## Government of West Bengal School Education Department, Law Branch Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700 091

No. 795-SE (Law)/ES/O/PEN/1M/35/2011

Dated, Kolkata, the 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2011.

## <u>Memorandum</u>

Sub: Payment of additional quantum of Family pension in terms of sub-para (ii) of Para B of GO. No. 74-SE(B)/1M-4/2009 dated 19.05.2009.

The undersigned is directed to state that in terms of sub-para (ii) of para B of G.O. No. 74-SE (B)/1M-4/2009 dated 19.05.2009, the additional quantum of family pension is admissible to the old family pensioners aged 80 years and/or above as on 01.04.2008.

2. But it has now been brought to the notice of the State Government in School Education Department that such quantum of additional family pension cannot be sanctioned to a number of such aged family pensioners for their failure to produce valid age proof certificates.

3. Considering the difficulty in producing valid age proof certificate, the Governor has now been pleased to decide that the following documents would be accepted as a proof of date of birth/age for payment of additional quantum of family pension on completion of 80 years and above :-

a) Certificate of the School Final Examination or equivalent Examination.

b) Certificate from any doctor belonging to West Bengal Health Services (WBHS).

c) Voters' Identity Card issued by the Election Commission of India.

d) PAN Card issued by the Department of Income Tax, Government of India.

4. This issues in consultation with the Finance Department, Government of West Bengal at note sheet page no. 5 of this Department's File No. ES/0/PEN/1M/35/2011.

By order of the Governor,

Sd/- Jt. Secy. to the Government of West Bengal

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