

**MOST IMPORTANT**  
**FOR PERSONAL ATTENTION**

From,

Director,  
Social Justice & Empowerment Department,  
Haryana, Chandigarh

To,

- 1) Divisional Commissioners, Ambala, Gurgaon, Rohtak and Hisar.
- 2) All Deputy Commissioners in Haryana State (except Gurgaon and Rohtak).
- 3) All District Social Welfare Officers in Haryana State (except Gurgaon and Rohtak).

Memo No. 17952-17993/SJE /EBT / 2011  
Chandigarh, dated August 20th, 2011

**Subject:** **Payment of pension with outstanding arrears up to August, 2011 in September, 2011 to the pensioners whose names are current as per website and who have enrolled for opening of bank account with the designated Bank.**

**Memo:**

As per Government Notification No. 459-SW(4)-2011 dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2011 of the Department of Social Justice & Empowerment, the Electronic Benefits Transfer Scheme has been made mandatory for remitting the financial benefits under the Social Security Schemes of the Department through the bank accounts of the beneficiaries maintained with the designated Bank. The due pension with interest calculated at the savings rate for the period of delay has been paid into 15,14,055 number of bank accounts in 18 districts (excluding Jhajjar, Rohtak and Gurgaon). The district of Jhajjar will be covered under the EBT Scheme from next month.

2) In view of the delay in integrating some bank accounts with the pensioners' data, it has been decided by the Government to pay the financial benefits with outstanding arrears (but without interest) to all who enroll for bank account with the designated Bank of the district and issued a 16-digit Unique Reference Number (URN) or any other Enrolment Id by the Business Correspondent of the Bank before August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2011. Accordingly, the following procedure will be adopted in September,

2011 for payment of pension to the beneficiaries whose names are current on the website of the Department:

- i) Beneficiary with Bank Account: Full pension and outstanding arrears with interest will be directly credited into the bank account on September 12, 2011.
  - ii) Beneficiary without Bank Account, but with 16 digit URN or Enrolment Id issued by 31.08.2011: Pension with outstanding arrears (without interest) will be disbursed manually using physical Actual Payee Receipts (APRs) through official agencies like the Patwaris or the Gram Sachivs either in the Permanent Enrolment Centers or in the villages, to be decided by the Deputy Commissioner as per local requirement. In this case, interest cannot be paid because of the problem of disbursing small change.
  - iii) Beneficiary without bank account and without 16-digit URN or Enrolment Id of Bank: No pension will be paid in such cases. The list of such names will be made available to the Deputy Commissioner. In case a genuine pensioner is not enrolled with the Business Correspondent of the Bank by 31.08.2011, he may be advised to apply afresh under the pension scheme, if eligible. These names are liable to be deleted from the pensioners' data maintained on the website by the Department.
- 3) It may be noted that the pensioners' data appearing on the website is owned and updated by the District Social Welfare Officer of the district concerned. He is responsible for addressing any grievance regarding a name not appearing on the website. It is further made clear that possession of a bank account or 16-digit URN or Enrolment Id issued by the Business Correspondent of the bank does not entitle the holder to pension, unless his name is current on the website data of pensioners.

You are requested to give this wide publicity within the district to remove the confusion engineered by vested interests and also that the left-out pensioners may

come to the Enrolment Center for opening of bank accounts by August 31, 2011, in case they are interested to receive the outstanding arrears.

(Ashok Khemka)  
Director

Endst. No. 17994-18003/EBT/SJE/2011 Chandigarh, dated the August 20th, 2011.

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for kind information and necessary action:

1. The Chief Secretary, Government of Haryana, Chandigarh. It is requested that this may be brought to the notice of all the inspecting Administrative Secretaries.
2. The Principal Secretary to Chief Minister, Haryana, Chandigarh.
3. The Principal OSD to Chief Minister, Haryana, Chandigarh.
4. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Revenue Department.
5. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Finance Department, Chandigarh.
6. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Development & Panchayats Department.
7. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Urban Development Department.
8. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Information & Public Relations Department, Chandigarh. He is requested to direct the Public Relations Department to give this wide publicity.
9. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Chandigarh.
10. The Deputy Principal Secretary Chief Minister, Haryana, Chandigarh.

Director

Endst. No. 18004-18005/EBT/SJE/2011, Chandigarh, dated the August 20th, 2011

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following,

1. Senior Secretary to Chief Minister, Haryana, for kind information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. Private Secretary to Social Justice & Empowerment Minister, Haryana, for kind information of the Hon'ble Social Justice & Empowerment Minister.

Director