

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
(Department of Defence)  
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017

S.R.O 16 (E). In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the constitution, the President hereby makes the following rules, namely:-

1. **Short title and commencement:-** (1) These rules may be called the Non-Combatants (Enrolled) of Air Force Rules, 2017.  
(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2016.
2. **Application.-** (1) Save as otherwise provided by or under this rule, these rules shall apply to Non-Combatants (Enrolled), who were on the effective strength of the Air Force on or after 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2016.
3. **Definitions.** In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-
  - (a) "**existing basic pay**" means pay drawn in the prescribed existing Pay Band and Grade Pay but it does not include any other types of pay like Special Pay, Military Service Pay etc;
  - (b) "**existing Pay Band and Grade Pay**" in relation to Non-Combatants (Enrolled) means the pay band and the grade pay applicable to the rank held by him (including under Modified Assured Career Progression) as on the date immediately before the notification of these rules, in a substantive capacity;  

Please see the explanation under rule 3(b) of Air Force Pay Rules, 2017 in respect of Warrant Officer or Sergeant or Corporal or Leading Aircraftsman or Aircraftsman.
  - (c) "**existing pay structure**" in relation to a Non-Combatant (Enrolled) means the present system of pay band and grade pay as per the Sixth Central Pay Commission applicable to the rank held by him (including under Modified Assured Career Progression) as on the date immediately before the coming into force of these rules, in a substantive capacity;

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