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# All India Conference of the Deaf

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## ABOUT AIFD

The **All India Federation of the Deaf (AIFD)**, established in 1955 as an apex national organization, has a track record of 67 years in service for the deaf to make them self-reliant and respectable citizens of the country. While a number of state level organizations are affiliated with the Federation which includes "The Assam Association of the Deaf" and are entrusted to host the above event. The AIFD is affiliated with the **World Federation of the Deaf (WFD)** which has consultative status at the United Nations (UN).

## ABOUT AAD

The **Assam Association of the Deaf(AAD)** was established in the year of 1960 in Shillong, the then capital of Assam and its first President(AAD) was Jana Neta, Ex Chief Minister of Assam late Sarat CH. Singha. The head office of the Association was at Ambari on a rented house. The Shillong was to Dispur transferred as capital. Ex. Health Minister late Shri Girin Choudhury was elected as Vice President of AAD while he was President of T.B. Hospital Society. He contributed a substantial plot of land admeasuring one Bigha 1(Katha) 19 (Nineteen) Lessa belonging to his society and was officially handed over to the Deaf Association.

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# TRIBUTE



*"Know when to seek peace  
For as long as the moon shall rise  
For as long as the rivers shall flow  
For as long as the sun shall shine  
For as long as the grass shall grow  
Let us have peace"*

*By*

*Mitali Roy Baruah*

(General Secretary)

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सत्यमेव जयते

प्रधान मंत्री  
**Prime Minister**  
MESSAGE



It is heartening to learn about the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference for the Deaf organised by All India Federation of the Deaf (AIFD), hosted by the Assam Association of the Deaf (AAD) at Guwahati. Greetings and best wishes to everyone associated with the Conference.

From sports to services, from arts to academics, our Divyangjan are excelling in every sphere of national life. Their life journey, courage and determination are an inspiration for one and all.

For a nation to be truly inclusive, it is essential that there is increased participation of Divyangjan in every domain. With an emphasis on equality, accessibility and opportunity, the nation is working to empower persons with disabilities by creating more opportunities and removing obstacles from their path.

Be it the inclusion of many additional kinds of disabilities in the law related to the rights of persons with disabilities, or providing training to thousands of Divyangjan under the National Action Plan for Skill Training, or the launch of Sugamya Bharat App, several such initiatives have been taken.

Further, the distribution of aids and assistive equipment for the support of Divyangjan has attained a scale and speed that has been unprecedented since independence.

I am also glad that India's enterprising youth have created a vibrant start-up ecosystem which is working on many tech-based solutions to boost ease of living for Divyangjan.

As an inclusive India is taking shape, efforts to bring together people to make them more aware of the fortitude and accomplishments of Divyangjan are important.

The focus of 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference for the Deaf on the themes of Education, Empowerment and Accessibility will help in understanding the concerns of persons with hearing impairment, and also impart momentum to the efforts being made to create opportunities for them through skill development.

The deliberations at the Conference will also help in preparing a futuristic roadmap for further empowerment of persons with hearing impairment. Best wishes for the success of the Conference.

(Narendra Modi)

New Delhi

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11<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

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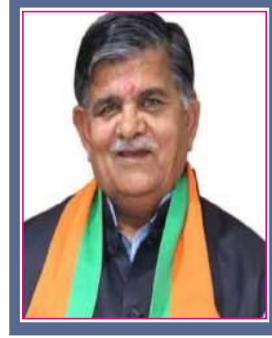
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Shri Gulab Chand Kataria

RAJ BHAWAN  
GUWAHATI



## MESSAGE

It gives me immense happiness to learn that All India Federation of the Deaf is organizing the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference for the Deaf at Srimanta Sankardeva Kalakshetra from 18 to 21 May, 2023. A commemorative souvenir is being published to mark the event.

The people having impairment of hearing capacity or Divyangjan are very close to our heart. They are the people with immense potential which they show during different phases in their life with their fortitude. I hope the All India Conference of the Deaf being held in Guwahati discusses issues confronting our people. I moreover, hope that the deliberations in the conference will help in setting agenda for the Federation to carry forward its avowed objective.

