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Online Reregistration of former pensioners who were registered under No: 82/83 and M/F Categories for Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Scheme

It is compulsory for all the public employees to contribute to the Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Scheme under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance of 1898 and the Widowers and Orphans Pension Act No. 24 of 1983. Your attention is kindly drawn to the instructions given by the Ministry of Public Administration and Management and the Department of Pensions from time to time with regard to the above.

02. Accordingly, membership numbers have already been issued under 82/83 and F/M categories using Form General 86 and 86 (a).

03. Further, the online system has been introduced to the new officers who join the Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Scheme from 12.03.2015 and they have been registered through PD 01 application and number categories are issued.

04. The tasks of the Department of Pensions are being simplified and regularized by computerizing them and all the public officers submit their applications online to obtain the pension benefits.

05. This has been identified as an efficient and productive programme and since the information of the officers is updated very often, it is no more required to call for information repeatedly. In order to improve these facilities, it has been decided to reregister all the officers as per para 02 above, who have been registered in Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Scheme in the online system including the Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension No and the National Identity Card number (New/old).

06. Further, facilities have been provided to the officers who have already been registered in the online system as per para 03 above, to update their information.

Therefore, it is compulsory for all the officers to reregister on the online system before 03.31.2018. Accordingly, you are kindly informed to visit the web site www.pensions.gov.lk and to access the reregistration of Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension and to reregister in the Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Scheme as per the instructions therein.



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