

## **OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL C.D.A. (P), ALLAHABAD**

**CIRCULAR No. 382**

**No. Gts/Tech/0148-IVL  
O/O the PCDA (P),  
Allahabad  
Dated: 11.02.2008**

**To**

**The OI/C, Records/PAO (ORs),**

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**Subject:** Revision of Service Pension consequent upon counting of boys service.

**Reference:** This Office Circular Nos. 303 dated 26.06.2002, 310 dated 19.09.2002, 325 dated 03.09.2004, 342 dated 14.09.2005 and 375 dated 29.10.2007.

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Earlier consequent upon issue of MOD letter No. B/39022/AG/PS-4(A&C)/589/C/D(Pen/Sers) dated 27.03.2002, the benefits of counting of service rendered before attaining the age of 17 years from the date of enrolment as Qualifying Service for purpose of pension and gratuity had been admissible to Army Personnel.

A doubt to MOD was crossed as to whether the benefit of counting of Boys Service as Qualifying Service for the purpose of pension/gratuity would be admissible even if the Qualifying Service plus admissible weightage for respective ranks in PBOR after counting the Boys Service exceeds the maximum terms of engagement/tenure or age prescribed for each PBOR for which the service pension/gratuity is admissible.

MOD(Finance) vide their ID No. 9(3)/2007/D(Fin/Pen) dated 08.01.2008 (copy enclosed) has since clarified that "while counting of boys service rendered before attaining the age of 17 years as Qualifying Service for the purpose of pension/gratuity, it should not exceed the maximum terms of

engagement/tenure or age prescribed for each PBOR and subject to maximum qualifying service after allowing increased weightage as prescribed in MOD letter dated 01.02.2006".

It is, therefore, requested that if qualifying service for respective ranks in PBOR after counting the boys service exceeds the maximum terms of engagement/tenure or age prescribed for each PBOR, no revision beyond maximum terms of engagement/tenure or age prescribed for each PBOR is involved and such cases should not be entertained.

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(R. K. SAROJ)  
Dy. CDA (P)

**Min of Defence (Fin/Pen)**

**Subject:-** Counting of boys service rendered before attaining the age of 17 years as qualifying service for the purpose of pension / gratuity.

**Reference:-**CGDA Uo Note No. 5601 /AT-P/LXXII dated 7.06.2007 on the subject mentioned above.

It is stated that while counting of boys service rendered before attaining the age of 17 years as qualifying service for the purpose of pension/ gratuity, it should not exceed the maximum terms of engagement/ tenure or age prescribed for each PBOR and subject to maximum qualifying service after allowing increased weightage as prescribed in Mod letter dated 1.02.2006.

2. This has the approval of DFA (P).



(I.D. Prasad)  
AFA (P)


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ID NO: 9(3) 2007/Fin/Pen dated :- 12.2007 8/1/08



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