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## GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Dated Lahore, the April, 2016

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To

The Accounts Officer,
Office of the
Accountant General, Punjab,
Lahore.

## SUBJECT: FAMILY PENSION TO THE WIDOW DAUGHTER.

Please refer to your letter No.Pension.I(Coord)8518 Dated 02<sup>nd</sup> November, 2015 on the subject noted above.

- It is informed that earlier letter of your office bearing No.Pension.I(Coord)CD-2518-20 dated 23.09.2014 was responded vide this Department's letter of even number dated 10.12.2014 (copy enclosed).
- As regard further issues, the case has been examined and it is decided as follows:-

Queries of A.G. Office		Reply by Finance Department
(i)	If one pensioner left behind more than one widow/divorced daughters how pension will be distributed among them.	If one pensioner left behind more than one widow/divorced daughters, the pension will be paid to widow daughter in terms of Rule 4.10(iii) of The Punjab Civil Services Pension Rules.
(ii)	If one widow/divorced daughter is in receipt of pension and another	No.

	daughter becomes	
	widow/divorced, will she be entitled to share the pension being drawn by her widow/divorced sister?	
(iii)	Will all unmarried/divorced/widow daughter of pensioner be entitled family (even if they become widow/divorced)? If so with what ratio pension be divided among them.	No. In such scenario, only un-married daughters in terms of Rule 4.10(2)(A)(ii) of The Punjab Civil Services Pension Rules would be entitled to family pension on equation basis.
(iv)	If the pensioner had a family at the time of retirement/death as defined in rule 4.7 of pension rules but subsequently all family members are not eligible for family pension will unmarried sister be entitled pension who is a family member in the light of Rule 4.8-d(2).	Yes.
(v)	If a pensioner leaves family members as defined in rule 4.7 and with the passage of time all family members become unentitled for pension, will family members as defined in rule 4.8-d be entitled for family pension?	The Family pension will only be admissible to those who are mentioned in Rule 4.10 of Pension Rules. The "family" shown under Rule 4.7 and 4.8(d) of The Punjab Civil Services Pension Rules is restricted to "gratuity" only.

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