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

The Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of November, 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 November 2019:-

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

- (i) Vide Govt. of India, MoD letter No. 22(01)/2011/WE/D(Res-I) dated 19.11.2019sanction was issued for grant of Fixed Medical Allowance (FMA) to ex-servicemen pensioners and family pensioners, who are ECHS members residing in districts of Nepal not covered by ECHS Polyclinics/Armed Forces Clinics/MI Rooms upgraded to accommodate ESMas per existing terms and conditions covered in earlier Government Order No. 22(01)/2011/WE/D(Res-I) dated 1.11.2018.
- (ii) Ex-Servicemen Employment Seminar-cum-Job Fairs were organized in collaboration with the Confederation of Indian Industries (CII) on 22.11.2019 and 29.11.2019 at Chennai and Kolkata respectively. In Chennai, a total of 1450 ex-servicemen participated in the Job Fair where 2150 vacancies were offered by 42 corporate companies. In Kolkata, approximately 1800 exservicemen took part in the Job Fair where 1192 vacancies were offered by 41 corporate companies.
- (iii) It has been decided to introduce facility for the AYUSH system of treatment in ECHS Polyclinics of Delhi/NCR on a pilot basis. Accordingly, the services of AYUSH doctor have been made available at the Lodhi Road, ECHS Polyclinic, New Delhi on full time basis for all working days w.e.f. 6.11.2019.
- (iv) An amount of Rs. 2,92,17,500/- was disbursed under the Defence Services Estimate (DSE) Budget during the month towards release of Central Share of Himachal Pradesh and the Establishment charges of the Kendriya Sainik Board. The Progressive disbursement under DSE Budget so far is Rs. 22,39,46,391/-.
- (v) Financial assistance of Rs. 16,52,55,037/- to 4570 cases has been released under the Raksha Mantri's Ex-Servicemen Welfare Fund (RMEWF) during the month. The Progressive disbursement so far is Rs. 65,77,89,037/-.
- (vi) Financial assistance of Rs. 97,200/- was released to War Memorial Hostels during the month. The progressive disbursement for the year so far is Rs. 5,52,089/-.
- (vii) An amount of Rs. 16,53,52,237/- 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. 66,96,76,251/-.

- (viii) An amount of Rs. 4,59,07,870/- was disbursed under the Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for 1655 cases during the month. In all Rs.25,13,82,021/- for 9606 cases have been disbursed under the Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme in this year so far.
- (ix) A total of 286 Ex-Servicemen (ESM) have been provided employment under Government, Non-Government and Self-Employment Schemes during the month. 34 Officers and 635 JCOs/OR have undergone resettlement training during the month.
- (x) The Number of ESM/ dependents registered for Digital Life Certificate up to 31.10.2019 is 5,05,653.
