GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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Subject: Extension of date for submission of Life Certificate by Pensioners/ Family Pensioners.

CIRCULAR

In pursuance of rules, the pensioners drawing pension through Treasury/Bank are required to produce life certificate once in a calendar year i.e, by ending November every year which was extended upto 31.12.2020 vide circular dated 26.11.2020 issued under endorsement No. DGAT/Comp-Try/DLC/01/208 dated 26.11.2020. However, it has been brought to the notice of the Finance Department by J&K Bank Ltd as well as pensioners that most of the pensioners have not produced their mandatory Life Certificate by the extended date due to ongoing Covid-19 pandemic and the vulnerability of elderly population to Corona Virus.

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pension Department of Pension and Pensioners Welfare Govt. Of India vide OM dated 23.11.2020 has extended the existing timeline for submission of Life Certificate from $1^{\rm st}$ November, 2020 onward till $28^{\rm th}$ February, 2021. During this extended period, the pension will continue to be paid by the Pension Disbursing Authorities (PDAs) uninterrupted.

In view of above, to avoid rush at Bank /Treasury while maintaining social distance and to facilitate the elderly pensioners to furnish the mandatory Life Certificate to the concerned authority of Bank/Treasury, the date for submission of Life Certificate by the pensioners is hereby extended till 28th of February, 2021. All the pensioners shall, therefore, furnish their Life Certificate to the concerned Bank/Treasury by or before 28th of February, 2021, failing which their pension shall not be disbursed.

Sd/(Mahesh Dass),
Director General,
Accounts & Treasuries,
Finance Department

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- 1. Director Information J&K Jammu. She is requested to give wide publicity to the Circular instructions both through print and electronic media.
- 2. Director, Accounts & Treasuries, Jammu/Kashmir.
- 3. Executive Manager, Government Business Department, J&K Bank Ltd for information and necessary action.
- 4. All Treasury Officers for necessary action.
- 5. I/C Website, GAD/Finance.
- 6. I/C website for uploading the circular on official website of DGAT.
- 7. Master file/Relevant file.

(Anudeep Kour), Chief Accounts Officer, Accounts & Treasuries, Finance Department