

CENTRAL GOVT PRE-2006 PENSIONERS GET JUSTICE

FROM JUDICIARY

Pre-2006 pensioners from the level of Joint Secretary and below have been deprived of correct pension as per the accepted recommendations of Sixth Central Pay Commission for the last 7 years. Central Govt S 29 (SAG) Pensioners Association initiated the fight for justice through legal course and got a judgement from Principal Bench CAT, New Delhi in November 2011 directing re-fixation of pension of all pre 2006 pensioners from 1-1-2006 within three months. The Govt. filed a petition in Delhi High Court which was dismissed on 29-4-2013 upholding the judgement of CAT, New Delhi.

Despite losing the case in High Court the Govt prolonged the litigation process little realising the agony of old pensioners by filing SLP in Supreme Court on 26/7/2013 which was **dismissed** by double bench of SC on 29-7-2013.

It is high time that after having dragged the pensioners to the highest court of land and losing the case, the Govt puts an end to perpetuating the harassment of old pensioners and re-fix the pension forthwith correctly from 1-1-2006 as per directive of CAT, reconfirmed by Delhi High Court and Supreme Court without any further delay and let not the obduracy of bureaucracy come in the way of belated justice.

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