Suo-moto disclosure of information under the section 4(1)(b)(c)(d) of the RTI Act 2005 – AN-XIV Section

(i) Conditions for Stepping of pay under 6th CPC:

In cases, where a Government servant promoted to a higher post before the 1st day of January, 2006, draws less pay in the revised pay structure than his junior who is promoted to the higher post on or after the 1st day of January 2006, the pay in the pay band of the senior Government servant should be stepped up to an amount equal to the pay in the pay band as fixed for his junior in that higher post. The stepping up should be done with effect from the date of promotion of the junior Government subject to the fulfillments of the following conditions, namely:-

- (a) Both the junior and the senior Government servants should belong to the same cadre and the posts to which they have been promoted or appointed should be identical and in the same cadre.
- (b) The pre-revised scale of pay and the revised grade pay of the lower and higher posts in which they are entitled to draw pay should be identical.
- (c) The senior government servants at the time of promotion should have been drawing equal or more pay than the junior.
- (d) The anomaly should be directly as a result of the application of the provisions of Fundamental Rule 22 or any other rule or order regulating pay fixation on such promotion in the revised pay structure. If even in the lower post, the junior officer was drawing more pay in the pre-revised scale than the senior by virtue of any advance increments granted to him, provision of this Note need not be invoked to step up the pay of the senior officer.

Subject to the provisions of Rule 5, if the pay as fixed in the officiating post under sub-rule (1) is lower than the pay fixed in the substantive post, the former shall be fixed at the same stage as the substantive pay.

(Auth: Note 10 below Rule 7 of CCS(RP) Rules, 2008)

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(ii) TA/DA/LTC

Following Circulars on LTC clarifications issued by HQrs Offices are enclosed:

- (a) No.AN/XIV/19015/Govt. Orders/2014 dated 15.10.2014 on 'Procedure for booking of Air Tickets on LTC'.
- (b) No.AN/XIV/19015/Govt. Orders/2014 dated 16.10.2014 on 'Frequently asked questions (FAQs) on LTC entitlements of Fresh Recruits'.

(iii) Medical Claims:

Guidelines for streamlining medical claims were issued to all Controllers offices vide this Office Circular No.AN/XIV/19013/Medical/Orders dated 19.02.2015 (copy enclosed).

(iv) Court Cases

Department of Expenditure OM No.f.No.7(8)/2012-E-III(A) dated 16.05.2012 on 'Submission before Courts / Central Administrative Tribunals and handling of Court Cases on pay and allowances and service conditions etc.' is enclosed.
