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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL (PERSONNEL: A)
ASSAM SECRETARIAT (CIVIL) DISPUR,
GUWAHATI-781006

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

Dated Dispur, the 17th November /2023

E-356755/106 :   WHEREAS Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005) Commissioner & Secretary, Medical Education & Research Departments, PD, JICA Assisted Assam Health Infrastructure Strengthening Project, Assam joined in the Indian Administrative Services of the Assam Meghalaya Cadre and was covered under New Pension Scheme.

AND WHEREAS, Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005), joined the IAS cadre on 22.08.2005 after clearing the UPSC Civil Services Examination 2004 conducted by the UPSC, advertised and published in Gazette of India dated 29.11.2003 and published by the UPSC for Civil Services Examination 2004.

AND WHEREAS, the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare vide OM No. 57/05/2021-P&PW(B) dated 03.03.2023 has clarified that , *It has now been decided that, in all cases where the Central Government civil employee has been appointed against a post or vacancy which was advertised/ notified for recruitment/appointment, prior to the date of notification for National Pension System i.e. 22/12/2003 and is covered under the National Pension System on joining service on or after 01.01.2004, may be given a one time option to be covered under the CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972(now 2021)*

AND WHEREAS, the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare vide letter. 25011/02/2021-AIS-II (Pension) dated 13.07.2023 have decided that *the AIS officers, who have been appointed against a post /vacancy which was advertised/notified for recruitment prior to the date of notification of NPS(i.e.22.12.2003) and who are covered under NPS on joining Service on or after 01.01.2004, may be granted one-time option to be covered under the provisions of old pension scheme under AIS(DCRB) Rules, 1958.*

AND WHEREAS, on the basis of the aforementioned OM No. 57/05/2021 P&PW(B) Dated 03.03.2023 & Letter No. 25011/02/2021-AIS-II(Pension) dated 13.07.2023 issued by Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare, Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005), has opted to be covered under the AIS (DCRB) Rules, 1958 in place of New Pension Scheme.

AND WHEREAS, the representation of Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005), has been considered in accordance to the aforementioned **OM No. 57/05/2021-P&PW(B) dated 03.03.2023 & letter No. 25011/02/2021-AIS-II(Pension) dated 13.07.2023** of Government of India to be covered under the AIS(DCRB) Rules, 1958 :

NOW THEREFORE, the State Government after careful consideration of the facts presented before it and in accordance to the Office Memorandum dated 03/03/23 & letter No. 25011/02/2021-AIS-II(Pension) dated 13.07.23 mentioned above decides to allow Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005), to be covered under the AIS (DCRB) Rules, 1958 in place of the New Pension Scheme.

Signed by

Jadav Saikia

Secretary Dated 7-N-2023 14:39:39
Personnel (A) Department

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Dated Dispur, the 17th November /2023

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3. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Kar Bhawan. Dispur, Guwahati-6.
4. Shri Siddharth Singh, IAS (RR-2005) Commissioner & Secretary, Medical Education & Research Departments ,PD, JICA Assisted Assam, Health Infrastructure Strengthening Project .
5. The Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, General Administrative (Sectt. Accounts) Deptt.
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By order etc,

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
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