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Sub : Reckoning of prior service for pensionary benefits-Instructions issued.

Several instances have come to the notice of the Government in which irregular sanction of pensionary benefits were given to employees reckoning their prior service in autonomous bodies, Public Sector Undertakings etc. Though such benefits are not admissible as per rules, the sanction of such irregular benefits leads to claims by similar person for such benefits and at times leads to unnecessary litigation. Such irregular sanction also results in unavoidable additional expenditure. Government had therefore to review some such cases of irregular sanction.

All pension sanctioning authorities are therefore instructed to strictly adhere to the provisions of Part III KSR in respect of government employees and the provisions in relevant acts/rules/regulations in respect of local bodies, Universities, Public Sector Undertakings and other autonomous bodies regarding reckoning of prior services for pensionary benefits.

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