

Benefits to the family on the death of a member after retirement

- 56 Benefits to the family shall be payable if a member of Tier 1 dies after his/her retirement.
- 57 Benefit to the “surviving spouse” is payable to a person whom a deceased person was legally married on or before retirement from service.
- 58 The surviving spouse(s) shall receive a total benefit equivalent either to fifty (50) percent of the pension that the deceased member was receiving or thirty (30) percent of the ACSSI, whichever is greater.
- 59 The benefit to the surviving spouse(s) in case of death after retirement shall commence from the month following the date of the death of the member or the date when the surviving spouse reaches age 50, whichever is later.
- 60 The benefit of the surviving spouse(s) shall be payable up to his/her date of death or remarriage whichever is earlier.
- 61 In cases where there are two or more surviving spouses, the surviving spouses’ pension shall be payable as per the Laws of the Land.
- 62 The children benefit (up to the age of 18 years subject to maximum of three children) shall be payable from the date of death of the member until a child’s age attains 18 and shall be ten (10) percent of the ACSSI for each child but not more than thirty (30) percent in total.
- 63 In cases where there are more than three or more surviving children, the benefit shall be payable to the surviving children until the age of 18 as per the Laws of the Land. On his/her attaining the age of 18, the benefit shall be payable to the next child, if any.
- 64 A member who is not married and when no spousal and children benefits are payable on death and leaves behind dependent biological or legally adopted father or mother, then such dependent biological or legally adopted father or mother is entitled to dependent benefits provided, that at least 120 monthly contributions has been made to the Tier 1 account as per *clauses 17, 18 and 19* and the member has served a minimum of 10 years. The member may nominate either his/her dependent biological or legally adopted father or mother to claim his/her benefits on his/her death. The benefit to his/her dependent biological or legally adopted father or mother when payable shall be fifty (50) percent of the member’s pension or thirty (30) percent of ACSSI, which ever is greater. Such benefit shall commence from the month following the date of the death of the member or the date when the nominated dependent parent attains minimum civil service retirement age whichever is later.