GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE (ESTT.-A) DEPARTMENT
DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6.


From : Dr. A. K. Bhutani, I.A.S.,
Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Finance (Estt.-A) Department.

To : The Accountant General (A&E), Assam,
Beltoa, Guwahati-29.

Sub : Addition to qualifying service as weightage upto 5 (five) years
in case of voluntarily retired persons.


Sir,

In inviting a reference to your letter cited above, I am directed
to state that the Government of India has given the benefit of full pension
admissibility on the minimum qualifying service of 20 years and therefore,
5 years weightage benefit is unnecessary. But in case of State Government
employees, proportionate pension shall be allowed on voluntary retirement
for 20 years service and not full pension like Government of India.

Further, the State Government has already made a policy
decision, vide Sub-Para IX of Para 33 titled “Pension and other retirement
benefits” in the Resolution on the Report of the Assam Pay Commission,
2008 and the Report of the Committee issued under Notification
No.FPC.85/2009/1 dated 04-02-2010, to the effect that all uncovered aspects
relating to Superannuation Pension and other retirement benefits, inter alia,
unless specified in the said notification, shall be dealt in accordance with
existing provisions.

Hence, the existing weightage benefit of up to 5 (five) years
which was granted under O.M.No.FEG.118/75/pt/4 dated 12-9-1984 shall
continue.

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Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Finance (Estt.-A) Department.
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE (ESTABLISHMENT) DEPARTMENT

No. FEG, 118/75/Pt./4, Dated Dispur, the 12th Sept. 84.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Voluntary retirement with weightage of 5 years service.

At present a Govt. servant may, by giving atleast 3 months notice in writing to the appropriate authority, retire from service after he has attained the age of 50 years or after he has completed 25 years of service, whichever is earlier as per provision of F.Rs 56 (c). Pursuant to the recommendation of the Pay Commission, 1979, it has been decided by the Govt. that the minimum requirement of qualifying service for the purpose of voluntary retirement be reduced to 20 years from 25 years with weightage of 5 years of service, other conditions remaining unchanged. Accordingly, the Governor of Assam is now pleased to order as follows :—

1) A Govt. servant may, be giving notice of not less than 3 months in writing to the appropriate authority, retire from service at any time after he has attained the age of 50 years or after he has completed 20 years of qualifying service, which ever is earlier.

2) In the case of a Govt. servant retiring on completion of 20 years of qualifying service, the qualifying service in his case for the purpose of pensionary benefit shall be increased by a period not exceeding 5 (five) years subject to the condition that the total qualifying service rendered by the Govt. servant does not in any case exceed 33 years and also it does not take him beyond the date of superannuation.

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3) National increase in the qualifying service shall not entitle a Govt. servant to any national fixation of pay for the purpose of calculating Pension and Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity, which will continue to be regulated on the basis of the enrolment with reference to his actual date of retirement as defined in the Assam Services (Pension) Rules, 1969.

4) The benefit envisaged above will not, however, be admissible to Govt. servants retiring on attaining 50 years of age having less than 20 years of qualifying service at their credit and also to those who are prematurely retired by the Govt. in the public interest under F.R.56 (b) of F.R. and S.R.

5) The relevant provision of the State F.R. & S.R. and Assam Services (Pension) Rules, 1969 may be deemed to have been amended to the extent of the provisions of this Office Memorandum. Formal amendment to the relevant rules will be issued in due course.

This will take effect from 1st September, 1982.

SD/-, P.K. BORA,
Financial Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam.

Memo No. FRG.118/75/ Pt./4-A, Dated Dispur, the 12th Sept. 1

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1) The Accountant General, Assam etc. Shillong.
2) All Administrative Deptts.
3) All Heads of Deptts.
4) All D.Cs. & S.D.Cs.
5) All T.os. & S.T.os.

By order, etc.,

[Signature]

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Finance(Estt-A) Department.