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**Sub: Merger of 50% of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief with
Basic Pay/Pension to Central Government employees -
Clarification regarding.**

Please refer to Board's letter of even number dated 11.3.2004 on the above mentioned subject.

2. Subsequent to the issue of these orders, various queries regarding calculation of Non-Practicing Allowance (NPA) and change in its ceiling have been received. In this connection, please find enclosed herewith a clarification dated 7-6-2004 as received from the Ministry of Finance

3. Hindi version will follow.

P.K. Goel
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Director, Pay Commission
Railway Board

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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
(Implementation Cell)

New Delhi, dated the 7th June, 2004

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Merger of 50% of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief with basic pay/pension to Central Government employees – clarification regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even number dated the 1st March, 2004 on the abovementioned subject and to say that subsequent to issue of these orders references have been received from ministries/departments with regard to (i) rectification of anomalous situation which has cropped up in respect of doctors on account of the ceiling of Rs.29500 imposed by the Government on basic pay plus NPA and (ii) the manner in which pay has to be regulated with effect from 1.4.2004.

2. The issues have been considered by the Government and it is clarified that Dearness Pay shall be excluded for purposes of determining the limit that Basic Pay + NPA can not exceed Rs.29500. Further, as in the case of all other Central Government employees, Dearness Pay will be computed @ 50% of the basic pay (excluding NPA) for Doctors also. Non Practicing Allowance shall, however, be paid on basic pay plus dearness pay. The computation shall be made in the manner illustrated below:-

Basic Pay	18000
DP @ 50% of basic pay	9000

	27000
NPA @ 25% of 27000	6750

	33750
DA @ 11% of 27000 ³³⁷⁵⁰	3713

Total	37463

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