No. 17(4)/2008(2)/D (Pen/Policy)
Government of India
Ministry of Defence
Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare

New Delhi, 27th November, 2008.

CORRIGENDUM


This Ministry’s letter No. 17(4)/2008(2)/D(Pension/Policy) dated 12.11.2008 is amended as follows:

i) **Para 1 Line 7:**
   Word “EC/SSC,” be added after word “including” appearing within bracket.

ii) **Para 4.3:**
   May be deleted.

iii) **Para 5.1.2:**
   “a” appearing in brackets as “(a)” under this para be deleted.

iv) **Para 7 Line 1:**
   “Para 6.1” may be read as “Para 6.1(b).”

v) **Para 9.3 may be substituted as under:**

   “9.3. The revised Table of commutation Value of Pension will be used for all commutations of pension, which become absolute on or after 2.9.2008. In all cases where the date of retirement/discharge/invalidment is on or after 2.9.2008, the revised table of Commutation Value for commutation of pension will be used for commutation of pension.

   In the case of those pensioners in whose case commutation of pension became absolute on or after 1.1.2006 but before 2.9.2008, the pre-revised Table of Commutation Value for commutation of pension has been used for payment of commuted value of pension based on pre-revised pension. Such pensioners shall have an option to commute the amount of pension that has become additionally commutable on account of retrospective revision of pay/pension on implementation of the recommendations of the Sixth Central Pay Commission. On exercising such an option as per Annexure-II by the pensioner, the revised Table of commutation...
value of pension will be used for the commutation of the additional amount of pension that has become commutable on account of retrospective revision of pension with reference to age next birthday already reckoned for commutation of pre-revised pension."

vi) **Para 15 may be substituted as under:**

**"COMMUTATION OF ADDITIONAL PENSION"

15. The Armed Forces personnel who had already retired/discharged/invalided out from service during 1.1.2006 and 1.9.2008 and have availed of the benefit of commutation of pension not exceeding maximum permissible limit (i.e. 43% & 45% in respect of commissioned officers and PBOR respectively) within one year of retirement/discharge/invalidment, the benefit of commutation of additional pension (i.e. 50% less the percentage already commuted), will be allowed with reference to the age next birthday as on the date of fresh option as per Annexure-II without medical examination by applying revised commutation value Annexed to this letter. In case of Armed Forces personnel retired/discharged/invalided out during 1.1.2006 to 1.9.2008 and had not availed the commutation of pension upto maximum permissible limit within one year of retirement/discharge, the benefit of commutation of additional pension as at Para 9.3 above may be allowed with reference to age next birthday as on date of fresh option after medical examination. The pensioners who have already undergone medical examination in the latter case need not be medically examined again for this purpose."

2. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Division of this Ministry vide their UO No. 2080/2008/DFA(P), dated 26.11.2008.

3. Hindi version will follow.

To

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

Copy to:

As per standard list.
(To Ministry of Defence letter No. 17(4)/2008(2)/D(Pen/Policy) dated 12.11.2008)

Form of option for commutation of Additional Pension for those retired/discharged/invalided out from service between 1.1.2006 and 2.9.2008 and has been allowed commutation on the existing pension.

(*) I service No./Regimental No. . . . . . . . . . . . . Rank . . . . . . . . . .
. . . . . . Name . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . granted pension in PPO No. . . . . .
. . . . . . . hereby do not opt for commutation of additional pension becoming due to retrospective revision of my pay/pension.

OR

(*) I service No./Regimental No. . . . . . . . . . . . . Rank . . . . . . . . . .
. . . . . . Name . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . granted pension in PPO No. . . . . .
. . . . . . . hereby do not opt for commutation of same percentage (as already commuted) of the revised pension becoming due to revision of my pay/pension. I understand that additional amount of pension now commutable be commuted with reference to revised commutation value as notified in Ministry of Defence letter No. 17(4)/2008(2)/D(Pension/Policy) dated 12.11.2008.

OR

(*) I service No./Regimental No. . . . . . . . . . . . . Rank . . . . . . . . . .
. . . . . . Name . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . granted pension in PPO No. . . . . .
. . . . . . . hereby opt for commutation of 50% of the revised pension becoming due to revision of my pay/pension, I understand that additional amount of pension now commutable will be commuted with reference to revised commuted value as notified in Ministry of Defence letter No. 17(4)/2008(2)/D(Pension/Policy) dated 12.11.2008. I also understand that the additional amount now commutable due to increase of commutable percentage to 50% will be commuted with reference to my age next birthday after the date of this option.

Signature……………………….
. . . . . . Name in full…………………….
. . . . . . Address…………………………

Dated: 
Station:

Note: Where commutation of pension has been sanction separately please quote commutation of pension PPO No……………………………..

(*) To be scored if not applicable.