I convey my best wishes to the organizer and the editorial team of the souvenir all success in their endeavour.

Dated: April 29, 2023

  
(Gulab Chand Kataria)

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डॉ. वीरेन्द्र कुमार  
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## Message

I am glad to know that All India Federation of the Deaf, New Delhi is going to publish its Sourvenir on the occasion of hosting the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference for the Deaf at Guwahati, Assam from 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2023.

It is learnt that All India Federation of the Deaf is working to empower and unite the deaf persons all over India and providing excellent services to the deaf community since 1955 in the field of education, empowerment, Indian Sign Language, Accessibility for the Deaf and holding of exhibitions and cultural events along with comprehensive skill development services to Divyangjans for the cause of elevating living quality of their life.

Hence, I convey my best wishes to All India Federation of the Deaf and grand success for your commemorate programme.

[Dr. Virendra Kumar]

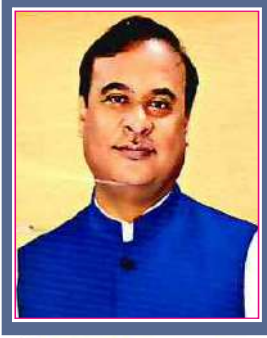
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ড° হিমন্ত বিশ্ব শর্মা  
Dr. Himanta Biswa Sarma



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2<sup>nd</sup> May, 2023

## MESSAGE

I am happy to learn that All India Federation of the Deaf is organizing the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf 2023 in Srimanta Sankardeva Kalakshetra from 18 to 21 May, 2023. A souvenir is being published synchronizing with the event.

It is our bounden duty to strengthen the foundation of an inclusive society. We are moreover working to create an environment based on the philosophy of Deen Dayal Upadhyay who taught us the philosophy of 'Antodaya' the rise of the last person. We understand that our society cannot move forward if we cannot create opportunities for the Divyangjan and enable them to shine. I on this occasion would like to acknowledge All India Federation of the Deaf which is working at the grassroots to bring a positive difference in the lives of persons with disabilities.

I hope the All India Conference of the Deaf where delegates from across the country are participating lends a new momentum to the federation to champion the cause of the people with hearing impairment. I moreover hope that the conference turns out to be a knowledge sharing ground for all the stakeholders to work for new avenues to deal with relevant issues faced by the Divyangjan.

I convey my best wishes to the resounding success of the conference. Hope the souvenir being published on the occasion succeeds in giving a new perspective to the life of the Divyangjan.

(Dr. Himanta Biswa Sarma)

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**Shri Pijush Hazarika**  
Minister, Assam



Water Resources, Parliamentary Affairs,  
Information, Public Relations,  
Printing and Stationary and  
Social Justice & Empowerment Departments.

Dated Dispur, the 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2023

## Message

I am delighted to learn that the All India Federation of the Deaf, New Delhi is organizing the 7th All India Conference for the Deaf at Guwahati from 18 to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2023. As informed, the Conference, to be hosted by the Assam Association of the Deaf, will focus on education, empowerment, Indian Sign Language and accessibility for the deaf along with other relevant issues. At the outset, I would like to offer my best wishes to the organizers for the upcoming event.

The All India Federation of the Deaf is an apex national organization with a track record of 67 years in service for the deaf to make them self-reliant and respectable citizens of the country. Assam Association of the Deaf has also been serving the hearing impaired section of our society for the last 61 years. Apart from establishing two colleges named North East College for Hearing Impaired and North East Degree College for Hearing Impaired, the Assam Association of Deaf has been engaged in various activities to support the hearing impaired people. I would like to offer my gratitude and best wishes to them for the upcoming 7 All India Conference for the Deaf.

I have been informed that correlating with the 7 All India Conference for the Deaf, a colourful Souvenir is also being brought out. I am certain that this Souvenir will encompass all the aspects of the upcoming event and will be widely appreciated among the readers. I offer my best wishes to everyone associated with All India Federation of the Deaf and Assam Association of Deaf on their endeavours.

