

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Rural Development Department – Social Security Pensions (SSP) - Enhancement of the existing pension amount for different categories of pensioners and restoring the name of the scheme as “NTR Bharosa Pension Scheme”– Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (RD.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.43

Dated: 13.06.2024

Read the following:-

1. G.O.RT.No.67, SW (CV.PCR) Dept, dated:06.02.2019.
2. G.O.Ms.No.103, PR & RD (RD.I) Dept., Dated:30.05.2019.
3. G.O.RT.No.551, HM&FW (D2) Dept, dated:26.10.2019.
4. G.O.RT.No.664, HM&FW(D2) Dept, dated:19.12.2019
5. G.O.Ms.No.96, PR & RD (RD.I) Dept., dated:21.12.2023.
6. From the CEO, SERP, A.P., Vijayawada, e_file.No. SERP-17021/32/2024-PROJ MANG-ADMIN-SERP, dated:12.06.2024 (comp. No.2466564).

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ORDER:

Government is committed to the Welfare and development of all segments of the Society. Enhancement of pension amount is a major welfare measure to ameliorate the hardships of the poor and vulnerable sections of the society, particularly the old and infirm, widows, and persons with disability etc., to secure a dignified life.

2. Under the circumstances reported by the Chief Executive Officer, Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP), in the reference 6th read above and as part of implementation of the above welfare measures, the Government, after consideration of the matter, hereby order the following:

- (a) Enhancement of existing pension amount from Rs. 3,000/- month to Rs.4,000/- month for OAP, Widow, Weavers, Toddy Toppers, Fishermen, Single Women, Traditional Cobblers, Transgender, ART(PLHIV), Dappu Artists and pensions to Artists.
- (b) Enhancement of disabled persons pension from Rs. 3,000/- to Rs.6,000/- to all persons with disability and multi deformity Leprosy persons.

- (c) Enhancement of pension to fully disabled persons from Rs. 5,000/- to Rs.15,000/-.
- (d) Enhancement of pension amount from Rs. 5,000/- to Rs. 10,000/- for persons with Chronic diseases viz., Bilateral Elephantiasis-Grade 4, Kidney, liver and heart transplant, CKDU not on Dialysis CKD Serum Creatinine of >5 mg, CKDU Not on Dialysis CKD estimated GFR <15 ml, CKDU Not on Dialysis CKD Small contracted kidney.
- (e) The enhanced pensions mentioned at (a) shall be payable from 1st April, 2024 disbursed from 1st July, 2024 along with 3 months arrears. Thus the amount to be disbursed under this category will be Rs.7000 in the month of July, 2024. Thereafter Rs.4000/- month shall be disbursed every month.
- (f) In respect of (b), (c) & (d) mentioned above, the enhanced pension amount shall be disbursed from 1st July, 2024.
- (g) The name of the Pension scheme shall be restored to "NTR Bharosa Pension Scheme".

3. The enhancement in different categories of pensions as ordered in para (2) above is represented in a tabular form as shown below:

S. No	Category	Present Rate of Pension (Rs.)	Enhanced pension Rate (Rs.)
I. ENHANCEMENT OF PENSION FROM Rs.3000/- TO Rs.4000/-			
1	Old Age Pension	3000	4000
2	Widow	3000	4000
3	Weavers	3000	4000
4	Toddy Tappers	3000	4000
5	Fishermen	3000	4000
6	Single Women	3000	4000
7	Traditional Cobblers	3000	4000
8	Transgender	3000	4000
9	ART(PLHIV)	3000	4000
10	Dappu Artists	3000	4000
11	Pensions to artists	3000	4000
II. ENHANCEMENT OF DISABLED PENSIONS FROM Rs.3000/- TO Rs.6000/-			
12	Disabled	3000	6000
13	Multideformity leprosy	3000	6000
III. FULLY DISABLED PERSONS PENSION Rs.15000/-			

14	Paralysis confining the person to wheel chair or bed	5000	15000
15	Severe muscular dystrophy cases and accident victims	5000	15000
IV. CHRONIC DISEASES LIKE KIDNEY, THALASSEMIA etc			
16	Bilateral Elephantiasis-Grade 4	5000	10000
17	Kidney, liver and heart transplant	5000	10000
18	CKDU Not on Dialysis CKD Serum creatinine of >5mg	5000	10000
19	CKDU Not on Dialysis CKD Estimated GFR <15 ml	5000	10000
20	CKDU Not on Dialysis CKD Small contracted kidney	5000	10000
V. OTHER CATEGORIES			
21	CKDU on Dialysis Private	10000	No Change
22	CKDU on dialysis GOVT	10000	
23	Sickle Cell disease	10000	
24	Thalassemia	10000	
25	Severe Haemophilia (<2% of factor 8 or 9)	10000	
26	Sainik welfare pensions	5000	
27	Abhayahastam	500	
28	Amaravathi Landless Poor	5000	

4. The Chief Executive Officer, Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP) and the Commissioner, PR & RD Department shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

5. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.Fin.U.O.No. FMU0PC(PRRD)/68/2024, dt.13.06.2024 (Computer No. 2467167)

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

NEERABH KUMAR PRASAD
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To :

The Chief Executive Officer, Society for Elimination of Rural poverty, A.P, Vijayawada.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Tadepalli, Guntur District.

The Vice Chairman and Managing Director, AP State Development Corporation through the CEO, SERP.

All Managing Directors of Welfare Corporations concerned through the CEO, SERP.

All the District Collectors in the State through the CEO, SERP.

All the Project Directors, DRDAs in the State through the CEO, SERP.

The Social Welfare Department,

The Dept. for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Sr. Citizens,

The Health Medical & Family Welfare Department.,
The Minorities Welfare Department
The B.C. Welfare Department.
The Tribal Welfare Department
The Department of Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) Department
The G.V.W.V. and G.S.W.S Department.

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The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Vijayawada.
All the District Treasury Officers in the State through the CEO, SERP.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, AP, Vijayawada
The Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
The Finance (FMU.PR&RD,RWS) Department.
The PS to Chief Secretary to Government of AP.
The PS to Prl. Secretary to Govt., PR&RD Dept.
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