

**F.NO.14/3/2008-JCA**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions**  
**(Department of Personnel & Training)**

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Dated, the 11 September 2008

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:- Grant of increased rate of Washing Allowance to common categories of Group 'C' and 'D' employees of various Ministries/ Departments.**

Consequent upon the decisions taken by the Government on the recommendations made by the Sixth Central Pay Commission and in supersession of this Department's O.M. No.14/9/95-JCA dated 12.12.2000 on the subject of Washing Allowance, the President is pleased to order that the rate of Washing Allowance will be revised from the existing Rs.30/- per month to Rs.60/- per month for all common categories of Group 'C' and 'D' employees who have been supplied with uniforms. Moreover, the rate of washing allowance will be increased by 25% every time the Dearness Allowance payable on revised pay scales goes up by 50%.

2. These orders shall be effective from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2008.
3. Insofar as persons serving in the Indian Audit & Accounts Department are concerned, these orders issue after consultation with the Comptroller & Auditor General of India.
4. Hindi version will follow.

  
**(Dinesh Kapila)**

**Deputy Secretary to the Govt. Of India**

To

All Ministries/ Departments of the Government of India.