Date: 28-04-2023

  
(Pijush Hazarika)

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**Atul Bora**  
Minister  
Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry &  
Veterinary Border Protection & Development,  
Implementation of Assam Accord



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM



## M E S S A G E

I am very glad to know that the All India Federation of the Deaf in association with Assam Association of the Deaf will be organizing the 7th All India Conference for the Deaf from 18 May to 21 May, 2023 at Srimanta Sankardeva Kalakhetra, Guwahati.

It is understood that the All-India Federation of the Deaf (AIFD) is an apex body of different affiliated organizations of the deaf spread all over India and serves the deaf community in elevating their living quality. Globally, it works with World Federation of the Deaf (WFD) Helsinki, Finland, which is affiliated to UNESCO, UNICEF and ILO of United Nations Organization (UNO). The federation was set up on 22nd December 1955 with an aim to unite the Deaf all over India. The organization has been felicitated with number of awards both at National and State level.

On this auspicious occasion, I take this opportunity to convey my heartfelt greetings and best wishes to all those associated with holding of the All India Conference for the Deaf.

I wish the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference for the Deaf a grand success.

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

  
(ATUL BORA)



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## MESSAGE

The gathering of the deaf community from all over India here in the beautiful city of Guwahati, Assam is a positive signal for civil society that the time for inclusivity is upon us. On behalf of the organisers and AIFD, it is my pleasant duty to welcome everyone to this Conference.

We plan to spread even greater awareness about the abilities of our community. A start has been made with General Manoj Pandey, the Army Chief, acceding to our request to create opportunities for the deaf in the various military organisations. Upon his directions a start has been made and on instructions, have submitted bio datas of some qualified brothers and sisters. Hopefully the first offers should soon come.

A well known company has through its' CSR funds given a 30 units computer centre that is being readied even as this Conference is being held. Another organisation has agreed in principle, to fund the teachers and other expenses of running the centre. This organisation is already fully funding other such computer centres. Arun Shah and Gopalakrishnan had earlier approached them. They did not sponsor since they say they did not feel confident of whatever they said. So they withdrew. When we approached again, they were confident, they said, of the new team and of me, whom they know for more than a decade. Proposals are being received for the redevelopment of AIFD, and God willing, we should be able to report positive results soon.

Meanwhile kudos to our team for winning the T20 Cricket World Cup. We thank KFC, the sponsors of the team and one of our communities' best corporate friends.

Once again, I wish Tapan, the indefatigable warrior and pioneer for rights for our community, especially in Assam, and his wonderful team and our President Sunil and General Secretary Roshan and their teams, all the very best.

**Prof. Vikram Dutt**  
**Chairman**  
**AIFD**

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I am pleased to announce that All India Federation of the Deaf (AIFD) is organizing the 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf (AICD) in collaboration with Assam Association of the Deaf (AAD) from 18/05/2023 to 21/05/2023. This conference assumes greater importance as it is taking place after the gap of 35 years, the last one was held in 1988 in New Delhi. Hence, I convey my heartfelt thanks to the board of AAD and the local organizing committee for hosting it with confidence. I also applaud all our members in the present Executive Committee, especially General Secretary Mr. Roshan Kumar and Treasurer Mr. Tapan Sarma, for making courageous decision to organize it. We will collectively work to make it a success, come what may.

The present Executive Committee took over the management of AIFD post-election last year (28/05/2023) and we have since then made slow but steady progress on a number of developmental activities under the able mentorship from our Chairman Prof. Vikram Dutt and our advisor Mr. Arun Kajla. We must always stand by those who work for AIFD day in and day out in the face of difficulties unimaginable. In this connection, I also want to make special mention of our General Secretary Mr. Roshan Kumar for his role in protecting the campus of Multipurpose of Training Centre of the Deaf (MPTCD), managing our limited resources as well as leading our projects by staying in a residential house on the MPTCD campus. Also, we must never forget the people who supported us in our tough times, and we should not shy away from acknowledging each and every one for their support. The list is too long to be mentioned here but we recognize their contribution and thank them wholeheartedly.

