

Circular No. 477

Dated 07.02.2012

To

**The O I/C
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Subject: Payment of Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation to Defence Service Officers and Personnel Below Officer Rank who are invalided out of service on account of Disability attributable to or aggravated by Military Service.

Reference- GOI, MOD Department of Ex-servicemen Welfare letter No. 2(2)/2011/D (Pen/Pol) dated 26th Dec, 2011,
2. GOI, MOD letter No. 20(5)/2009/D (Pay/Ser) New Delhi dated 4th June 2010 (circulated vide Circular No. 438),
3. GOI, MOD letter No. 20(1)/98/D (Pay/Ser) dated 22nd Sep 1998(circulated vide Circular No. 228).

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Consequent on the issue of the GOI, MOD letter No. 2(2)/2011/D (Pen/Pol) dated 26th December 2011 (Copy enclosed). The individual of the Defence Service Personnel who are invalid out from service in the performance of their bonafide official duties shall be entitled to **Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation of Rs. 9 lakhs for 100% disability** under the condition as mentioned in GOI, MOD letter No. 20(1)/98/D (Pay/Ser) dated 22nd Sep 1998 read with letter No. 20(5)/2009/D (Pay/Ser) New Delhi dated 4th June, 2010 and dated 17th August, 2010.

2. The Defence Personnel who are disabled incapacitated in the performance of their bonafide official duties under various circumstances and are boarded out from service on account of Disability/ war injury attributable to or aggravated by Military Service, shall be paid Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation amounting to Rs. 9 lakhs for 100% disability. For disability/ war injury less than 100% but not less than 20%, the amount of Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation shall be proportionately reduced. No Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation shall be payable for disability/ war injury less than 20%. The proportionate compensation would be based on actual percentage of disability as certified by Invaliding Medical Board, without applying broad banding provisions.

3. The order shall apply to all the eligible Defence Service Personnel who are invalided out of service on or after **01.04.2011** i.e. the date from which similar benefits are allowed to personnel of Central Armed police Forces (CAPF).

4. The conditions governing payment of Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation is given under the GOI, MOD letter No. 20(1)/98/D (Pay/Ser) dated 22nd Sep 1998 and the guidelines to be observed have been given in the Annexure attached to the letter dated 22nd Sep 1998 (Circulated vide this office circular No. 228 dated 03.05.1999).

5. In view of the above you are requested to submit all affected cases of Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation which occurred on or after 01.04.2011 to O I/C G-3/Section of this office along with the statement of the case with supporting documents viz detailed statement of the case, special casualty report approved by competent authority, Invaliding Medical Board recommendation, recommendation of a competent authority for Ex-Gratia Lump Sum compensation, a certificate regarding invalidment and percentage of invalidment etc. including sheet roll including inter alia the PPO No. wherein Disability/War Injury Pension have been granted earlier.

Please acknowledge receipt.

**Sd/-
ACDA (P)**

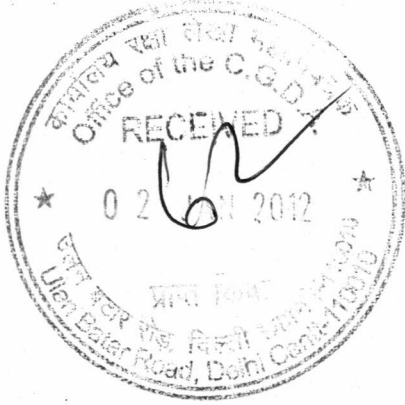
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No. 2(2)/2011/A(Pen/Pol)
Government of India
Ministry of Defence,
Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare

New Delhi
Dated ^{26/12} December, 2011

To
The Chief of the Army Staff
The Chief of the Naval Staff
The Chief of the Air Staff

Subject : Payment of Ex-Gratia lump-sum compensation to Defence Service Officers and Personnel Below Officer Rank who are invalided out of service on account of disability attributable to or aggravated by military service – regarding.

The undersigned is directed to say that families of the Defence Service personnel, who die in performance of their bonafide duties and the Armed Forces personnel who sustain injuries and are disabled or incapacitated on account of causes which are accepted as attributable to or aggravated by military service, are eligible for pensionary benefits under the Casualty Pensionary Awards notified vide this Ministry's letter No. 1(2)/97-D(Pen.C) dated 31.01.2001 read with letter No. 16(6)/2008(2)/D(Pen/Pol) dated 5th May, 2009. Further, in terms of this Ministry's letter No. 20(1)/98/D(Pay/Services) dated 22nd September, 1998 read with letter No. 20(5)/2009/D(Pay/Services) dated 4th June, 2010 and dated 17th August, 2010, families of Defence Service personnel who dies in harness in the performance of their bonafide official duties under various circumstances are eligible for an Ex-gratia lump sum compensation.

2. Considering the hardship being faced by the disabled Defence Service personnel, the question of grant of Ex-gratia lump sum compensation to the Defence Service personnel who are invalided out of service on account of disability attributable to or aggravated by military service, has been under consideration of the Government.

3. The President is pleased to decide that such Defence Service personnel, who are disabled, incapacitated in the performance of their bonafide official duties under various circumstances and are boarded out from service on account of disability / war injury attributable to or aggravated by military service, shall be paid Ex-gratia lump sum compensation amounting to Rs. 9 lakhs for 100% disability. For disability / war injury less than 100% but not less than 20%, the amount of Ex-gratia compensation shall be proportionately reduced. No Ex-gratia compensation shall be payable for disability / war injury less than 20%. The proportionate compensation would be based on actual

percentage of disability as certified by the Invaliding Medical Board, without applying broad banding provisions as contained in Para 7.2 of this Ministry's above mentioned letter dated 31.01.2001.

4. The other terms and conditions for admissibility of Ex-gratia lump sum compensation pertaining to the circumstances, specified in this Ministry's letter No. 20(1)/98/D(Pay/Services), dated 22nd September, 1998 and letter No. 20(5)/2009/D(Pay/Services) dated 4th June, 2010 will be applicable to decide each individual case by the Pension Sanctioning Authorities concerned.

5. The provisions of this letter shall apply to all the eligible Defence Service personnel who are invalided out of service on or after 1.4.2011 i.e., the date from which similar benefits are allowed to the personnel of Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF).

6. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Division of this Ministry vide their UO No. 4143/Fin/Pen/2011, dated 24.10.2011.

Hindi version will follow

Yours faithfully,

M. Narayanan
(Malathi Narayanan)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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