



# ASSAM TEA EMPLOYEES PROVIDENT FUND ORGANIZATION

(Formerly known as The Assam Tea Plantations Provident Fund & Pension Fund Scheme & DLI Scheme)

**“Nidhi Bhawan” Basistha, Lalmati, N.H.-37, Guwahati-781029**

From : Sri S. Das,  
Secretary-Cum-P.F. Commissioner.

Circular No.PF/Esstt.-I/2020/6  
Dated Guwahati, the 21-12-2020

To,  
The Manager,  
All Tea Estates in Assam

**Sub:** Declaration of rate of interest for the year 2019-20 and interest in Advance for 2020-21 and compilation of Annual Return for the period from 01/04/2019 to 31/03/2020.

**Ref:** This Office earlier Circular No.- PF/Esstt-I/2020/3, dated Guwahati the 28/05/2020.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Board of Trustees in its meeting held on 19-11-2020 and extended meeting held on 08-12-2020 is pleased to finally declare interest for the year 2019-20 @7.0% (Seven percent) on the credit balance of members as it stood on 01/04/2019 by modification of the provisional rate of interest issued vide Circular No:- PF/Esstt-I/2020/3 dated Guwahati the 28/05/2020.

The Board of Trustees is also pleased to transfer interest income towards contribution to Members Pension Fund @1.61% (One Point Six One percent) for the year 2019-20 for payment of Members Pensionary Benefit.

You are therefore, requested to compile your 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Return (Form No.5) for the period from 01/04/2019 to 31/03/2020 calculating interest @7.0% on P.F. balance of individual members appearing in column 3 of the 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Return.

Interest earlier paid in advance, Insurance premium and other advances both refundable and non-refundable deducted from the individual balance may be incorporated in respective column of the return as usual as was done in the previous Return.

The Return duly compiled as above should be submitted to the respective Zonal/Inspectorate office alongwith a reconciliation statement alongwith a softcopy **on or before 31/03/2021**.

Further, interest in advance should also be calculated and paid to those members whose membership ceases after 31/03/2020 @ 7% on the opening balance as on 01/04/2020.

Yours faithfully,

Copy to :

Secretary-Cum-P.F. Commissioner

1. All Members, Board of Trustees, ATEPFO for information
2. All Officers, ATEPFO for information & necessary action.
3. All Employers Union for information
4. All Employees Union for information.
5. Website: atppf.nic.in

*Signature*  
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Secretary-Cum-P.F. Commissioner.