



## **COAL INDIA LIMITED**

(Govt. of India Enterprise)
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(महारत्न कंपनी)

(An ISO 9001:2015, ISO 14001:2015 & ISO 50001:2011 Certified Company)

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The C.M.D., ECL/BCCL/CCL/WCL/NCL/MCL/SECL/CMPDIL

## विषय: Issue of revised PPO to the existing pensioners for hassle-free payment to their spouse in the event of death

Dear Sir,

The matter of starting hassle-free pension to spouse in event of death of pensioners is being discussed since long at different fora.

Commissioner, CMPFO vide letter no.: CPF/CP/111 (26)/Pen/Misc/HQ/Vol.-III/520 dated 25<sup>th</sup> August 2023 (Annexure-A) addressed to Director (Personnel) of CIL & Subsidiaries requested to provide compiled and authenticated documents of spouse/pensioners routed through Area level/Area General Manager to concerned Regional Offices of CMPFO in excel for with soft copy for issuing revised PPO.

Director (P & IR), CIL vide letter no.: CIL/D (P & IR): 005:10:101 dated 04.09.2023 (Annexure-B) raised the issues/difficulties faced in providing information as sought by Commissioner, CMPFO.

Subsequently, Additional Commissioner, CMPFO vide letter no.: CPF/CP/111 (26)/Pen/Misc/HQ/Vol.-III/565 dated 14<sup>th</sup> Sept,2023 addressed to officials of CMPFO (Annexure-C) provided a format of revised PPO for generating and issuing revised PPOs within a month, for achieving the objective of hassle free payment of spouse pension.

However, it has been learnt that progress neither from coal companies' side nor from CMPFO's side has been made, due to which the retired employees of coal companies, at present, are clueless and accordingly raising their concerns at all levels.

The matter was discussed with Commissioner, CMPFO on 02.01.2024 and he has assured to provide all assistance in clearing the issue from their end. The desired information, as sought by CMPFO, is required to be submitted by coal companies in excel format as mentioned in above letter dated 25.08.2023.

Therefore, it is being requested that the concerned officials may be sensitized in the matter for completion of the task at the earliest. It is also suggested that a subsidiary-wise nodal officer may be appointed for monitoring and completion of the above task on priority basis. The details of nodal officers to be sent to GM (MP & IR), CIL.

A review meeting on the matter will be held with Director (Personnel) of Subsidiaries alongwith the concerned officials in next week.

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