GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (PAY RESEARCH UNIT) DEPARTMENT DISPUR: GUWAHATI

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ASSAM NOTIFICATION

Dated Dispur, the 12th December. 2022 eCF No.226991/481: In pursuance of order dated 27.07.2022 passed by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) No.643/2015 (All India Judges' Association -Vs- Union of India & Others) and in exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Assam is pleased to extend the benefit of revised pay scales as recommended by Second National Judicial Pay Commission (SNJPC) to the Officers of Subordinate Judiciary of the State of Assam with effect from 01.01.2016 as below:-

1. REVISED PAY STRUCTURE OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS.

SI. No	Cadre/ Posts	Existing Pay Scale (Rs.)	Revised Pay Scale (Rs.)					
1.	Civil Judge (Jr. Division) (Entry Level) J-1.	27700-770- 33090-920- 40450-1080-44770/-	77840 -136520					
2.	Civil Judge (Jr. Division) (ACP-I) J-2.	33090-920-40450-1080- 45850/-	92960 - 136520					
3.	Civil Judge (Jr. Division) (ACP-II) J-3.	39530-920-40450-49090- 1230-54010/-	111000 - 163030					
4.	Civil Judge (Sr. Division) (Entry Level) J-3.	39530-920-40450-49090- 1230-54010	111000 - 163030					
5.	Civil Judge (Sr. Division) (ACP-I) J-4.	43690-1080-49040-1230- 56470/-	122700 - 180200					
6.	Civil Judge (Sr. Division) (ACP-II) J-5.	51550-1230-58930-1380- 63070/-	144840 - 194660					
7.	District Judge (Entry Level) J-5.	51550-1230-58930-1380- 63070/-	144840 - 194660					
8.	District Judge (Selection Grade) J-6.	57700-1230-47930-1380- 67210-1540-70290/-	163030 - 219090					
9.	District Judge (Super Time Scale) J-7.	70290-1540-76450/-	199100 - 224100					

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2. MULTIPLIER FACTOR.

(a) The initial pay for each rank of officer from J-1 to J-5 shall be 2.81 times the existing entry pay of each rank.

(b) For J-6 and J-7 the increase shall be in the same proportion as that of High Court Judges.

3. EFFECT OF REVISED PAY.

The benefit of revised pay as per SJNC shall be effective from 01.01.2016.

4. PAY FIXATION FORMULA.

For fixation of pay in the revised pay scale the fitment table given below shall be applicable.

TABLE-I

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No.	Judge	Judge	Judge (Jr. Div) II	(Sr. Div) 1	Stage ACP/	(Selecti	(Super	
	(Jr. Div)	(Jr. Div)	Stage ACP /	Stage	District	on	Time	
	Entry Level	1 Stage ACP	Civil Judge	ACP	Judges	Grade)	Scale)	
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			Entry Level		Level)			
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Existing			43690 –	51550 -	57700	76450		
Pay scale	44700	45850	54010	56470	63070	-	76430	
						70290	70290	
Existing	27700	33090	39530	43690	51550	5770	70290	
Entry	-	×.						
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LEVEL	J-1	J-2	J-3	J-4	J-5	J-6	J-7	
Year 1	77840	92960	111000	122700	144840	163030	199100	
Year 2	80180	95750	114330	126380	149190	167920	205070	
Year 3	82590	98620	117760	130170	153670	172960	211220	
Year 4	85070	101580	121290	134080	158280	178150	217560	
Year 5	87620	104630	124930	138100	163030	183490	224100	
Year 6	90250	107770	128680	142240	167920	188990		
Year 7	9296.0.	1.11000	132540	146510	172960	194660		
Year 8	95750	1.14330	13,6520	150910	178150	200500		
Year 9	98620	117760	140620	155440	183490	206510		
Year 10	101580	121290	144840	160100	188990	212710	ļ	
Year 11	104630	124930	149190	164900	194660	219090		
Year 12	107770	128680	153670	169850				
Year 13	111000	132540	158280	174950				
Year 14	114330	136520	163030	180200				
Year 15	117760							
Year 16	121290	J-1000042000				-		
Year 17	124930							
Year 18	128680			344		-	-	
Year 19	132540	,						
Year 20	136520						1,	

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5. DEARNESS ALLOWANCE:

Dearness Allowance applicable to the State Government employees will be applicable to the judicial officers as well.

