No. 65/1/42-UTFII(12)/2025/ をえらい CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION FINANCE DEPARTMENT (FINANCE BRANCH)

Chandigarh, dated the 29-05-2025

To

All Administrative Secretaries/ Heads of Departments/Offices in Chandigarh Administration

Subject: -

Regarding implementation of Unified Pension Scheme UPS) with effect from 01.04.2025.

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Enclosed please find herewith a copies of D.O. No. FX-11/14/2025-PR dated 03.04.2025 received from the Shrl M. Nagaraju, Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Financial Services, New Delhi and email dated 02.05.2025 received from Assistant Section Officer (AIS-II(Pension), Department of personnel & Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Govt. of India, New Delhi, on the subject noted above.

 It is requested to taking appropriate necessary action and strict compliance.

Finance & Planning Officer, for Finance Secretary, Chandigarh Administration Chandigarh dated the 29-05-2025

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A copy alongwith a copy of its enclosures is forwarded to the following for information and further necessary action:-

The Accountant General (A&E), Union Territory, Chandigarh.

The Director Public Relations, Union Territory, Chandigarh.

The Treasury Officer, Central Treasury, Union Territory, Chandigarh.

 The Director Information Technology, Union Territory, Chandigarh to upload the above said circular on the website of Chandigarh Administration.

Finance & Planning Officer, for Finance Secretary, Chandigark Administration

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Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Financial Services

PA/SSF 2059691

15-04-25 Dated 03rd April, 2025

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Dated : 11-04-2025

PA/FS/ 2059691 Dated 11-04-25

Dear Chief Secretary -

I would like to draw your kind attention to Notification No. FX-1/3/2024-PR dated 24th January, 2025 issued by this Department regarding implementation of Unified Pension Scheme (UPS) with effect from 01st April, 2025. UPS will be available as an option under National Pension Scheme (NPS) to all Central Government employees.

- It may be noted that UPS is a defined benefit contributory pension scheme. Assured payout under the scheme relies on the regular and timely transfer of applicable contributions by both the employee and the employer so that individual corpus value of employee matches ideal benchmark corpus value. Regulations made by Pension Fund Regulatory and development authority (PFRDA) in this regard clarify the matter 7-25 further. Delays or lesser transfer of applicable contribution may lead to situation of individual corpus being less than benchmark corpus and its consequent impact on 'assured payout'.
 - On various occasions in the past we have conveyed issues related to delayed remittance of employer's and employee contributions by State Governments under NPS. In this matter, I would like to bring to your kind notice that for All India Service (AIS) officers opting for UPS, such contributions will be made by their respective States cadres. As stated earlier, any delay or lesser transfer of contribution may adversely impact assured payout for them post-superannuation.

I would therefore reiterate request to kindly issue suitable directions for timely remittance of employee and employer contributions in NPS and in UPS (for those who opt). It is emphasized that under UPS not doing so may have an impact on the assured payout.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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All Chief Secretaries of the States/UTs 70 - 138678, 17 1/0 matter superely

Copy to:

1. Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs

2. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training

3. Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

Please find attached this Department's letter No.25014/01/2025-AIS-II(Pension) dated 30.04.2025 on the above mentioned subject for information and necessary action.

सादर/Regards,

Dated: 06-05-2025

Dated 07-05-25-

PA/SSF 2043586

श्रेया गोयल/Shreya Goyal

सहायक अनुभाग अधिकारी/Assistant Section Officer [AIS-II (Pension)]

कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग/Department of Personnel & Training

कार्मिक लोक शिकायत और पेंशन मंत्रालय/Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions

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No. 25014/01/2025-AIS-II(Pension) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions Department of Personnel & Training

North Block, New Delhi Dated 3. April, 2025

To The Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs

Subject: Timely implementation of Unified Pension Scheme for All India Services officers.

Sir/Madam.

The Department of Financial Services (DFS), vide Notification No.FX-1/3/2024-PR dated 24.01.2025, has notified the implementation of the Unified Pension Scheme (UPS) under the National Pension System (NPS), with effect from 01.04.2025. This is further supported by the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (Operationalisation of Unified Pension Scheme under National Pension System) Regulations, 2025, notified on 19.03.2025.

- 2. The UPS provides a defined benefit contributory pension framework for Central Government employees, including All India Services (AIS) officers. The scheme is designed with an Individual Corpus and a Pool Corpus, with specific contribution responsibilities for employees and the Government. For All India Service (AIS) officers opting for UPS, such contributions will be made by their respective States cadres. Notably, timely and full remittance of both employee and employer contributions is critical to achieving the benchmark corpus and ensuring the assured payout under UPS. Any delays or shortfalls in the remittance of contributions under NPS and UPS can severely impact the retirement benefits of the AIS officers.
- Accordingly, all State Governments/UT Administrations are requested to:
 - ensure prompt onboarding of eligible AIS officers who opt for UPS, in accordance with the prescribed timelines.

 ensure regular and timely remittance of employee and employer contributions under both NPS and UPS, as applicable.

 sensitize the concerned departments about the critical nature of compliance to avoid adverse financial implications for officers.

Your cooperation in the successful and smooth implementation of the UPS is highly solicited.

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Yours laithfully.

(Bhupinder Pal Singh) Under Secretary to Government of India Tel: 011-2309 4714

