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Annual General Body Meeting - 21-6-2015



Sri S.C. Maheshwari, Secretary General, Bharat Pensioners Samaj, New Delhi
the Chief Guest, (with Mysuru Turban) with EC Members & other Guests



Sri S.C.Maheshwari, S G, BPS & Sri M M Kapur, Editor, Bharat Pensioner, with Sri Bhaskaran and E C Members on their arrival at Pensioners' Bhavan on 20-6-2015.



In discussion with S/s G. Babu, President, Krishna Rao, Secretary, Sri Bhaskaran and other EC Members.



Sri G. Babu President K P&T PA, speaking in the meeting of the Representatives of Pensioners' Associations with Sri Maheshwari at Income Tax Federation Office.



Sri K.B. Krishna Rao, Chairman CCCGPA, addressing



Sri Sampath, President, Karnataka State Pensioners Association arriving at the meeting



Sri S.C. Maheshwari, SG, BPS, addressing

**Proceedings of Annual General Body Meeting of Karnataka P&T Pensioners'
Association held on Sunday the 21st June 2015.**

Morning Session

The Annual General Body Meeting of the Association was held on Sunday the 21st June 2015 at "Meghdoot Auditorium", of Bangalore GPO, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560001. Sri G.Babu, President of the Association presided.

The Morning Session of the Subjects Committee of the AGB commenced at 10 a.m. The President declared that the House is duly constituted since there is a quorum for conducting the AGB.

Sri K.B.Krishna Rao, Secretary, placed the Agenda before the House which was adopted. After welcome speech delivered by the Secretary, 2 minutes silence was observed in honour of late Sri S.K.Vyas, the legendary Trade Union Leader and a veteran of Pensioners Movement in the Country and in memory of the Members of the Association who passed away during the year 2014-15. Minutes of the last AGB Meeting held on 13th July 2014, were read out by Sri B.K.Gundu Rao, Jt. Secretary which was adopted.

The Secretary read out the Annual Report for the year 2014-15 published in Pensioners' Champion May 2015 issue and placed it for adoption. The same was adopted by the House.

The Treasurer, Sri K.R.Anantha Ramu presented the Audited Statement of Accounts for 2014-15. Then the President requested the Members to seek clarifications required if any. The President said that the printer's devil in pages 16 & 17 i.e. the figures indicated as CF & BF should be deleted.

Sri Ramaiah Membership No. 1174 stated that Audited Accounts and Audit Report should be published together. But, the Audit Report is not found. He was of the opinion that the place values indicated in the accounts were not correct. Citing an example, he said

that the income on Pensioners' Champion is indicated as Rs.145016 on page 16 in Receipts column instead of as Rs.1,45,016. and that such mistakes are seen at several places in the Statement.

Sri S.Rajagopalan Membership No. 1047 stated that some columns in page 16 are found blank on both Receipts and Payments side and wanted to know why those columns have been left blank? He pointed out that on the Payment side the column on building expenses is blank.

The Secretary replying to both the Members stated that the Auditor has used the "International Place Value System of Numbers" and has indicated the figures in Millions instead of in Crores, lakhs, and thousands as per the "Indian Place Value System of Numbers" and therefore commas appear after the respective place values under the International system and there is nothing wrong. However, the Auditor will be requested to examine whether it would be possible to follow the Indian Place Value System of Numbers. Regarding blank columns in the Accounts Statement he said that columns which do not have any entries to make have to be left blank and correct Accounting Norms have been followed. Explaining further, he stated that since the R&P Statement has details of Receipts & Expenditure for 2 years, 2013-14 and 2014-15, some columns which do not have figures to be entered in them, have to be left blank and that there is nothing wrong.

Thereafter, the Statement of Accounts for the year 2014-15 were adopted by the House.

Open Session

The Open Session commenced at 11-30 a.m. President Sri Babu conducted the Chief Guest Sri S.C.Maheshwari, Secretary General, Bharat Pensioners Samaj, New Delhi

to the dais and requested him to occupy the chair. Sri M.M. Kapoor Editor Bharat Pensioner, the monthly journal of BPS, Sri S. Radhakrishna, GS, CCCGPA, Sri B.Sadashiva Rao, Sri N.Bhaskaran, and Sri M.Ramiah, all Advisors to K P&T PA, Sri M.R.V.Nath, Vice President, All India Federation of Pensioners' Associations, Chennai, Sri S.S. Ramanatha Rao, Vice Chairman, CCCGPA, were invited to occupy the chairs on the dais. He also apologized to members for the delay in starting the meeting.

