

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

Finance (Pension) Department

Letter No. 69332/Pension/93-2, Dated : 16-8-1993

Sub: Pensionary benefit - Payment of pensionary benefits to the Government Servants who are permitted to retire without prejudice to the disciplinary proceedings pending against them - Instructions issued.

Ref: 1. G.O. Ms. No. 728, Finance (Pension) dated 17.8.87.
2. From the Deputy Accountant General (Pension) Madras, D.O. No. AG (A&E) PMI/III/OR 76/93-94/184, dated 15.7.1993.

According to Rules 65, Tamil Nadu Pension rules 1978 if after the pension papers have been forwarded to the Accountant General (Accounts & entitlements) any event occurs which has a bearing on the amount of pension admissible. The fact shall be promptly reported to the Accountant General (Accounts & Entitlements) by the Pension Sanctioning authority. Further as per the orders issued in the G.O. first cited, the Head of Office/Head of the Department concerned should send 'No Disciplinary Case Certificate' to the Accountant General one month before retirement. If there is any disciplinary case pending against the employee, it should also be intimated to the Accountant General one month before retirement.

2. It has been brought to the notice of the Government by the Accountant General (Accounts and Entitlements) that in one case disciplinary proceedings were initiated against a Government servant on the date of retirement itself, and he was permitted to retire without prejudice to the disciplinary proceedings pending against him, but the

fact was not intimated to Accountant General's Office and consequently the pension and commutation of pension were paid by the pension disbursing officer before the receipt of communication of stop payment order. To avoid such lapse in future, whenever disciplinary proceedings are initiated or likely to be initiated against Government Servants and in whose cases the pension papers have already been forwarded to the Accountant General the Departmental Officers should inform the Accountant General telegraphically quoting the relevant number and date in which the pension papers have been forwarded to him and also the reference in which the admissibility report/authorisation letter was issued by him. Further, wherever necessary the Liaison Officer of the Department should personally take this fact to the Officer of the Accountant General.

3. I am therefore to request you to communicate the above instructions to all Pension Sanctioning Authorities under your control for strict adherence.

Yours faithfully,
for Special Secretary to Government.