



Family Pension Guidelines for Government Servants/Pensioners

The **Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare**, in accordance with the [Central Civil Service \(Pension\) Rules, 2021](#), has delineated comprehensive provisions for the **disbursement of family pension** in cases involving a deceased Government servant or pensioner survived by a spouse and children.

- As per the provisions of **sub-rule (8) and sub-rule (9) of Rule 50 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 2021**, the family pension is initially granted to the spouse, while other eligible family members become eligible subsequently, following the spouse's ineligibility or demise.
- According to a recent development, in **scenarios where a female Government servant or pensioner is involved in divorce proceedings** or has filed cases under specific laws against her spouse, provisions have been outlined to enable the nomination of **her eligible child/children for family pension**, supplanting the spouse.

Read more: [Old Pension Scheme](#)

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