

**Government of West Bengal  
Panchayats & Rural Development Department  
Jessop Building (1<sup>st</sup> Floor),  
63, N. S. Road, Kolkata – 700 001**

No. 1023 /PN/P/II/3F-9/2006(Pt.II).

Dated, the 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2013.

**ORDER**

Government of India have since increased the rate of pension from Rs.200/- to Rs.300/- per month under IGNWPS and IGNDPS with effect from 01.10.2012 as well as increased the grant from Rs.10,000/- to Rs.20,000/- under NFBS with effect from 18.10.2012, vide No.J-11015/1/2012-NSAP dated 08.11.2012 of Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India.

Now the Governor has been pleased to accord approval towards payment of pension under IGNWPS and IGNDPS and grant under NFBS at revised rates and under revised norms as follows :-

Sl. No.	Schemes	Revised Eligibility Criteria	Revised Rate of Assistance	Date of Effect
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	IGNWPS	BPL Widows in age group 40-79 years or above	Rs.500/- p.m.	01.10.2012
2	IGNDPS	BPL persons with severe or multiple disabilities in age group 18-79 years	Rs.500/- p.m.	01.10.2012
3	IGNOAPS	(i) BPL persons of age 60-79 years (excluding BPL widows and BPL persons with severe or multiple disabilities	Rs.400/- p.m.	01.10.2012
		(ii) BPL persons of 80 years or above	Rs.700/- p.m.	01.10.2012
4	NFBS	The death of a "primary bread winner" (male or female) of a BPL household should have occurred while he or she is in the age group of 18 to 59 years, i.e more than 18 years of age and less than 60 years of age	Rs.20,000/-	18.10.2012

The other provisions will remain the same as were mentioned in the earlier guidelines .

Sd/-  
(S. Das)  
Principal Secretary to the  
Government of West Bengal

No. 1023 /I( 18 )/PN/P/II/3F-9/2006(Pt.II).

Dated, the 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2013.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to :-

- 1) The Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kolkata – 700 001.
- 2) The Principal Accountant General (Audit), West Bengal, Treasury Building, Kolkata – 700 001.
- 3) The Accountant General (Local Bodies Audit), West Bengal, C.G.O. Complex, M.S.O. Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, DF Block, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 064.
- 4) The Finance (Budget) Department of this Government.

(Contd. )

- 5) The Finance Department, Group-R, Writers' Buildings, Kolkata – 700 001.
- 6) The Examiner of Local Accounts, C.G.O. Complex, M.S.O. Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, DF Block, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 064.
- 7) The Finance (Internal Audit) Department, Todi Mansion, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, P-15, India Exchange Plan Extension, Kolkata – 700 001.
- 8) The Commissioner, Panchayats & Rural Development, West Bengal, Kolkata.
- 9) The Director, SUDA, ILGUS BHAVAN, SALT LAKE, KOLKATA.
- 10) The Principal Secretary, Gorkhaland Territorial Administration (GTA), Darjeeling.
- 11) The Executive Director, GTA, Darjeeling.
- 12) The District Magistrate, \_\_\_\_\_ (all).
- 13) The Additional Executive Officer, \_\_\_\_\_ ZP/MP (all).
- 14) The Sabhadhipati, \_\_\_\_\_ Z.P. (all).
- 15) The Sabhapati, \_\_\_\_\_ Panchayat Samity (all).
- 16) The Block Development Officer, \_\_\_\_\_ (all).
- 17) The Mayor / Chairperson, \_\_\_\_\_ Municipal Corporation / Municipality (all).
- 18) Guard file / Budget Cell / Audit & Accounts Cell / MIS Cell of this Department.

  
(H. Dutta)

O.S.D. & Ex-Officio Deputy Secretary  
to the Government of West Bengal.

No. 1023 /2( 1 )/PN/P/II/3F-9/2006(Pt.II).

Dated, the 12th March, 2013.

Copy forwarded to the District Panchayats & R. D. Officer

\_\_\_\_\_ (all)

(He is requested to send copy to all the Sabhapti, Panchaya Samity, Block Development Officers and to all the Municipalities / Municipal Corporation(s) in his district. Sufficient nos. of copies are sent herewith)

  
(H. Dutta)

O.S.D. & Ex-Officio Deputy Secretary  
to the Government of West Bengal.