## F.No.A-33-1/2019-TS-I (July) Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education Technical Education Bureau

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi, Dated the 10th July, 2019

To,

Shri Deepanshu, House No. 477, Maswani, Dist-Fatehpur, Pin-212601, Uttar Pradesh, Mobile No. 8687646784

Subject: Application under Right to Information Act, 2005-reg.

Sir,

I refer to your RTI application Registration No. DOHED/R/2019/51417 dated 15.06.2019 received in this Division on 17.06.2019.

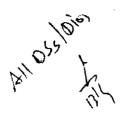
A copy of the order No. 19-1/2017-IFD dated 12.04.2017 is enclosed 2.

Appeal if, any may be preferred within 30 days of receipt of this reply to Shri 3. Prashant Agarwal, Director (IITs), Department of Higher Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001, who is the First Appellate Authority.

Yours faithful

(Kundan Nath) Under Secretary & CPIO

<u>Immediate</u>



F. No. 19-1/2017-IFD Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education Integrated Finance Division

> New Delhi Dated, 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2017

## Subject: Extension of benefits of Retirement Gratuity and Death Gratuity to the employees of Autonomous Body/Organisations covered under NPS.

The proposal of extension of benefits of Retirement Gratuity and Death Gratuity to the employees of Autonomous Body/Organisations covered under NPS under the Ministry of Human Resource Development is under consideration in MHRD, in consultations with the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance. The following information/clarifications have been sought by the Department of Expenditure for further examination of the matter.

- i) How many Autonomous Bodies/Organisations are under the administrative domain of MHRD, how many Autonomous Bodies/Organisations follow CCS Pension Rules. 1972.
- Which Gratuity Rules is followed by the employees of Autonomous Bodies? Whether it is Gratuity under CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 or under the "Payment of Gratuity Act. 1972, in case of employees joining before 01.01.2004.
- iii) In how many Autonomous Bodies/Organisations under the administrative domain of MHRD, CCS (Pension) Rules was allowed with the concurrence of Department of Expenditure/DOP&PW, in case of employees joining before 01.01.2004.
- iv) It is more than 13 years since implementation of NPS in case of the employees appointed on or after 01.01.2004. MHRD may please inform how they are making payment of Gratuity and under which rule.

2. It is requested that the point-wise consolidated information in respect of Autonomous Bodies under each Bureau may be furnished to IFD by 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2017, positively.

3. It is, therefore, requested that in case the benefits of Retirement Gratuity and Death Gratuity has been extended to the employees of any Autonomous Bodies/Organisations covered under NPS, the above benefits should be withdrawn, till a final decision is taken in the matter with approval of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance.

(Darshana M. Dabral) Joint Secretary & Financial Advisor

- 1. All Bureau Heads of Department of Higher Education
- 2. All Bureau Heads of Department of School Education & Literacy

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