I also thank each and every one from our State Level Affiliate associations for giving me the opportunity to lead the Federation as its President and I will do my best to turn every organizational challenge into opportunity to grow and become stronger. I assure you that every step I may take as reform will be in the best interest the deaf community to come closer and build strong relationships among diverse groups of deaf people.

Let this conference be the stepping stone for be er tomorrow. Let's Come, discuss, and contribute with your innovative ideas, solutions to all kinds of problems that will not only transform our lives but also build on the foundation that our senior Deaf leaders of the past laid for us through this Federation together with Ms. Surender Saini ji, the long-standing former President of AIFD.

  
(Sunil Sahasrabudhe)

President, AIFD

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I am pleased to welcome you all to **7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf**, and I am honored to serve as the General Secretary of the **All India Federation of the Deaf**.

The conference will provide a platform for fruitful discussions, sharing of knowledge and experiences, and networking opportunities. The contributions of all participants have been invaluable, and I am confident that the knowledge gained and the connections made will have a significant impact on our respective fields.

As we gather to exchange ideas and insights, I encourage all of you to embrace the spirit of collaboration and mutual learning that this conference represents. Let us use this opportunity to build relationships, share knowledge, and explore new approaches to our organization's challenges.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all those who have contributed to the success of this event, including the organizing committee, sponsors, speakers, and participants. Your dedication and hard work have made this conference a resounding success.

Finally, I hope that all of you will take home with you not only new ideas and perspectives but also fond memories of the friendships and connections you have made during this conference.

Thank you for your participation, and I look forward to seeing you all again soon.

Sincerely,

**(Roshan Kumar)**

General Secretary

All India Federation of the Deaf

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At the very outset, I am very grateful to you all for attending this 7<sup>th</sup> All India Deaf Conference of the Deaf to be being held in Guwahati from 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May 2023.

I would like to present my report being the Organising Secretary of 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf before you. I welcome all the delegates, dignitaries and Guests, well-wishers and members etc. who were present in the Conference from all over India in Guwahati, the capital of Assam where a huge number of people enjoying the beauty and charm of the nature. But a few deaf are amongst them depraving this. Once they were called dumb means akara and considered as burden of the family. Now the time has changed the society with stricter laws.

Likewise, All India Federation of the Deaf is the premier organization in India with the support of several state organizations including Assam Association of the Deaf which is hosting this conference. The central office is located in the heart of New Delhi.

All India Federation of the Deaf entrusted the responsibility of hosting 7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf 2023 to the Assam Association of the Deaf which has been fixed from 18 to 21<sup>st</sup> of May 2023. We tried our best efforts to make the event at any cost for enough well despite financial constraints due to natural calamities and spread of Covid-19, the funds could not be raised well as expected earlier. However, we are certainly taking a good opportunity to host the programme as scheduled despite financial difficulties.

In the past, the "4<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf" held in Assam in the year of 1973, we are able to manage good success with 100% assistance from the State Govt. We excuse for our inability to provide 100% required facilities. But we convey my sincere thanks to the Executive Committee Members of All India Federation of the Deaf for giving us wholehearted support to host the conference in cordial note with success despite adverse situations.

Once again, I on behalf of the **Treasurer of All India Federation of the Deaf** and **General Secretary of Assam Association of the Deaf**, convey my sincere thanks and gratitude to each and everyone from all over India who attended this congregation.

*Tapan Sarma*

(Tapan Kr. Sarma)  
Organizing Secretary, 7 AICD.

