

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAIL MANTRALAYA)  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

S. No. 60/PC-VII

RBE No.: 137 /2017

File No. PC-VII/2016/1/7/2/1

New Delhi, dated: 06.10.2017

The General Manager/CAOs(R),  
All India Railways & Production Units,  
(As per mailing list)

**Sub: - Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees –  
Revised Rates effective from 01.07.2017.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's letter RBE No 30/2017 dated 31.03.2017 (F. No. PC-VII/2016/1/7/2/1) on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Railway employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 4% to 5% of the basic pay with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2017.

2. The term 'basic pay' in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7<sup>th</sup> CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.
3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of Rule 1303 (FR 9(21)), Indian Railway Establishment Code, Volume –II (Sixth Edition – 1987) – Second Reprint 2005.
4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.
5. The payment of arrears of Dearness Allowance shall not be made before the date of disbursement of salary of September, 2017.
6. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

  
Jaya Kumar G)

Deputy Director, Pay Commission-VII  
Railway Board

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Copy (with 40 spares) forwarded to the A.D.A.I., Railways, New Delhi.

  
For Financial Commissioner, Railways

**RAIL VIKAS NIGAM LTD.**  
(A Govt. Of India Enterprise)

No. RVNL/1/75/HR

12-10-2017

**Sub: Payment of D.A. at revised rates to employees drawing pay under CDA pattern**

Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) vide their letter No. PC-VII/2016/1/7/2/1 dated 6-10-2017 (copy enclosed) has circulated the revised rate of D.A. for Railway employees w.e.f. 1-7-2017. Accordingly, revised rate of D.A. shall be payable to all employees working in RVNL on deputation and drawing pay under Central D.A. pattern of pay as under:-

Effective date	Existing %age of CDA (w.e.f. 1-1-2017)	Revised %age of CDA (w.e.f. 1-7-2017)
1.7.2017	4%	5%

  
(Sathyan Pillai)  
AGM(HR)

DGM (F)II /CO(with a copy of Rly. Board Notification dated 6-10-17)

Copy to:

Secy. to CMD (for kind information of CMD)  
DPE,DP,DF,CVO  
All employees drawing pay on CDA pattern  
All CPMs  
All JGMs/DGMs(Fin), PIUs  
Asst. Mgr.(Fin) (MKS)  
AM(PP&D)  
Notice Board

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