



Government of West Bengal
Department of Higher Education
University Branch
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No. 173(22) - Edn (U)/EH/1U - 59/19

Dated, Kolkata, the 14th February, 2020.

From: The Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

To: The Vice Chancellor, _____ University;

Sub: Revision of Pay Structure of the Officers (*other than Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Inspector of Colleges and Finance Officer*) of the State-aided Universities in West Bengal.

Consequent upon the revision of the Pay Structure of the teachers of State-aided Universities and Government & Government-aided Colleges, Certain other equivalent cadres (Teaching Posts) of State-aided Universities and Government-aided Colleges and Government Colleges and Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Inspector of Colleges and Finance Officer of State-aided Universities, the matter of revision of the Pay Structures of the Officers (*other than Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Inspector of Colleges and Finance Officer*) of the State-aided Universities was under active consideration of the State Government for sometime past.

Now, after careful consideration, the undersigned is directed by order of the Governor to implement revision of pay for Officers of State-aided Universities.

1. Revised Pay for Officers of State-aided Universities (other than Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Inspector of Colleges and Finance Officer):

(i) Pay Fixation method

The revised pay structure for different categories of Officers is as follows:

- a) The revised pay structure has been moved from the concept of Pay Band and Grade Pay to that of Levels and Cells.
- b) The first level (corresponding to GP of Rs. 6000) is numbered as level 10. Similarly, the other levels are 11, 12, 13A, 14.
- c) Each cell in a level is at 3% higher than the previous cell in that level.
- d) The Pay Matrix based on the above propositions on Levels, Cells and Entry Pay is at

Annexure-I.

e) For fixation of pay of an employee as mentioned in para – 1 of this order in the Pay Matrix as on 1st January, 2016, the existing pay (Pay in Pay Band plus Grade Pay) in the pre-revised structure as on 31st December, 2015 shall be multiplied by a factor of 2.57. The figure so arrived at is to be located in the Level corresponding to employee's Pay Band and Grade Pay in the new Pay Matrix. If a Cell identical with the figure so arrived at, is available in the appropriate Level, then that Cell shall be the revised pay; otherwise the next higher cell in that Level shall be the revised pay of the employee. If the figure arrived at in this manner is less than the first cell in that Level, then the pay shall be fixed at the first cell of that Level.

If a situation arises whenever more than two stages are bunched together, one additional increment equal to 3 percent may be given for every two stages bunched, and pay fixed in the subsequent cell in the pay matrix.

(ii) Revised pay for Officers in Universities:

Sl.	Existing Pay	Revised Pay
1.	Assistant Registrar, Accounts Officer, Audit Officer, Assistant Finance Officer, Internal Auditor, Audit & Finance Officer; Sports Officer/ Officer-in-Charge of Games & Sports; Estate & Trust Officer / Estate Officer/ Trust Officer; Superintendent, University Press; Publication Officer; Assistant Engineer; Assistant Medical Officer / Junior Medical Officer; System Administrator / Information Scientist / Programmer / System Analyst / Computer Programmer; Research Associate, Nazrul Centre for Social and Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University (at Rs. 6000/- GP in PB Rs. 15,600-39,100/-)	Assistant Registrar, Accounts Officer, Audit Officer, Assistant Finance Officer, Internal Auditor, Audit & Finance Officer; Sports Officer/ Officer-in-Charge of Games & Sports; Estate & Trust Officer / Estate Officer/ Trust Officer; Superintendent, University Press; Publication Officer; Assistant Engineer; Assistant Medical Officer / Junior Medical Officer; System Administrator / Information Scientist / Programmer / System Analyst / Computer Programmer; Research Associate, Nazrul Centre for Social and Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University (at Level 10 with rationalized entry pay of Rs.57,700/-)
2.	Assistant Registrar, Accounts Officer, Audit Officer, Assistant Finance Officer, Internal Auditor, Audit & Finance Officer; Sports Officer/ Officer-in-Charge of Games & Sports; Estate & Trust Officer / Estate Officer/ Trust Officer; Superintendent, University Press; Publication Officer; Assistant Engineer; Assistant Medical Officer / Junior Medical Officer; System Administrator / Information Scientist /	Assistant Registrar, Accounts Officer, Audit Officer, Assistant Finance Officer, Internal Auditor, Audit & Finance Officer; Sports Officer/ Officer-in-Charge of Games & Sports; Estate & Trust Officer / Estate Officer/ Trust Officer; Superintendent, University Press; Publication Officer; Assistant Engineer; Assistant Medical Officer / Junior Medical Officer; System Administrator / Information Scientist / Programmer /

