## Pension Benefits / Business in India.

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Pension is seen as deferred wage. Features:-

- \*Monetary payment
  \*Specified amount in
- advance
- \*Unspecified Period of Payment

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### 2. The need of pension

No capacity to earn in old age;

No financial support since no savings were made during active earning life; No financial support from family members:

No financial support from other sources such as employer and social security benefit from government and society.

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3.Providers of pension benefit Individuals;
Self-employed;
Public Sector employers—incl.
Central Govt., and State
Governments;
Private Sector employers.

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**4.Funding of Pension Benefits**Savings over a period of time;
Unfunded amounts—pay as you go;
Funding.

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5.Pension Benefit Instruments
(a) Insurance Contracts:-Deferred
Annuity and immediate annuity contracts;
Various types of annuity contracts;
(b) Others- such as long-term government paper

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# 6.Regulation and Supervision of pension benefits:

- a) IRDA:
- b) CBDT
- c) proposed PFRDA
- d) Central/State Governments

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\*Un-organized sector individuals/self-employed groups \*Organized Sector—private/public sector organizations

- =tax incentives
- =proposed PFRDA
- =long-term government paper

