

Circular No. 13-807

ANNOUNCEMENT

Payment of Employees' Compensation (EC)

Death Benefits Pension for the Public Sector

To : All Concerned EC Survivorship Pensioners in the Public Sector  
Re : Lifting of the 5-year limit in the payment of EC survivorship pension

Please be advised that the 5-year limit in the payment of EC survivorship pension for public sector workers has been lifted effective August 22, 2012 through ECC Board Resolution No. 12-07-16. The lifting has a prospective application and covers the following pensioners:

- Those EC survivorship pensioners who are actually receiving pensions as of August 2012 shall no longer be subject to the 5-year cap;
- Those who will be entitled to receive EC survivorship pension after August 2012 shall no longer be subject to the 5-year cap; and
- Those EC survivorship pensioners whose pensions were stopped due to the 5-year cap will have their pension accrual from August 2012 processed.

To facilitate the evaluation and processing of the accrued pension benefits, all EC pensioners whose pensions were previously suspended are hereby advised to visit the nearest GSIS Branch/Extension Office and to bring two (2) valid IDs for identification; or may send an email inquiry at [ecc\\_mails@yahoo.com](mailto:ecc_mails@yahoo.com) or [ec\\_pension@gsis.gov.ph](mailto:ec_pension@gsis.gov.ph).

Done in the City of Makati on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 2013

  
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