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Government Notifications

PENSION MINUTE

NOTICE under Section 51 of the Pension Minute dated 05th of February 1934 revised by the Pension (Revision) Act, No. 13 of 1948.

Notice

The Pension Minute is hereby revised with the inclusion of the following new paragraph immediately after the paragraph, included by *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2309/04 dated 05.12.2022 under Section 17 of the Pension Minute revised from time to time.

The age limit of compulsory retirement of the posts of Medical Consultants/Government Medical Officers/Dental Surgeons/Registered Medical Officers of the Government shall be revised in the following manner.

- (a) Sending the Medical Officers on retirement, who have already completed the age of 63 years, before 31st December 2022.
- (b) Sending Medical Officers on retirement, who have already completed the age of 62 years, on completion of 63 years of age.
- (c) Sending Medical Officers on retirement, who have already completed the age of 61 years, on completion of 62 years of age.
- (d) Sending Medical Officers on retirement, who have already completed the age of 60 years, on completion of 61 years of age.
- (e) Sending Medical Officers on retirement, who have already completed the age of 59 years, on completion of 60 years of age.



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However, the Medical Consultants, Government Medical Officers, Dental Surgeons and the registered Medical Officers of the Government whose birthday falls within the period from 1st of January to 30th of June should be given the opportunity to serve up to 30th June of the relevant year and sent on retirement and the Medical Consultants, Government Medical Officers, Dental Surgeons and the registered Medical Officers of the Government whose birthday falls within the period from 1st of July to 31st of December should be given the opportunity to serve up to 31st December of the relevant year and sent on retirement.

These interim provisions expire on 31st of December, 2023.

DINESH GUNAWARDENA,
Prime Minister and
Minister of Public Administration, Home Affairs,
Provincial Councils and Local Government.

Ministry of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Local Government, Independence Square, Colombo 07, 12th December, 2022.

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