500 PM	Officers	R1H1	25000 PM	
	Allowance	Captain & equiv	16500 PM	JCOs/ORs &		17300 PM	
		Maj to Col & equiv	21000 PM	equivalent	44		
		Brig & above & equiv	15750 PM	-7.	*		
		JCOs & equiv	12600 PM	1			
		Hav & below & equiv	10500 PM				
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24	Submarine Allowance	Capt 3 yrs in rank and above	15750 PM	Naval Officers	R1H1	25000 PM	
		Lt Cdr /Cdr/Capt less than 3 yrs in rank	21000 PM	Sailors		17300 PM	
		Lieutenant	16500 PM				
		Sub Lieutenant	13500 PM				
		MCPO II/I	12600 PM				
		CPO & Below	10500 PM		*		
25	Submarine Duty Allowance	Naval Officer (other than qualified submariners)	135 per day	Naval Officers (other than qualified submariners)	R3H1	5300 PM	Submarine Dute Allowance will be payable on pro-rata basis.
		Sailors	45 per day	Sailors		4100 PM	
26	Submarine Technical Allowance	Naval Artificers & Mechanicians	300 PM	Naval Artificers / Mechanici- ans	R3H3	1000 PM	Submarine Technica Allowance is extended to Master Chief Artificien /Mechanicians
27	Test Pilot & Flight Test Engineer Allowance	Test Pilot Flight Test Engineer	3000 PM 1500 PM	Test Pilot Flight Test Engineer	R1H3	5300 PM 4100 PM	

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	s s	Existing	,		After 7th CPC Recom	mendation
SI No.	Allowance	To whom granted	Existing Rates (In Rs.)	To whom granted	Rates after VII CPC (in Rs.)	Remarks
1.	Aeronautical Allowance	Aircraft Technicians of all three Services	300 p.m.	Aircraft Technicians of all three Services	450 p.m.	
2.	Air Worthiness Certificate Allowance	Aviation trade PBORs with Service of two to Ten Years	225 p.m	Aviation trade PBORs with Service of two to Ten Years	338 p.m.	
		Aviation trade PBORs with Service of more than Ten Years	450 p.m.	Aviation trade PBORs with Service of more than Ten Years	675 p.m.	V.
3.	Classification Allowance	Havildar & equivalent & below rank	Grp X Y Cl 4 - 100 to 3 pm Cl 3 120 100 to 2 pm pm Cl 2 120 100 to 1 pm pm	Havildar & equivalent & below rank	Grp X Y Cl 4 - 150 to 3 pm Cl 3 180 150 to 2 pm Pm Cl 2 180 150 to 1 pm pm	

		Existing			After 7 th CPC Recom	mendation
4	Composite Personal Maintenance Allowance(CPMA)	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Allowance Rate (RS. p.m.) Hair Cutting Allowance 30 Washing Allowance 90 Rum Allowance 45 Soap Toilet Allowance 30 Clothing Maintenance 30 Allowance Total 225	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Allowance Rate (RS. p.m.) Hair Cutting 45 Allowance * Allowance Soap Toilet 45 Allowance Total 90	Washing Allowance and Clothing Maintenance Allowance have been subsumed in the Dress Allowance for JCOs/ORs. *For Rum Allowance, see Serial no. 19.
5.	Deputation (Duty) Allowance	Officers JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Defence forces personnel be given an option to draw either (a) 50% of Deputation duty Allowance applicable to civilians officers along with service concessions Or (b) draw 100% of Deputation allowance but foregothe service concessions.	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Defence forces personnel be given an option to draw either (a) 50% of Deputation duty allowance applicable to civilians officers along with service concessions or (b) draw 100% of Deputation allowance but forego the service concessions subject to following ceiling:-(i) Rs.4,500 p.m. for deputation within the same station. and (ii) Rs.9,000 p.m. for deputation involving change of station.	V

