

PROCESSING OF FAMILY/DEPENDENT FAMILY PENSION ON DEMISE OF A SERVICE PENSIONER

1. A number of queries have come up with regard to commencement of Family Pension and documentation. A brief along with the links of important Orders, Advisories and documentation for the pension process is given in the succeeding paragraphs.

2. Action to be taken on Demise of a Pensioner :
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dsQ0GqdFC4NSBEfq3768p4VOoTCt3TH5/view>

3. Commencement of Family Pension when Name is Notified in the PPO: Authority:

GOI Office Memorandum No: 12/4/2020-P&PW(C)-6300 dated 15th May 2020

http://documents.doptcirculars.nic.in/D3/D03ppw/12_04_2020_PPW_C_630_0_15052020zLi3K.pdf

RBI Master Circular (Para10):

https://rbi.org.in/scripts/BS_ViewMasCirculardetails.aspx?id=12059

(a) In case of Joint Account. The Spouse to submit only a copy of Death Certificate. Pension Disbursing Bank will identify the family pensioner based on PPO and its own KYC procedure. The Banks will not insist on opening a new account.

(b) In Case of Single Account. Family pensioner should preferably open an account in the same Bank for speedy commencement of pension.

4. Endorsement of Spouse Name in the PPO :
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cpxdIsuZuwlsNGci1UucoNcdAMJH2Gzc/view>

5. Dependent Family Pension : Documents for Dependent Family Pension, in case of demise of both the parents:
<https://www.indianarmyveterans.gov.in/showfile.php?lid=882>

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6. Rate of Family Pension .

(a) Ordinary Family Pension(OFP) . 30% of Reckonable Emoluments(RE)
(60% of the Service Pension)

(b) OFP at Enhanced Rates. 50% of RE. Admissible for 7 years from the date of death of Service Pensioner or up to the date he would have attained the age of 67 years, whichever is earlier.

<https://pcdapension.nic.in/pcdapension/comm/ofp.htm>