

No.3/23/09-3FPPC/1358
GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
(FINANCE PENSION POLICY AND COORDINATION BRANCH)

Dated, Chandigarh, the 15th December, 2011

To

All Heads of Departments,
Commissioners of Divisions,
Registrar, High Court of Punjab and Haryana,
District and Sessions Judges and
Deputy Commissioners in the State.

Subject: Implementation of the recommendations of the Fifth Punjab Pay Commission regarding pension and other retirement benefits.

Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to para 3.1 of Government letter No. 3/23/09-3FPPC/879, dated 17th August, 2009, on the subject cited above and to say that the Governor of Punjab is pleased to decide that the linkage of full pension with qualifying service of 33 years shall be dispensed with. Once a Government employee has rendered minimum qualifying service of twenty-five years, pension shall be admissible equal to 50% of emoluments or average emoluments received during the last 10 months, whichever is beneficial to him.

2. Nothing in this communication shall apply to the employees governed by the New Pension Scheme.
3. These orders shall come into force with effect from 1st December, 2011.
4. The other terms and conditions regarding grant of pension and other retirement benefits shall remain unchanged.
5. Necessary amendment in rules shall be made in due course.
6. Punjabi version of these orders shall follow in due course.

Yours faithfully,

(USHA SEHGAL)
Joint Secretary Finance