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Circular.

Sub: Grant of family pension to dependant parents and unmarried /divorced/widowed daughters beyond 25 years of age in respect of Class-I & II Officers.

The Ministry of Shipping, Government of India vide its letter No. A-29018/5/2006-PE-I dt.04.03.2013 has communicated that dependant parents and the Unmarried/divorced/widowed daughters beyond 25 years of age of retired Officers, who had retired prior to 01.01.2007 would also be eligible to draw family pension. Grant of actual family pension would, however, be on establishment of their genuinity before the Pension Sanctioning Authority.

Thus, the benefit of grant of family pension to the above category of dependants as laid down in Category – II of Para 9 of the letter No.A-29018/5/2006-PE-I dt.18.2.11 of the Ministry of Shipping, Government of India would be extended to the above referred category of dependants of officers, retired prior to 01.01.2007 but the actual family pension would be payable w.e.f 01.01.2007 or thereafter as the case may be subject to compliance of Port procedure and establishment of the genuinity of the claim and claimant.

This is in partial modification of this Office circular dt. 25.09.2012 with

respect to the above issue.

A Circular issued on this subject vide No. Fin/PSLI/13/1344 dated 23.10.2013 however, stands cancelled and withdrawn.

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