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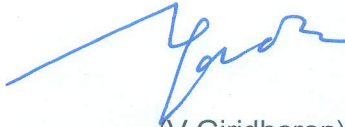
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Office Memorandum

Subject : Monthly Summary Report for the month of July, 2019 in respect of Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, Ministry of Defence.

The Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of July, 2019 relating to the significant activities of the Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, Ministry of Defence is enclosed.

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Important/Significant achievements in the Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare including Minimum Government Maximum Governance during July, 2019:-

The following are the significant achievements in the Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare including Minimum Government Maximum Governance during July, 2019:-

- (i) Vide MoD letter No. PC-2(6)/2013/D(Pen/Pol) date 8th Jul, 2019, it has been decided that Special Family Pension (SFP)/Liberalized Family Pension (LFP), if any, would be admissible in terms of MoD letter No. 1(2)/97/D(Pen-C) dated 31.1.2001 on death of a pensioner who was re-employed in military service and if his death is attributable to military service, in addition to Ordinary Family Pension (OFP) in respect of previous military/civil service subject to other conditions.
- (ii) The ceiling of Financial Powers of Director, RC/Defence Attache (for ECHS Nepal), Deputy MD, MD, ECHS have been enhanced for payment and reimbursement of medical treatment bills (online billing) enhanced vide MoD Order No. 25(01)/2018/WE/D(Res-I) dated 9.7.2019.
- (iii) Separate Schedule (Schedule-26) in Army Schedule of Poser (ASP)-2016 of DFPDS-2016 for delegation of powers to ECHS functionaries at Regional Centre and Central Organisation have been issued vide Order No. 8/4/2018-02P dated 25.7.2019.
- (iv) A Vision, Mission, 100 days Agenda and Action Plan document for the next five years pertaining to the department was approved by Hon'ble RM on 19.7.2019. The document underlines the department's commitment to develop a more effective policy, services and institutional framework for attaining the objectives of Resettlement, Health care and Welfare of the men and women, who served in the Indian Armed Forces after they leave active duty and to demonstrate that the nation cares for the Armed Forces in their retirement.
- (v) A Dashboard to monitor and review the progress of 100 days Agenda and the yearly Action Plan has been conceptualised in consultation with the NIC (National Informatics Centre). The same has been designed to provide important information regarding the progress of all the points included in the 100 days Agenda and the yearly Action Plan at a glance with necessary tables and graphs.
- (vi) An Action Plan to undertake the activities of JSA (Jal Shakti Abhiyan) was prepared in respect of this department and its attached offices. Every Zila Sainik Board (ZSB) has been asked to adopt one village to propagate the concept of water conservation. Posters and other informational material on the theme have also been prepared which will be shared widely. The Department has finalized a series of activities during the nationwide Campaign for the next month.

- (vii) Financial assistance of Rs. 36,05,66,000/- to 7445 cases has been released under the Raksha Mantri's Ex-Servicemen Welfare Fund (RMEWF) during the month. The Progressive disbursement so far is Rs. 36,09,72,000/-.
- (viii) An amount of Rs. 36,66,19,100/- was disbursed out of the Armed Forces Flag Day Fund for various welfare activities during the month. The progressive disbursement in the year so far is Rs. 36,70,65,785/-.
- (ix) A total amount of Rs. 12,76,00,000/- was disbursed under the Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) (5028 cases) during the month. In all, Rs.12,76,00,000/- (for 5028 cases) have been disbursed under the Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme in this year so far.
- (x) 342 Ex-Servicemen (ESM) have been provided employment in Government, and 152 in the Non-Government Sectors. 55 ESM have been provided Self-Employment Schemes and 90 Officers and 620 JCOs/OR were provided resettlement training during the month.
- (xi) The Number of ESM/ dependents registered for Digital Life Certificate up to 30.6.2019 is 5,04,246.
