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Appendix-8BENEFITS OF RULE. 30 OF THE CCS (PENSION) RULES-1972 TO THE SCIENTISTS
UNDER ICAR

**INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
KRISHI BHAVAN: NEW DELHI.**

F. No. 8-7/78-Per. IV

Dated the 9th May, 1979

To

The Directors/Project Directors of all the Research Institutes.

Subject: - Extension of the benefit of rule 30 of the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 to the members of the A.R.S. and Scientists under the Council.

Sir,

The Governing Body and President of the I.C.A.R. have approved the following: ----

- a Extension of the benefit of added years of service under Rule 30 of the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 to the members of the A.R.S., to the scientists holding higher scientific posts as well as to those scientists under the Council who have not yet opted for the A.R.S., subject to the conditions laid down thereon.
- b Option to scientists recruited at the age of 35 years or more to subscribe to the Contributory Provident Fund.

2. To give effect to these decisions, the following provisions are made in the A.R.S. Rules and in the Recruitment Rules for higher scientific posts:---

(A) A.R.S. Rules

- (i) Add the following as Rule 22---A:--
"A member of the Service appointed to a scientific post----under the Council on a regular basis after 31.3.1960 will be eligible to add to his service qualifying for superannuation pension (but not for any other class of pension) the actual period not exceeding one----fourth of the length of the service or the actual period by which his age at the time of recruitment exceeded 25 years or a period of 5 years, whichever is less, on fulfillment of the conditions prescribed in rule 30 of the C.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1972 as amended from time to time"
- (ii) Add the following as rule 22-----B

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“ A scientist who is recruited at the age of 35 years or more may, within a period of three months from the date of his appointment, elect to forego his right to pension whereupon he will be eligible to subscribe to a Contributory Provident Fund.

(A) Recruitment Rules for Higher Scientific Posts

(i) Add the following as Rule 9:

“A scientist appointed to any scientific post under the Council after 31st March, 1960 on a regular basis and holding a post in any of the grades covered under these rules, will be eligible to add to his service qualifying for superannuation pension (but not for any other class of pension) the actual period not exceeding one—fourth of the length of his service or the actual period by which his age at the time of recruitment exceeded 25 years or a period of 5 years, whichever is less, on fulfillment of the conditions prescribed under rule 30 of the C.C.S. (Pension) Rules”.

(ii) Add the following as rule 10:

“A scientist who is recruited at the age of 35 years or more may, within a period of three months from the date of appointment, elect to forego his right to pension whereupon he will be eligible to subscribe to a contributory Provident Fund”

3. These decisions may kindly be brought to the notice of the concerned employees of your Institute.

Yours faithfully,

**Sd/-
(S.S Dhanoa)
Secretary**

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Appendix-8**INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
KRISHI BHAVAN: NEW DELHI.****No. 8-7/77-Per.IV****Dated the 17th August 1983**

To

The Directors/Project Directors of all the Research Institutes.

Subject: Extension of the benefits of Rule 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 to the members of the ARS and scientists under the council-----classifications there of.

Sir,

Please refer to council's letter of even number dated the 9th May 1979 under which the benefits of Rule-30 of CCS (Pension) Rules 1972 have been extended to the Scientists of the I.C.A.R. In this context certain clarifications with regard to the application of these orders have been sought for by the Directors of the Institutes. The points raised by the various Institutes for clarifications have been examined in detail in consultation with the Ministry of Finance/D.O.P. The points raised and the decisions thereon are as under: -

<u>S. No.</u>	<u>Points raised</u>	<u>Decisions</u>
1.	The date of effect of Council's order dated 9.5.79 extending the benefit of Rule 30 to ICAR Scientists.	The Rule 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 has been adopted by the council for its Scientific employees viz. ARS Scientists and Scientists who are not under this service with the approval of the Governing Body and the President, ICAR. These are effective from 14.6.78 i.e. the date on which the President gave his approval to the proceedings of the Governing Body.
2.	Whether this benefit would be admissible to those Council's Scientists who had been recruited after attaining the age of 25 years or more after 31.3.60 and had since retired/continuing in Service.	The benefit of Rule 30 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 is admissible to those Scientists who have been recruited after attaining the age of 25 years or more after 31.3.60, subject to the condition that specific provision regarding the admissibility of the envisaged under the said exits in the Recruitment Rules. Since the provision regarding

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the benefit of this rules has been made in the Recruitment Rules with effect from 14.6.78, the Scientists who have retired/will retire from this date onwards would be entitled to the said benefit.

