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Finance (Pay Cell) Department, Fort St. George, Chennai - 600 009. Letter No.22054/Pay Cell-1 Dated: 07.04.2005 From Thiru S. Gandhi, B. Corn., Additional Secretary to Government. То All Secretaries to Government. All Heads of Departments. All Departments of Secretariat. All Collectors / District Judges / Magistrates. The Accountant General, Chennai-9/18/35! Madurai. AU Pay and Accounts Officers. All Treasury Officers I All Sub-Treasury Officers. The Registrar, High Court, Chennai–104. The Chairman, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, Chennai-2. The Commissioner, Corporation of Chennai/Madurai/Salem/ Tiruchirapalli / Tirunelveli / Coimbatore Sir, Sub: Pension and other retirement benefits — Payment of VI Pay Commission arrears to those retired from 1-1-96 to 31-3-2004 and after 1-4-2004 Further clarification — issued. Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.No.413, Finance (PC) Department dated: 31-7-2004. 2 G.O.Ms.No.414 Fiance (PC) Department dated: 31-7-2004. 3. From the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government, Chennai Letter No.1693 /01/2005, dated: 26-3-2005. I am to invite your attention to the references cited. 2) The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government in the reference third cited has raised clarification on the mode of payment of 60% Pay Commission Arrears in respect of certain cases, where the Accountant General has issued authorization to different Drawing and Disbursing Officers and in some cases where the Heads of Department arid Heads of Offices have not sanctioned the first instalment of VI Pay Commission arrears due to administrative reasons in the last financial year 2004- 2005. In all Such cases, whether both the instalment due for 2004-2005 and

3) I am directed to clarify that in cases where the Heads of Department and Heads of Offices received the Accountant General's Authorization during the financial year 2004-2005 or at a later

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date and in whose case the first installment due for 2004-2005 has not been sanctioned during that financial year itself, the Heads of Departments / Heads of Offices shall sanction the first instalment due for 2004-2005 along with the second instalment due in 2005-06 together. The Drawing and Disbursing Officers shall claim 2/3rd of the amount of Pay Commission arears due during the financial year 2005-06 after issue of necessary proceedings by the heads of Departments / Heads of Offices and that the payment should be made only by means of Small Saving Scrips. Necessary enteries to this effect shall also be made in the register maintained in the Heads of Departments / Heads of Offices for the said purpose

Yours faithfully, for Additional Secretary to Government