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 Ministry of Communications  
 Department of Posts  
 [Establishment Division/P.A.P. Section]

Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,  
 New Delhi-110001.  
 Dated: 11.05.2023

To

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2. Chief General Manager, BD Directorate / Parcel Directorate / PLI Directorate
3. Director, RAKNPA / GM, CEPT / Directors of All PTCs
4. Addl. Director General, Army Postal Service, R.K.Puram, New Delhi
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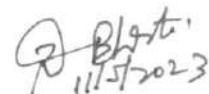
Sub: Cooking Allowance to Non- statutory Departmental canteen employees functioning from Central Government Offices consequent upon the recommendations of the VIIth Central Pay Commission reg. reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith copy of Department of Personnel & Training OM no. 3/5/2018- Dir (C) dated 01.10.2019 on the above mentioned subject for kind information and necessary action in this regard.

2. All postal circles are directed to ensure strict compliance of the order and to widely circulate this O.M. in all offices including attached/subordinate offices under their control.

Encl: As above

  
 11/5/2023

(R.N. Bharti)  
 Director (Estt.)


Phone - 011-23096191

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1. Sr.PPS to Secretary (Posts) / Sr.PPS to Director General Postal Services
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11/05/2023  
(Ashok Kukreti)  
SO PAP

No. 3/5/2018-Dir (C)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel & Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training


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3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan  
Khan Market, New Delhi, 01/10/2019

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:- Cooking Allowance to Non- Statutory Departmental canteen employees functioning from Central Government Offices consequent upon the recommendations of the VIIth Central Pay Commission- regarding.**

This undersigned is directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to state that the Government's Decision, on the recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission relating to Canteen Staff in "List of Allowances and Recommendations' in para 8.10.16 of Chapter 8.1 (S.No. 39), was notified vide Ministry of Finance Resolution No. 11-1/2016-IC dated 06.07.2017. This decision has been considered in consultation with Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance and it has been decided to extend the benefit of 'Cooking Allowance' @ Rs.1000/-p.m. as per cell R3H3 of the Risk and Hardship Matrix to Assistant Halwai-cum-Cook and Halwai-cum- Cook working in the Non-statutory departmental canteens functioning from Central Government Offices.

2. The Cooking Allowance will be admissible w.e.f. from date of issue of order on the subject.
3. This issues with the concurrence of Department of Expenditure I.D. No.A-27023/2(i)2018-E.II B(7<sup>th</sup> CPC) dated 24.09.2019

  
(Kulbhushan Malhotra)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel No. :- 011-24646961

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3. Vice-President's Secretariat, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi;
4. Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi;
5. Deputy Secretary (Admn.), DOPT, North Block, New Delhi;
6. Comptroller & Auditor General of India, New Delhi;
7. Director of Audit, Central Revenue, New Delhi;
8. Controller General of Accounts, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi;
9. Controller General of Defence Accounts, R.K. Puram, West Block, New Delhi;
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