From

Director,

Treasuries & Accounts Department

Haryana, Chandigarh.

То

All Treasury Officers/Assistant Treasury Officers

In the State of Haryana

Memo No. TA-HR (DMC)/NPS/ 2022/**/১૩o** 

Dated: 23/05/2022

Subject:

Ambassador and Champion Model for Nodal offices implementing National

Pension System (NPS) in the State Government Sector.

Please find enclosed PFRDA letter no. PFRDA/17/07/12/0002/2020-RnS-CG dated 22.07.2021 on the above mentioned subject, which is self explanatory in nature.

Vide above letter, Pension Fund Regulatory Development Authority (PFRDA) has conveyed regarding starting of "Ambassador and Champion Model for Nodal Offices implementing National Pension System (NPS) in the State Government Sector." Each DTA as an Ambassador, shall be eligible to compete under the "Champion" model. The Ambassadors getting the maximum scores would be awarded as the "Champions of NPS in State Government Sector". The period for adjudging the nodal office performances would be April 2022 to March 2023. The performance of the Nodal offices during aforementioned period would be judged on the scoring based on following indicative list of parameters under NPS:-

- (i) Reduction in-Delay in PRAN Generation; Nil Credit PRANs; Non-IRA PRANs; number of PRANs without Nomination and Mobile numbers and Errors in fund remittance.
- (ii) Increase in Subscriber credit coverage.
- (iii) Improvement in Turnaround Times for resolution of Grievances and processing & authorization of Exit/withdrawal requests.
- From above, it is clear that to become champion of NPS, our DTOs/DDOs are required to be 3. more active. But, from review of monthly reports on above parameters, it transpires that neither the DTOs are carrying about effective monitoring nor DDOs are taking it seriously. The number of pending parameters are not reducing significantly. Meetings have also been organised with the erring DDOs/DTOs in the recent past, but no improvements have been witnessed so far. Taking cognizance of this issue, Government had also issued directions to all concerned vide memo no. 2/18/2010-1 Pension dated 23.07.2018 (copy attached).

You are, therefore, requested to take the matter seriously and get the different parameters of NPS subscribers updated in association with DDOs under your jurisdiction. This task is required to be completed within one month from issue of this letter. You may contact to Sh. Ramesh Chand , AO-cum-Nodal Officer (NPS) in case of any assistance. The matter will be reviewed by higher authority shortly.

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for: Director, Treasuries and Accounts Department, Haryana, Chandigarh Dated: 23/05/2022

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A copy of the above is forwarded to all DDOs of the State of Haryana with the request to update the pending parameters of your NPS Subscribers with the help of DTOs/ATOs concerned so that Haryana may compete for "Champion Model" in the State Government Sector.

Joint Director (DMC) for: Director, Treasuries and Accounts Department, Haryana, Chandigarh

From

Principal Secretary to Government Haryana Finance Department.

To

1. All Heads of Departments, Commissioners of Division.

2. All Deputy Commissioners & Sub Divisional Officers (Civil) in Haryana.

3. The Registrar, Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.

Memo No. 2/18/2010-1Pension Dated Chandigarh, the 23rd July, 2018.

Subject:-

Regarding updation of subscription detail under New Pension Scheme and Deposit of contribution — issue of instruction thereof.

Sir/Madam,

Kindly refer to this Department's guidelines issued vide letter No. 1/1/2014-1Pension dated 04.12.2008 in relation to the NPS and other instructions from time to time on the subject cited above.

It has been observed that the service of Haryana Government employees are being regularised after 01.01.2006 from the date of their joining in the various departments due to Court cases or administrative decisions. As per instructions issued by the Government, employee's contribution towards NPS is required to be deposited from the following month of their joining but in such cases NPS subscription have not been deposited in NPS by the concerned Drawing and Disbursing Officer which is a quite serious matter. Further, the above instructions dated 04.12.2008 clearly stipulates that one instalment of regular NPS contribution and one instalment of arrear contribution of NPS is to be deducted from the regular monthly salary of the employee.

Apart from above, the issue of updating of Nominations, e-mail address, Mobile Number and Bank details as well as, latest address of subscribers is also pending since long. Pension Funds Regulatory Development Authority, New Delhi (PFRDA) has taken serious on this issue.