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		Existing	9			After 7 th CPC Recom	nmendation
60	Diving Allowance	All Naval Personnel	Diving Officers Ships Diving Officer Clearance Diver Class I Clearance Diver Class II Clearance Diver Class III	1200 600 900 780 660 600	All Naval Personnel	Clearance/Deep Diving Officers Ships Diving 900 Officer Clearance Diver 1350 Class I Clearance Diver 1170 Class II Clearance Diver 990 Class III Ships Diver 900	This allowance is also applicable to IAF and Army personnel on pro-rata basis as and when they are involved in such duties
7.	Dip Money	All Naval Personnel	Depth-fathoms Rate Per Minute (in Rs.) Up to 20 1.80 20 to 30 2.70 30 to 40 3.60 40 to 50 5.40 50 to 60 7.20 60 to 75 10.20 75 to 100 11.40		All Naval Personnel	Depth-fathoms Minute (in Rs.) Up to 20 2.70 20 to 30 4.05 30 to 40 5.40 40 to 50 8.10 50 to 60 10.80 60 to 75 15.30 75 to 100 17.10	This allowance is also applicable to IAF and Army personnel on pro-rata basis as and when they are involved in such duties
8.	Diving Attendant Allowance	All Naval Personnel	1/5 th to Dip Money		All Naval Personnel	1/5 th to Dip Money	This allowance is also applicable to IAF and Army personnel on pro-rata basis as and when they are involved in such duties
9.	Funeral Expense (erstwhile Funeral Allowance)	Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	6000		Officers/JCOs/ ORs and equivalent	9000	



	Existing					Áfter	7 th CPC	Recon	nmendation	
1	Good Service/Good Conduct/Badge Allowance (erstwhile Good Service/Good Conduct/Badge Pay)	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	First Badge Second Badge Third Badge	Army 64 pm 128 pm 192 pm	Navy & IAF 80 pm 160 pm 240 pm	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	First Badge Second Badge Third Badge	Army 144 288 432	Navy & IAF 180 360 540	
11.	Hard Area Allowance	Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	25% of Bas	sic Pay		Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	20% of	Basic F	Pay	

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Existing			After 7 th CPC Reco	mmendation
Island Special Duty Allowance Officers/JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Areas around the Capital Towns (Port Blair, Kavaratti & Agatti Difficult Areas - North & Middle Andaman, South Andaman Excluding Port Blair, Entire Lakshadweep Except Kavaratti, Agatti & Minicoy More Difficult Areas - 20 % More Difficult Areas - 25 % - Little Andaman, Nicobar group of Islands, Narcondum Islands, East Islands and Minicoy	of JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Area Rate as % of BP Areas around the Capital Towns (Port Blair, Kavaratti & Agatti Difficult Areas—North & Middle Andaman, South Andaman Excluding Port Blair, Entire Lakshadweep Except Kavaratti, Agatti & Minicoy More Difficult 20% Areas— Little Andaman, Nicobar group of Islands, Narcondum Islands, East Islands and Minicoy	ISDA to be rationalized by a factor of 0.8 and to be paid @ 10%, 16% and 20% of Basic Pay respectively.

		Existing	9		After 7th CPC Recom	mendation
10	Language Allowance	Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Language Allowance Category Language Allowance (PM) I 1350 II 1126 III 900	Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Language Allowance Category Language Allowance (PM) I 2025 II 1689 III 1350	
14.	Language Award	Officers/ JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Award for passing Diploma Part-II with 65% & above marks Category Sponsored Non-Sponsored Candidate I 4500 6750 II 3150 4500 III 2250 3150 Award for Passing Interpretership Exam with 70% & above Category Sponsored Non-Sponsored Candidate I 9000 13500 II 6750 9000 III 4500 6750	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Award for passing Diploma Part-II with 65% & above marks Cat Sponsored Non- Candidate I 6750 10125 II 4725 6750 III 3375 4725 Award for Passing Exam with 70% & above Cat Sponsored Non- Candidate I 13500 20250 II 10125 13500 III 6750 10125	
15.	Post Graduate Allowance	Officers	Post Graduate Degree Holders 1500 PM Post Graduate Diploma 900 PM Holders		Post Graduate Degree Holders Post Graduate Post Graduate Diploma Holders 2250 PM 1350 PM	Payable only when not eligible for specialist allowance