	Programmer / System Analyst / Computer Programmer; (at Rs. 7000/- GP in PB Rs. 15,600-39,100/-)	System Analyst / Computer Programmer; (at Level 11 with rationalized entry pay of Rs.68,900/-)
3.	Deputy Registrar, Deputy Controller of Examinations, Deputy Inspector of Colleges, Secretary, Council of Post Graduate/ Undergraduate Studies/ College Council, University Engineer, Medical Officer, Officer of Placement And Training, Director of Youth Services/ Youth Welfare, Development & Planning Officer / Development Officer, Superintendent of Farms Curator /Director Of Museums, Curator, Audit & Accounts Officer/ Deputy Finance Officer/ Deputy Comptroller, Senior System Administrator /Senior System Analyst/ System-In-Charge (at Rs. 8000/- GP in PB Rs.15,600-39,100/-)	Deputy Registrar, Deputy Controller of Examinations, Deputy Inspector of Colleges, Secretary, Council of Post Graduate/ Undergraduate Studies/ College Council, University Engineer, Medical Officer, Officer of Placement And Training, Director of Youth Services/ Youth Welfare, Development & Planning Officer / Development Officer, Superintendent of Farms Curator /Director Of Museums, Curator, Audit & Accounts Officer/ Deputy Finance Officer/ Deputy Comptroller, Senior System Administrator /Senior System Analyst/ System-In-Charge (at Level 12 with rationalized entry pay of Rs.79,800/-)
4.	Deputy Registrar, Deputy Controller of Examinations, Deputy Inspector of Colleges, Secretary, Council of Post Graduate/ Undergraduate Studies/ College Council, University Engineer, Medical Officer, Officer of Placement and Training, Director of Youth Services/ Youth Welfare, Development & Planning Officer / Development Officer, Superintendent of Farms Curator /Director of Museums, Curator, Audit & Accounts Officer/ Deputy Finance Officer/ Deputy Comptroller, Senior System Administrator /Senior System Analyst/ System-in-Charge and Deputy Director in the rank of Associate Professor, Nazrul Centre For Social And Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University (at Rs. 9,000/- GP in PB Rs. 37,400-67,000/-)	Deputy Registrar, Deputy Controller of Examinations, Deputy Inspector of Colleges, Secretary, Council of Post Graduate/ Undergraduate Studies/ College Council, University Engineer, Medical Officer, Officer of Placement And Training, Director of Youth Services/ Youth Welfare, Development & Planning Officer / Development Officer, Superintendent of Farms Curator /Director of Museums, Curator, Audit & Accounts Officer/ Deputy Finance Officer/ Deputy Comptroller, Senior System Administrator /Senior System Analyst/ System-In-Charge and Deputy Director in the rank of Associate Professor, Nazrul Centre For Social And Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University (at Level 13A with rationalized entry pay of Rs. 1,31,400/-)
5.	Comptroller, Dean of Students Welfare, Director of Farms; Joint Registrar, Joint Finance Officer, Principal Development	Comptroller, Dean of Students Welfare, Director of Farms; Joint Registrar, Joint Finance Officer, Principal Development

