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Dated: 21.04.2018.

To

All Principal Chief Conservators of Forests  
All Additional Principal Chief Conservators of Forests  
All Chief Conservators of Forests

Sir,

Sub: IFS - Payment of Dearness Allowance to AIS Officers - revised  
rates effective from 01.01.2018 - authorization - reg.

Ref: Letter No. GE-1/D/IAS/DA.Vol.V/014 dated 04.04.2018 of the  
Accountant General (A &E), Kerala.

With reference to the above, a copy of the letter cited above revising the rate of Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government Employees at the rate of 7% w.e.f 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018 is enclosed herewith for necessary action. The Chief Conservators of Forests are requested to circulate the copies of the letter under reference to all IFS Officers working under them.

Yours faithfully,

**For Head of Forest Force, Kerala**

Encl: As above



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OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), KERALA,  
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GE-1/D/IAS/DA.Vol.VI/014

Dated: 04-04-2018

To

The Principal Secretary,  
Finance Department,  
Government Secretariat,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

Sir,

Sub:- Payment of Dearness Allowance to All India Service Officers-  
revised rates effective from 01.01.2018 - authorization-reg.

I am to forward herewith a copy of Office Memorandum. OM No.1/1/2018-E-II(B) dated 15-03-2018 of Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, New Delhi revising the rates of Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees at the rate of 7% w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018 on the revised pay as per Central Pay Revision 2016.

Therefore, it is requested to do the needful in the SPARK and intimate the DDO/Designated authorities to honour the claims on account of Dearness Allowance sanctioned with effect from 01.01.2018 preferred by All India Service Officers (IAS, IPS and IFS) serving in connection with the affairs of the State Government at the rates prescribed in the Office Memorandum dated 15-03-2018. Individual pay slips are not being issued in view of Note (2) below article 165 of KTC Vol.I. Dearness allowance sanctioned under these orders **HoFF** will be paid in cash.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

Sr.Accounts Officer

GE-1/D/IAS/DA.Vol.IV/  
Copy forwarded to:-

Dt. -04-2018

1)The Chief Secretary to Government, General Administration (Spl.A) Department, Government Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram. It is requested to resort 'SPARK' for further action. Further all District Collectors may be intimated to resort 'SPARK' enabling them to disburse the D.A. of AIS officers under their purview.

2)The Director General of Police, Police Head Quarters, Thiruvananthapuram. It is requested to resort 'SPARK' for further action

3)The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Vazhuthacaud, Thiruvananthapuram. It is requested to resort 'SPARK' for further action

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No. 1/1/2018-E-II (B)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
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North Block, New Delhi  
Dated the 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees - Revised Rates effective from 1.1.2018.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's Office Memorandum No. 1/9/2017-E-II (B) dated 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 5% to 7% of the basic pay with effect from **1<sup>st</sup> January, 2018**.

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

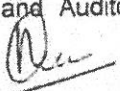
3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of FR 9(21).

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. The payment of arrears of Dearness Allowance shall not be made before the date of disbursement of salary of March, 2018.

6. 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.

7. In so far as the employees working in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued with the concurrence of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

  
( Nirmala Dev)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India (as per standard distribution list).

Copy to: C&AG, UPSC, etc. as per standard endorsement list.

