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Government of India
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)
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Dated: 16th January 2026

To,

CMD, National Divyangjan Finance and Development Corporation,
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Subject:- Upgradation of HRA component under the National Fellowship for Persons with Disabilities (NFPwD) Scheme.

Madam/Sir,

With reference to UGC Office Memorandum No. F.No.3-2/2006 (Admn-I/A&B)/64535 dated 09.10.2024 regarding 25% enhancement of allowances consequent upon the increase in DA w.e.f. 01.01.2024 and Public Notice No. NSFDC/NFSC/2023/E-92370 dated 09.05.2025 of the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment (SJE), it is noted that fellowship components, including HRA, are to be aligned with the revised UGC fellowship norms.

2. In view of the above and the parity provisions under the National Fellowship for Persons with Disabilities (NFPwD) Scheme, it is proposed that the existing HRA rates of 9%, 18%, and 27% be revised to 10%, 20%, and 30%, respectively.
3. NDFDC is requested to issue a public notice in this regard and further coordinate with Canara Bank to ensure implementation of the revised HRA rates through the SFMP portal w.e.f. 01.01.2024.
4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



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Enclosed as above.

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