<p>Officer, Principal Secretary of the Faculty Council; Director in the rank of Professor, Nazrul Centre For Social And Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University, Director, School of Mines & Metallurgy, Kazi Nazrul University; Director, Study Centre (01 Post), Director, Regional Centre (01 Post), Director, School Of Studies (03 Posts) Under Netaji Subhas Open University (at Rs. 10000/- GP in PB Rs. 37,400-67,000/-)</p>	<p>Officer, Principal Secretary of the Faculty Council; Director in the rank of Professor, Nazrul Centre For Social And Cultural Studies (NCSCS) of Kazi Nazrul University, Director, School of Mines & Metallurgy, Kazi Nazrul University; Director, Study Centre (01 Post), Director, Regional Centre (01 Post), Director, School Of Studies (03 Posts) Under Netaji Subhas Open University (at Level 14 with rationalized entry pay of Rs. 1,44,200/-)</p>
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2. Date of Implementation:

The date of implementation of the above revised pay shall be 1st day of January, 2016 notionally and actually from 1st day of January, 2020.

3. Increment:

The annual increment is given in the Pay Matrix at 3%, with each cell being higher by 3% over the previous cell in the same level, rounded off to nearest 100. The annual increments would move up in the same level, moving from the existing cell in the level to the immediate next cell in the same level.

There shall be a uniform date of annual increment, as existing now and such date of annual increment shall be the 1st day of July of every year.

Note- Employees mentioned in para – 1 of this Order completing 06 (six) months and above in the revised pay structure as on 1st day of July, shall be eligible to be granted increment.

4. Promotion:

When an individual gets a promotion, his new pay on promotion would be fixed in the Pay Matrix as follows:

One increment shall be given in the Level from which the individual is promoted and he/she shall be placed at a Cell equal to the figure so arrived at in the applicable Level of the post to which promoted and if no such Cell is available in the applicable Level to which promoted, he/she shall be placed at the next higher Cell in that applicable Level. In this case, the employee may have option to get his pay fixed either from the date of promotion or from the date of next increment and the manner of pay fixation will be the same as detailed in Rule 11 of the WBS (ROPA) Rules, 2019 provided that in the case of CAS benefit, there will be no interim pay fixation benefit.

5. Allowances:

(a) **House Rent Allowance** - With effect from the 1st January, 2020, the house rent allowance admissible shall be 12% of his/her revised basic pay, subject to a maximum of Rs. 12,000/- per month. The ceiling of house rent allowance drawn by husband and wife together shall also be raised to Rs. 12,000/- per month.

The term basic pay in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Pay Level in the Pay Matrix and does not include any other type of pay.

The existing terms and conditions of drawl of house rent allowance by an individual living in his/her own house or in a rented house shall continue to apply.

When a Government accommodation being in a habitable condition in all respect with appropriate supply of water, power and toilet arrangements for individual families and such a Government accommodation is earmarked for holder of a particular post, the holder will not be entitled to house rent allowance for living elsewhere.

(b) **Medical Allowances:** The existing rate of Medical Allowance will be revised to Rs. 500/- per month w. e. f. 01.01.2020 in respect of an individual who is not covered under "West Bengal Health Scheme for the Beneficiaries of Grant-in-aid Colleges and Universities, 2017".

(c) **Hill Compensatory Allowance:** Hill Compensatory Allowance will be admissible @ 12% of revised basic pay subject to maximum of Rs. 2000/- per month with effect from 01.01.2020 to the employees covered in para – 1 of this order who are now in receipt of the same as per the existing Government Order.

(d) **Conveyance Allowance for differently-abled employees:** This will be admissible @ 5% of Revised Basic Pay subject to maximum of Rs. 800/- per month with effect from 01.01.2020.

(e) **Other Allowances:** All other allowances shall continue with the existing amount as drawn as on 31.12.2019 for the revised pay till such time the allowances are revised. Employees joining service after issue of this memorandum shall also draw the existing amount as on 31.12.2019.

6. **Gratuity:** The benefits of revised Gratuity as allowed to the State Government employees shall also be allowed to the individual falling under this Scheme.

7. **Payment of arrears:** No arrears of pay for the period from the 1st day of January, 2016 to the 31st day of December, 2019, shall be paid to the individual.