6. EXERCISE OF OPTION.

- (a) A Judicial Officer who wishes to retain the existing pay structure, until the date on which he earns his next or any subsequent increment(s) in the existing pay structure, may exercise option in the form at Appendix-I and submit to the Accountant General, Assam within 60 days from the date of issue of this Notification.
- (b) A Judicial Officer who does not want to retain the existing scale of pay may indicate his willingness to come over to the revised pay structure to the Accountant General, Assam in the form at Appendix-II so that the drawal of pay in the revised pay structure may not be delayed till the expiry of the stipulated period of 60 days as referred at Sub-para (a).
- (c) It should be noted that mere exercise of an option within the specified time limit by an officer is not sufficient. It will be his responsibility to ensure that his option paper reaches the authority.
- (d) The option once exercised is final and in no circumstances, it can be modified on any subsequent date.

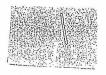
7. INTERIM REFILEF ALREADY PAID.

The State Govt. in Finance Department has aiready allowed

- (a) Dearness Allowances (DA) @ 131 w.e.f. 01.01.2016, @ 133% w.e.f. 01.07.2016 and @ 135% w.e.f. 01.01.2017.
- (b) (i) Merger of 50% of Dearness Allowance as on 31.10.2017 with the existing Basic Pay as Interim Relief.
 - (ii) DA as IR at the rate of 13% w.e.f. 01.07.2019 and enhanced DA as IR at the rate as allowed to State Govt employees thereafter from time to time till date.

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8. PAYMENT OF ARREAR.

The arrears, after adjustment of the interim relieves already paid as mentioned at "7" above, shall be paid, on production of an undertakings in the Form Appended at **Appendix-III** to these rules by the Judicial Officers, in the following manner:

- (a) 25% in cash within a period of 3 months.
- (b) Another 25% to be paid in cash within 3 months thereafter; and
- (c) The balance 50% has to be paid on or before the end of June, 2023.

9. INTERPRETATION.

If any question arises relating to the interpretation of any provisions in this Notification, it shall be referred to the Government of Assam in Finance (PRU) Department, whose decision thereon shall be final.

By order and in the name of Governor of Assam

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Finance (PRU) Department.

Memo eCF No.226991/481-A.

Dated Dispur, the 12th December. 2022.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

- 1. The Accountant General (A & E), Assam, Maidamgaon, Beltola, Ghy-29.
- 2. PS to Principal Secretary to the Govt of Assam, Finance Department.
- 3. The L.R. & Secy. to the govt. of Assam, Judicial Department.
- 4. Registrar, Gauhati High Court, Guwahati-1.
- 5. The Asstt. Registrar, Supreme Courtefelndia, New Delhi.
- 6. Sri. Shuvodeep Roy, Advocate, Standing, Counsel for State of Assam Supreme Court of India
- 7. All Treasury Officer/ Sub-Treasury Officers.
- 8. Director, Printing & Stationary, Bamunimaidam.
- 9. Content Manager, Finance (PRU) Department.

By order etc.

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Finance (Pay Research Unit) Department.



APPENDIX-I [See Para -6(a)]

MODEL FORM FOR OPTION TO RETAIN THE EXISTING SCALE OF PAY

the office/ department of	ementent increment(s) raising my pay to Rs pay in the existing scale. is that ofin the Office/ department
3. The option hereby exercised subsequent date.	is final and shall not be modified at any
Date Station	Signature Name in full Designation Office/Department
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	Receiving Officer Designation





APPENDIX-II [See Para 6 (b)]

MODEL FORM FOR OPTION TO COME OVER THE REVISED PAY STRUCTURE

1. J	holding the post ofir
the office ofdo h	ereby, elect to come under the revised pay
structure with effect from 01.04.2016.	
2. The declaration hereby given and	d will not modified at any subsequent date.
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Date	Signature
Station	Name in full
	Designation
	Office/Department
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Date	Receiving Officer
	Designation

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APPENDIX-III (See Para 8).

FORM OF UNDERTAKING

I hereby undertake that any excess payment that may be found to have been
made as a result of incorrect fixation of pay or any excess payment detected in the
light of discrepancies noticed subsequently will be refunded by me to the Government
by adjustment against future payment including Death -cum-Retirement -Gratuity due
to me or otherwise.

Place	 				•		•	*		•			•	
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Signature
Name of Judicial Officer
Designation.

Office in which Employed signed before.

Signature: Name of the Officer: Designation: