F. No.1(3)/EV/2020
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure

Kartavya Bhawan I, New Delhi
Dated the 1st July, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Applicability of gazette Notification No.FX-4/2/2025-PR dated 13.11.2025 issued by the Dept of Financial Services (DFS), Ministry of Finance to the employees of Central Autonomous Bodies covered under NPS.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the Department of Financial Service's Notification No.FX-4/2/2025-PR dated 13.11.2025 providing following two more investment options to NPS subscribed Central Govt. Employees.

(i) Aggressive Life Cycle Fund with maximum exposure to equity capped at 75% - LC-75.

(ii) Balanced Life Cycle Fund with maximum exposure to equity capped at 50%, with tapering of equity component commencing from the age of forty-five years – BLC

2. Consequent upon issue of this Notification, Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) have been receiving representations from employees of Central Autonomous Bodies (CABs) seeking extension of the aforesaid investment options. The matter has been examined in this department and it has been decided that the applicability of DFS Notification No.FX-4/2/2025-PR dated 13.11.2025 may be extended to the NPS subscribed employees of the CABs.

3. The concerned Administrative Ministries/ Departments may consult PRRDA/Central Record Keeping Agency (CRA), if any, technical support is needed for implementation of the above provisions.

4. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Expenditure).

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