

Government of West Bengal
Finance Department
Audit Branch

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Memorandum

The question of revision of scales of pay of Pharmacists - Grade-III and Grade-I under Health and Family Welfare Department, Government of West Bengal has been under consideration of the Government for sometime past.

2. After careful consideration, the Governor has been pleased to revise the pay scales of the above mentioned pharmacists as stated below:

Name of the Post	Scale of Pay as per Ropa '90	Scale of Pay as per revised
Pharmacist Grade-III	Rs. 1200 - 2,360/- (Scale No. 8)	Rs. 4000 - 8,850/- (Scale No. 9)
Pharmacist Grade-I	Rs. 1420 - 3,130/- (Scale No. 11)	Rs. 4500 - 10,925/- (Scale No. 12)

3. There would be no change in the pay scale of Pharmacist Grade - II.

4. The revised pay scale shall take effect from 01.01.1996 notionally and actual effect will be given from 01.01.2008.

5. The employees holding the posts of different Grades of Pharmacist may exercise fresh option under the W.B.S. (ROPA) Rules, 1998 within 90 days from the date of issue of this Memorandum.

6. The rules of initial fixation of pay in the revised pay scales and all other conditions laid down in the W.B.S. (ROPA) Rules, 1998 excepting the date of actual effect shall apply, mutatis-mutandis.

7. The Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal and Principal Accountant General (Audit), West Bengal may be informed accordingly.

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