Keeping in view of the above facts, it is, therefore, requested to issue the instructions to the concerned DDOs under your kind control to (i) update the legacy amount as per Govt. instructions No. 1/1/2004-1Pension dated 04.12.2008 with immediate effect and (ii) to update the Nominations/email address/Mobile Number/Latest Address of the subscribers for smooth functioning of NPS scheme,

The above instructions may be brought to the notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

Under Secretary Finance (Pension)
for Principal Secretary to Government Haryana
Finance Department

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. Chief Secretary to Government Haryana.

2. All the Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries to

My 23/7/18 Under Secretary Finance (Pension) for Principal Secretary to Government Haryana Pinance Department

To

1. Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana.

2. All the Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries to Govt. Haryana.

U.O No. 2/18/2010-1Pension Endst. No. 2/18/2010-1Pension

Dated Chandigarh, 23.07.2018. Dated Chandigarh, 23.07.2018.

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

> 1. Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit) Haryana, Chandigarh.

> 2. Director, Treasuries & Accounts Department, Haryana, 30 Bays Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh, w.r.t. their memo No. TA-HR(DMC)/2018/9555 dated 25.04.2018 (received 04.05.2018).

> 3. All Treasury Officers/Assistant Treasury Officers in Haryana

4. Treasury Officers Haryana, Delhi & Chandigarh.

5. In-charge, Computer Cell, Finance Department for placing the same on the website of Finance Department www.finhry.gov.in Wy 23/1/18

Under Secretary Finance (Pension) for Principal Secretary to Government Haryana Finance Department.

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Shri Sunil Saran, IES
Director General,
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Dear Sir,

Subject - Ambassador and Champion Model for Nodal offices implementing National Pension System (NPS) in the State Government Sector

PFRDA has been regularly interacting with the State Government Nodal offices through various forums, for smooth implementation and operationalization of NPS in the State of Government Sector. During such interactions the various operational and supervisory areas of concerns are flagged by PFRDA with the Government Nodal offices and the offices are advised to take necessary corrective action to streamline the NPS related activities.

2. In its endeavor to further strengthen the implementation and operationalization of NPS, PFRDA has decided to establish a process to recognize the valuable contribution of the Nodal offices in operationalization of NPS in the State Government Sector. The said process has been termed as Ambassador and Champion Model for Nodal offices implementing National Pension System (NPS) in the State Government Sector.

- 3. Under the proposed <u>Ambassador Model</u> Director General, presently registered as Directorate of Treasuries & Accounts in the CRA system is being nominated as an **Ambassador**. The Nodal office so nominated as an "**Ambassador**" is responsible for strengthening implementation of NPS and would have the following roles;
  - Arranging for regular training of the underlying offices.
  - Update oneself and further train/educate/disseminate information on regular basis regarding process improvements/system developments under NPS.
  - Improvement in quantitative and qualitative operational parameters of performance under NPS.

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- 4. Each DTA nominated as an Ambassador, shall thus be eligible to compete under the "Champion" model. Hence, under the Champion Model, your office for being chosen as Champion would be competing amongst Nodal offices nominated as Ambassadors in other State Governments. The Ambassadors getting the maximum scores would be awarded as the "Champions of NPS in State Government Sector".
- 5. To aid the nodal offices to cope up with the hardships being faced during the pandemic period and to provide ample time to the offices to prepare themselves for the process towards relection of Champions, the period for adjudging the nodal office performances would be April 2022 to March 2023. The performance of the Nodal offices during aforementioned period would be judged on the scoring based on following *indicative* list of parameters under NPS:
  - Reduction in Delay in PRAN Generation; Nil credit PRANs; Non-IRA PRANs; number
    of PRANs without Nomination and Mobile numbers and Errors in fund remittance.
  - Increase in Subscriber credit coverage
  - Improvement in Turnaround Times for resolution of Grievances and processing & authorization of Exit/withdrawal requests.
- 6. I hope you will appreciate PFRDA's present endeavor and consider issuing necessary directions to all your underlying offices DTOs/DDOs to contribute towards effective conduct of the said recognition exercise. PFRDA shall be extending all necessary support and cooperation to facilitate improvement in the NPS related activities & parameters in your underlying offices.

With Regards.

Yours Sincerely,

(Sumeet Kaur Kapoor) Chief General Manager