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## State Affiliated Body of AIFD

**Assam Association of the Deaf**  
Guwahati, Assam



**All Kerala Association of the Deaf**  
Mallapuram, Kerala

**Bihar Association of the Deaf**  
Patna, Bihar



**Deaf Cultural Society**  
Delhi, New Delhi

**Haryana Deaf & Dumb Welfare Association**  
Gurgaon, Haryana





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**Mook Badhir Sangathan**  
Indore, Madhya Pradesh

**Odisha Association of the Deaf**  
Bhubaneswar, Odisha



**All Jammu & Kashmir Association of the Deaf**  
Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir

**Uttar Pradesh Badhir Federation**  
Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh



**Tamil Nadu Federation of the Deaf**  
Hosur, Tamil Nadu



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**India Deaf Society**  
Mumbai, Maharashtra



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**Society for the Deaf**  
Kolkata, West Bengal

**West Bengal Association of the Deaf**  
Kolkata, West Bengal



**Singbhum Association of the Deaf**  
Jamshedpur, Jharkhand



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## Editorial

Education is conscious, well controlled, well planned, well conducted and goal based work. Education makes good life of human being. It means, education and human life has a deep relationship. Always education is related to knowledge. Education always initiates to human being to self dependent partly through come out the inner power. So, we should concentrate our mind to acquire education. According to our constitution, every one has right to take education in any mode which they feel comfortable. But it is painful to say that innumerable children of our country neglected from our constitutional right till now also, mainly who are disabled.

### Why Is it?

- a) Negligence of family
- b) Lack of awareness
- c) Lack of proper treatment
- d) Hesitation of social disorder
- e) Lack of special facility school
- f) Lack of well trained teacher etc.

Actually, guardian should admit their disabled child in the school in the proper age. It is essential for them to take extra importance. According to "Right to Education Act-2009" physically challenged child also has right to take education with the normal child in the normal school. On the basis of few subject societies identify a child is disabled. These are-

- a) Lack of proper physical growth and mental.
- b) Lack of proper behavioural development.
- c) Lack of internal or external organ etc.

### How to go under this situation:-

- a) Lack of nutrition
- b) Mental Disease
- c) Physical and Mental Injury
- d) Weakness of nerves etc.

NCERT with the collaboration of UNICEF have started "project Integrated Education For Disabled Children" in 1987 in which pay a special importance on admission of disabled child in regular school. At the end we can say society, parents and government should importance on disabled children for their establishment and secure life.

**Souvenir "Pratyay":** I am glad to say that on 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 Assam Association of the Deaf is going to host the "7<sup>th</sup> All India Conference of the Deaf" organised by "All India Federation of Deaf". In this connection organising committee want to publish a souvenir with the writings of few noted writers and make an editorial committee for smooth functioning the work. They give the responsibility of editor on me on good faith. But, I abide it that I am not fit for this post. It is very challenging and hard workable work. In this situation Mr. Tapan Kumar Sarmah, Gen. Secretary of AAD and other members of this association inspired me. For that my special thanks to them. On the basis of our request who send their invaluable writings and Messages to us I am thank full to those writers and distinguish persons also. In any moment help me of my colleagues Pradyut Paban Das, Pankaj Narzary, Zarin Jalil, Ankuraj Sarma and editorial board. Without any hesitation I will remember their sacrifice. I try to give a memorable souvenir in your hand. There after also you will see any mistake, you will forgive me think as a family member.

With Thanks

(Mitali Roy Baruah)



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## Folk Art of Assam

There are many various evidences, both direct and indirect can be cited in support of the contention that Assam has had a rich and hoary tradition in the art of painting.

One of the oldest recorded evidences as to the existence of the practice of painting in ancient Assam is that of the inclusion, apart from various other things of artistic importance of painting, paraphernalia and painted articles "carved boxes of panels for painting with brushes and guards attached, and birds enclosed in gold painted bamboo cages"- among the gift presented by the Pragjyotisha King Kumara Bhaskara Varman to his friend and ally, Emperor Harsha Vardhana. Apart from this, direct references found in Harsa-carita of Banabhatta. Some indirect pointers as to the art of painting having been practiced in Assam during the rule of Varman dynasty are to be found. The Nidhanpur grant of Bhaskarvarman says that the king's portraits were seen in the palaces of his vassals; also the Uttarbil copper plate of Balavarman III contains a reference to a palace of the king which is saccitra, Le. containing pictures within. Again, from the exquisite workmanship of the stone doorframe found at Da- Parbatiya near Tezpur, which has been accepted as an outstanding example of the art of Gupta period, "It is developed in isolation. With the high development of architectural and sculptural arts, Assam must have developed its own style of painting too." Later some stone sculptures, some with folk characteristics are, however, clearly indicative of the prevalence of the corresponding folk painting style.