		Existing			After 7 th CPC Recom	mendation
16	Qualification Allowance	Category 'A' (ATC/FC)	2400	Category 'A' (ATC/FC)	3600	-
		Category 'B' (ATC/FC)	1800	Category 'B' (ATC/FC)	2700	
		Master Aviation Instructor	750	Master Aviation Instructor	1125	
		Senior Aviation Instructor Class-I	600	Senior Aviation Instructor Class-I	900	
	·	Senior Aviation Instructor – Class –II	420	Senior Aviation Instructor –Class –II	630	
		Aviators holding Master Green Card	600	Aviators holding Master Green Card	900	
		Aviators holding Green Card	420	Aviators holding Green Card	630	
17.	Reward for Meritorious Service	Annuity for Meritorious Service Medal for JCOs & equivalent Gratuity for Long Service & Good Conduct Medal	400 p.a. 400 (One Time)	Annuity for Meritorious Service Medal for JCOs & equivalent Gratuity for Long Service & Good Conduct Medal	900 p.a. 900 (One Time)	
18.	Specialist Allowance	Specialist Medical Officers	Graded specialist 2400 pm Classified specialist 3000 pm Consultant / 3600 pm Advisor /Professor	Specialist Medical Officers	Graded 3600 pm specialist Classified 4500 pm specialist Consultant / 5400 pm Advisor /Professor	

	10	Existing			After 7 th CPC Recom	mendation
19.	Rum Allowance	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Area Rate Peace 45 pm Field Area Below 3000 ft 105 pm Field Area 3000-4999 ft 150 pm Field Area 5000-8999 ft 165 pm Field Area 9000 & above 240 pm	JCOs/ORs and equivalent	Area Rate Peace 68 pm Field Area 158 pm Below 3000 ft Field Area 225 pm 3000-4999 ft Field Area 248 pm 5000-8999 ft Field Area 9000 360 pm & above	
20.	Technical Allowance	Technical Officers	Tier I 3000 Tier II 4500	Technical Officers	Tier I 3000 Tier II 4500	Existing system of Technical allowance (Tier-I and Tier-II) to continue at Rs. 3000/- per month and Rs. 4500 per month upto 31.03.2018. Courses of Technical Allowance (Tier I & Tier-II) along with Qualification Grant(Higher Qualification Incentive) to be reviewed by Associating Experts, outside professionals and Academicians in order to keep pace with changing Defence requirements. Review of Courses to be completed before 31.12.2017. Technical Allowance (Tier-II) to continue beyond 31.03.2018 only after review of courses.
21.	Unit & Charge Certificate Allowance	Artificers and Mechanicians	Unit Charge Certificate Certificate Lower 225 450 Rate Higher Rate 450 675 Special Rate - 810	Artificers and Mechanicians	Unit Charge Certificat e e Lower 338 675 Rate Higher 675 1013 Rate Special - 1215 Rate	

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Risk and Hardship Matrix

RH-M		HARDSHIP				
Level>=9:Rs. 42500 pm						
Level<=8:Rs.	30000 pm	High Medium		Low		
	High	R1H1 Level>=9:Rs. 25000 pm Level<=8:Rs. 17300 pm	R1H2 Level>=9:Rs. 16900 pm Level<=8:Rs. 9700 pm	R1H3 Level>=9:Rs. 5300 pm Level<=8:Rs. 4100 pm		
RISK	Medium	R2H1 Level>=9:Rs. 16900 pm Level<=8:Rs. 9700 pm	R2H2 Level>=9:Rs. 10500 pm Level<=8:Rs. 6000 pm	R2H3 Level>=9:Rs. 3400 pm Level<=8:Rs. 2700 pm		
	Low	R3H1 Level>=9:Rs. 5300 pm Level<=8:Rs. 4100 pm	R3H2 Level>=9:Rs. 3400 pm Level<=8:Rs. 2700 pm	R3H3 Level>=9:Rs. 1200 pm Level<=8:Rs. 1000 pm		

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Appendix 'D'

	ALLOWANCES ABOLISHED						
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SINo	Allowance						
1	Air Despatch Pay						
2	Air Steward Allowance						
3	Official Hospitality Grant in Defence forces						
4	Special Compensatory (Hill Area) Allowance						
5	Spectacle Allowance						
6	Short Hand Allowance						

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