8. This order does not extend to the contractually engaged officers and any other categories of officers of the Universities which are not mentioned in **Table at no. 1. (ii)** of this Order.
9. Concerned University will make necessary amendments in the Statutes / Ordinances / Rules etc. where necessary for incorporating the provision of the Government Order therein.

Anomalies, if any, in the implementation of this order may be brought to the notice of the Department of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal for clarification/decision of the State Government.

This issues with the approval of the Finance Department, Govt. of West Bengal vide ***U. O. No. Group P1/2019-2020/0396 dated 12.02.2020.***

By Order of the Governor,

Sd/-
Principal Secretary
Department of Higher Education

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

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- 2) The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Treasury Buildings, Kolkata-700 001;
- 3) The Principal Accountant General (Receipt, Works & Local Bodies Audit), CGO Complex at Salt Lake, Kolkata- 700 091;
- 4) Finance Department, (Group-P) of this Government;
- 5) The Financial Advisor, Education, Bikash Bhavan, 8th Floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091;
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- 9) Director of Treasuries & Accounts, New India Assurance Buildings,4, Lyons Range, Kolkata-700 001;
- 10) The Treasury Officer,..... District;
- 11) The Registrar,..... University;
- 12) The Joint Secretary, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education;
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- 14) Animal Resources Development Department of this Government;
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Special Secretary

ANNEXED TO ORDER NO. 173(22) – Edn (U)/EH/1U – 59/19 DATED 14.02.2020

ANNEXURE - I

Pay Band (Rs.)	15,600 – 39,100			37,400 – 67,000	
Grade Pay (Rs.)	6,000	7,000	8,000	9,000	10,000
Level	10	11	12	13A	14
Rationalised Entry Pay (Rs.) 1	57,700	68,900	79,800	1,31,400	1,44,200
2	59,400	71,000	82,200	1,35,300	1,48,500
3	61,200	73,100	84,700	1,39,400	1,53,000
4	63,000	75,300	87,200	1,43,600	1,57,600
5	64,900	77,600	89,800	1,47,900	1,62,300
6	66,800	79,900	92,500	1,52,300	1,67,200
7	68,800	82,300	95,300	1,56,900	1,72,200
8	70,900	84,800	98,200	1,61,600	1,77,400
9	73,000	87,300	1,01,100	1,66,400	1,82,700
10	75,200	89,900	1,04,100	1,71,400	1,88,200
11	77,500	92,600	1,07,200	1,76,500	1,93,800
12	79,800	95,400	1,10,400	1,81,800	1,99,600
13	82,200	98,300	1,13,700	1,87,300	2,05,600
14	84,700	1,01,200	1,17,100	1,92,900	2,11,800
15	87,200	1,04,200	1,20,600	1,98,700	2,18,200
16	89,800	1,07,300	1,24,200	2,04,700	
17	92,500	1,10,500	1,27,900	2,10,800	

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Pay Band (Rs.)	15,600-39,100			37,400-67,000	
18	95,300	1,13,800	1,31,700	2,17,100	
19	98,200	1,17,200	1,35,700		
20	1,01,100	1,20,700	1,39,800		
21	1,04,100	1,24,300	1,44,000		
22	1,07,200	1,28,000	1,48,300		
23	1,10,400	1,31,800	1,52,700		
24	1,13,700	1,35,800	1,57,300		
25	1,17,100	1,39,900	1,62,000		
26	1,20,600	1,44,100	1,66,900		
27	1,24,200	1,48,400	1,71,900		
28	1,27,900	1,52,900	1,77,100		
29	1,31,700	1,57,500	1,82,400		
30	1,35,700	1,62,200	1,87,900		
31	1,39,800	1,67,100	1,93,500		
32	1,44,000	1,72,100	1,99,300		
33	1,48,300	1,77,300	2,05,300		
34	1,52,700	1,82,600	2,11,500		
35	1,57,300	1,88,100			
36	1,62,000	1,93,700			
37	1,66,900	1,99,500			
38	1,71,900	2,05,500			
39	1,77,100				
40	1,82,400				