3. Whether it is necessary in the cases of Scientists who were recruited after 31.3.1960 i.e. after attaining the age of 35 years to exercise an option to elect within a period of 3 months, to forgo this right to pension as provided under the rules from the date of Council's order.
- Yes, the concerned scientists are required to exercise options. Since specific options for this purpose have not already been given to them to do so, they may now be given to them to do so, they may now be given a chance to exercise options within 3 months from the date of issue of this letter, to forgo right to pension whereupon, they shall be liable to subscribe to Contributory Provident Fund. Options may also be obtained from the Scientists who have already retired on or after 14.6.78 and are entitled to the benefit of Rule 30 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

The case of all eligible scientists who have retired or are continuing in service of the Council where the benefit of added years of service under Rule 30 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 is to be allowed for purpose of retirement benefits on superannuation pension, are to be processed by the Administration at ICAR (Hqrs.)/ Institutes on the basis of the above clarifications and decided with the approval of the D.G., ICAR in his capacity as Head of the Council. After doing so, suitable endorsements are also to be recorded in the Service Books/Service Cards of the concerned scientists by the Administration concerned. In the case of retired Scientists, their revised pension papers are to be forwarded by the concerned Administrative Sections to Pension Section at ICAR Headquarters for revising their retirement benefits on superannuation. Entries are also to be recorded in the cases of future entrants whether the benefits of added years of service is admissible to the scientist concerned or not, in his/her service book/card to avoid any difficulty in settling their pension claim at the time of retirement.

The receipt of this letter may pl. be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

**Sd/-
(S.P. RAI)
(Director (Per))**

**INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
KRISHI BHAVAN: NEW DELHI.**

F.No 8-7/77-Per. IV

Dated the 24th April, 1985

To

All Directors/Project Directors
of All the Research Initiates.

Subject: - Extension of the benefits of Rule 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 to the Members of the ARS and Scientists under the Council----Clarification thereof.

Sir,

I am to refer to this office letter of even number dated the 17th August, 1983, on the subject mentioned above, and to say that once a specific provision to the effect that post/service carries the benefit of Rules 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 has been made in the Rectt. Rules of that post/service, the benefit envisaged under the said rule is automatically admissible for superannuation pension (but not for any other class of pension) to the employee of such post/service subject to the conditions laid down therein being satisfied. Since a suitable provision in this regard has been made in the recruitment rules of the ARS and higher scientific posts which is effective from 14.6.1978, the scientists holding those posts may be granted the benefit of Rule 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 automatically at the time of superannuation from that date onward. The cases of the scientists who were recruited after 31.3.1960 but retired before 14.6.1978 have to be decided individually with the approval of the Council.

2. The post/service carries the benefit of Rule 30 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 has to be specifically mentioned in the advertisement. This may, therefore, please be included in the requisitions/advertisements of the posts to which this is applicable.

3. The cases of the employees appointed to a service or post in ICAR after 31.3.1960 who are still in service and who fulfill the prescribed conditions under Rule 30 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 may be reviewed by the Head of Office/Head of the Departments at the Institutes/Headquarters and, if they are satisfied, suitable endorsements may be made in the Service Books of the officers about the admissibility of benefit of addition to qualifying service for superannuation pension (but not for any other class of pension) under proper authentication. In the case of new appointments, where benefit of Rule 30 is available specific provision should be made in the office order of appointments and on the basis of such order, suitable endorsement made on the first page of the Service Book.

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4. Para 2 of this office circular No. 8-7/77-Per. IV dated 17th August, 1983 stands modified to the above extent.
5. Receipt of this letter may kindly be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(S.P. RAI)

DIRECTOR (PERSONNEL)

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11. Sh. V.P. Kanwar, Rtd. Senior Analyst, ICAR.

Sd/-

(R.C. GUPTA)

UNDER SECRETARY (R)