The description given by biographers of the painting of the scenes from the Seven Vaikunthas (heavens) on Tulapat (indigenously made paper) by the great medieval Assamese saint-artist Sankardeva (1449-1568), which formed the backdrop for the production of his first drama Cihnayatra, is another important evidence the merits according to which, the illustrious disciple of Sankardeva, while producing the play Govardhana-yatra, had mountain painted in the manner of Patuas. That incidentally, gives another relevant clue as to the antiquity of the art of painting in Assam. References Patuas (Painters of Patas or Pictures) are frequently met with in medieval Assamese literature, signifying the existing in those days of a class of professional painters and the expression "in the manner of the Patuas clearly indicates that the Patuas had a distinctive style of painting. The frequent occurrence of terms and expressions like Citrakara (Painter), Pata/Citrapata (Painting) and Citrara Putala/Putali (a figure in a painting) in old Assamese literature would suggest that not only was the Assamese society in those days familiar with painting but the art of painting was fairly intimately connected with life in general. In Kamrupi dialect of Assamese language, there is an expression still current, which points to the practice of painting having been associated with another community. The natas are professional singers and dancers. The expression- Nata their Pat-means a painting belonging to the house of the natas.

Their works were non-elite, popular or folk nature, and that the available specimens of old painting with a folk character as well as the work of contemporary folk artists contain, elements that represent a continuation of the old tradition of the Patuas and the Natas.

The above evidences claim that the tradition of painting in Assam is consider ably old and it had at some time been quite widely popular.



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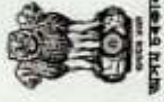
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- ১) অসম চৰকাৰ, চৰকাৰী প্ৰতিষ্ঠান আৰু ৰাজ্যিক ব্যক্তিত্বা যন্তৰ কৰ্মচাৰীসকলক এই আইনৰ ভিতৰত সামৰি লোৱা হ'ব।
- ২) অসম চৰকাৰৰ দ্বাৰা তিনি তৰপীয়া গাঁথনিৰে প্ৰস্তুত কৰা সময় সাপেক্ষ ব্যৱস্থাকালীৰে সঠিক সময়ত ন্যায় প্ৰদান কৰা হ'ব।
- ৩) উল্লেখিত কৰ্মচাৰীৰ পিতৃ-মাতৃ বা দিবাংগ ভাতৃ-ভগ্নী যদি আৰ্থিকভাৱে অৱহেলিত হয়, তেনেহ'লে তেওঁলোকে দাবী কৰিলে সংশ্লিষ্ট কৰ্মচাৰীজনৰ মাহিলি বেতনৰ পৰা ১০ শতাংশ ধৰাশি (আৰু বিশেষ পৰিস্থিতিত ১৫ শতাংশ পৰ্যন্ত) আৰ্থিক সাহায্যৰূপে প্ৰদান কৰা হ'ব।
- ৪) যদি কৰ্মচাৰীজনৰ অৱসৰৰ আগতে মৃত্যু হয়, তেন্তে তেওঁৰ ওপৰত নিৰ্ভৰশীল আৰু আৰ্থিকভাৱে অৱহেলিত পিতৃ-মাতৃ বা দিবাংগ ভাতৃ-ভগ্নীসকলে পত্নী/উত্তৰাধিকাৰীয়ে লাভ কৰা সহানুভূতিশীল পেন্সনৰ (Compassionate Pension) ১০% (যোজকনী ক্ষেত্ৰত ১৫%) লৈকে ক্ষতিপূৰণ দাবী কৰিব পাৰিব। অৱশ্যে পাৰিবাৰিক পেন্সন (Family Pension)ৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত এইটো প্ৰযোজ্য নহয়।
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