

**Government of West Bengal**  
**Finance Department**  
**Audit Branch**  
**Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 91**

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*Sub: Extension of scope of family pension to Un-married daughters of Teachers and Non-Teaching Employees/Pensioners of Non- Govt. Aided Educational Institutions, West Bengal under West Bengal Recognised Non-Government Educational Institution Employees (DCRB) Scheme, 1981.*

As per existing provisions of (DCRB) Scheme, 1981 read with Memo No. 136-SE(B) dated 15.05.85 un-married daughters of the deceased employees/pensioners under West Bengal Recognized Non-Government Educational Institution Employees DCRB Scheme, 1981 are eligible for grant of family pension till they attain the age of 25 years or upto the date of their marriage whichever is earlier. In terms of GO. No. 325-SE(B)/1M-43/2003 dated 05.09.2005 if the son or daughter of a teaching/non- teaching employee/pensioner is suffering from any disorder or disability of mind or is physically crippled or disabled so as to render him or her unable to earn by any means after attaining the age of 25 years, family pension shall be payable to such son or daughter for life subject to some conditions. Orders were also issued vide this office Memo No. 39-SE(B)/1M-19/07 dated 10.01.2008 regarding eligibility of widowed/divorced daughters of employees/pensioners of Recognized of Non-Government Educational Institution for family pension till their remarriage/death subject to conditions mentioned therein. Now a proposal has been raised to extend the scope of family pension to unmarried daughters of such employees/ pensioners even after attaining the age of 25 years at par with the widowed/divorced daughters.

After careful consideration of the matter the Governor has been pleased to decide that the benefit of family pension shall be extended to the un-married daughters of Non-Government Aided Educational Institutions employees/pensioners under West Bengal Recognized Non-Government Educational Institution Employees DCRB Scheme, 1981 even after attaining the age of 25 years till their marriage or death 'subject to the condition that the incumbent has monthly income less than Rs. 3,500/ - from any employment in Government, Semi Government, Statutory bodies, Corporation, Private Sector, Self-employment etc. Salary /Income Certificate may be obtained from the employer in case when the incumbent is under the employment in Government/ Semi Government/ Corporation/private Sector etc. In case they are self- employed or are in receipt of income from sources other than employment, any Central Government Officer/State Government Officer belonging to Group 'A' service shall be the competent authority to issue such income certificate.

Formal amendment to the relevant Scheme will be made in due course. This benefit will be effective from the date of issue of this Memorandum.

The order is issued with the concurrence of the Finance Department, Pension Branch U.O. No. 200-F (Pen.) dated 12.04.2010.

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Joint Secretary