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F.No. BRDB/03/107/1998/GE-I

Dated the 01st December 2009

To

The Director General Border Roads
Seema Sadak Bhawan
Ring Road, Delhi Cantt
New Delhi - 110010

Subject : Revision of the rates of Siachen Allowance to the members of BRO deployed in Siachen Areas

Sir,

I am directed to refer this Sectt letter No. BRDB/03/107/1998/GE-I dated 04th October 1999 and to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of Siachen Allowance to GREF Officers and personnel deployed in Siachen Areas at the rates given below :-

S/No	Category	Present Rate (In Rupees)	Revised rate (In Rupees)
01.	GREF Officers	2500/- Pm	5000/- Pm
02.	GREF Personnel	1500/- Pm	3000/- Pm

2. The payment of the allowance will be subject to the following conditions :-

a) Siachen Allowance will be payable to GREF Officers and personnel deployed in Nubra Valley from KM 30 onward on Sasoma-Warshi-Snout road towards Base Camp, KM 14 onward on Sasoma-Sasrela road towards Sasrela, Rama-Rewari road, Chalunka-Gulab road, Base Camp to Jwala Base Road, Leh-Chalunka Road, Trutuk-Zingpasl road and Chlunga-Gurkha Region road in Siachen area.

b) The allowance will be admissible to an individual from the date he arrives in the Siachen area and will cease to be admissible with effect from the date following the day on which he leaves the Siachen area, except in the circumstances as mentioned in Para (c) below.

c) An individual, who is absent from the Siachen area for a maximum period of 14 days due to being placed on the sick list and/or being on casual leave and/or on being on temporary duty, shall continue to receive the Siachen Allowance provided he returned to the Siachen Area.

d) Obtaining of Insurance cover will not be necessary.

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e) Siachen allowance will be payable in addition to SCA and all other allowance applicable in the area.

f) Snow clearance allowance sanctioned vide this Sectt letter dated 04th May 2009 will also be admissible to those GREF personnel who are actually engaged in snow clearance operations in addition to Siachen Allowance.

3. These Orders will be effective from 01st September 2008.
4. The rates of this allowance shall automatically increase by 25% whenever the Dearness Allowance payable on revised pay structure goes up by 50%.
5. This issues with the concurrence of Ministry of Defence (Fin/BR) vide their ID No. 2(9)/99/BRS/(2335/09) dated 26th November 2009.

Yours faithfully

(Manmohan Pipil)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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