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TO

(I) The Area Accounts Office Bivar Road Shillong- 793001

(II) The PAO(ORs) ARC Shillong Happy Valley, Shillong- 793007

(III) The PAO(ORs) 58 GTC Happy valley, Shillong- 793007

(IV) All the AOs GE/AGE(I)

SUBJECT:

<u>Grant of family Pension/Death Gratuity in absence of PRAN of expired subscriber under National Pension System.</u>

website.

A copy of HQrs office letter on the above subject which is self explanatory is forwarded herewith for your further necessary action.

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Sr. Accounts Officer

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The officer-in-charge EDP Section (Local)

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Sr. Accounts Officer

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Controller General of Defence Accounts Ulan Batar Road, Palam, Delhi Cantt-110010

No. AT-II/NPS/Corr-X

To

CDA Guyoahati Date: 22.01.2016

Sub: Grant of family Pension/Death Gratuity in absence of PRAN of Expired subscriber under National Pension System.

Reference is invited to HQrs office letter CGDA/AT-I/NPS/XV dated 17.03.2009 wherein it was instructed that all entrants to NPS who join service on or after 1st April, 2009, will have to fill the paper application form (S-1 form) for generation and allotment of PRAN (Permanent Retirement Account Number) and dispatch of PRAN kit by NSDL. Further as per para 4.3.3.a of SOP, immediately on joining government service, the subscriber should fill the Application for allotment of PRAN and DDO should ensure that the duly filled applications are received from the subscribers within seven days of joining.

- 2. As per Ministry of Personnel Public Grievances and Pensions OM No. 38/41/06/P&PW (A) dated 05.05.2009, in case of death /disability, benefit of additional relief has been extended to Central Govt. employees covered under NPS. PCDA (Pensions) Allahabad, however, noticed that there are cases where the administrative authorities have not initiated the process of allotment of PRAN even after expiry of more than one year of service, and individuals died subsequently. As PRAN is a pre-requisite condition/document for sanctioning pension in respect of NPS subscriber, not having PRAN may create loss of dues to the next of kin.
- 3. In spite of clear instructions issued by the HQrs office from time to time for timely submission of \$1 form, non compliance of these instructions is not understood.

4. It is, therefore, requested that the above instructions may be brought to the notice of all concerned for strict compliance and adherence. You may also institute a system periodical review of Non-PRAN cases in consultation with DDOs/PAOs/NSDL.

Pl. acknowledge receipt

JI. CGDA (AT-I)