The Secretary, welcoming the Chief Guest, Sri Maheshwari, said that when the issue of inviting a Chief Guest to the AGB came up for discussion in the M C Meeting, the first name that came up was that of Sri Maheshwari. He thanked the Chief Guest for sending his reply to the email sent to him within 30 minutes, accepting the Association's request. Sri Maheshwari had also requested for arranging a meeting with the Representatives of various Pensioner Organizations in the City, representing Defence, Rlys, Civil Pensioners, State Pensioners, etc. which was arranged on 20.6.15 at Income Tax Employees Federation's Office. Sri Rao, introducing the Chief Guest, gave a profile of Sri Maheshwari and the details about Bharat Pensioners Samaj, the Organization he heads as its Secretary General. He also introduced other Guests on the dais viz., Sri M.M.Kapoor, Editor of Bharat Pensioner, Sri. M.R.V.Nath, Vice President, AIFPA, Chennai, Advisors to the Association S/s B.Sadashiva Rao, N,Bhaskaran and M.Ramiah, whose help, advice and guidance gave the Assn strength in its effective functioning. He requested all the Members to be present till the end of the afternoon session. The Secretary also welcomed S/S P.Gangadhara Rao, President, BSNL Pensioners Welfare Assn., A. N. Balaram, President, & T.V.Surya Prakash, Secretary, Coffee Board Pensioners Assn, Srinivasa Setty from KITDPA, Ashok Kololgi, Secretary, KCGPA, Mirza Naseem Akthar, Secretary,

KKVIC Pen Assn, and M.Janardhanan, Secretary, Survey of India Pen Assn, who were present in the Auditorium.

The President then requested the Chief Guest Sri Maheshwari to inaugurate the Open Session & address the Members.

Sri Maheshwari in his hour long speech, dealt at length on various issues concerning Pensioners. He began his speech by thanking KP&TPA for giving him an opportunity to meet Pensioners of Bengaluru. He said that a comprehensive Memorandum was submitted by BCPC/BPS to the 7th Pay Commission. BPS was the first Federation invited by the Pay Commission for a preliminary interaction with it.

For Pensioners, the basic issue was disparity between minimum and maximum pension. The ratio has gone up from 1:8 in 1996 (5th CPC) to 1:12.87 now. The demand is that it should be brought down to 1:8 again at the least. It is justified. In USA it is 1:5 and in UK it is 1:6. JCM also took up the issue. Pension should be 2/3 of minimum salary. It should be 67% of the last pay drawn rounded off to 65 or 70. DA should be taken for pension calculation. Commutation should be doubled. He said that these demands may be considered by the 7th CPC.

On the demand of Parity in Pension, the Chairman, 7th CPC, responding to the demand said that "even if CPC recommends, Govt will not agree". A suitable alternative is necessary. Another demand is that the New Pension Scheme (NPS) should be scrapped. If not, it should be modified to be not less than 50% of the Pay and family pension should be introduced. CPC's response was positive.

Age Related Additional Pension: Additional pension should start at 65 years and change every 5 years. CPC did not commit itself on this demand.

CGHS: CGHS should be applied to all. Package rates should be revised periodically. Smart

cards should be issued to all Pensioners to be used anywhere in the Country. CPC agreed to this demand.

Fixed Medical Allowance should be at least Rs.2,000/- and CGHS facility should be extended to the retirees of Statutory and Autonomous Bodies.

Sri Maheshwari requested the Pensioners' Associations of Autonomous Bodies to spare the services of some of their Members to work with BPS, which would help BPS in understanding their problems and presenting them before the concerned Authorities for redressal of their grievances.

He said that BPS was working on a project 'Pension Print Media'. He requested that all journals published by Pensioners' Associations may be sent to BPS in PDF format so that it can be uploaded to BPS website. Media, both Print & Electronic, misguide the Public about the implications of Pay Commission recommendations and the benefits given to Pensioners. During 6th CPC, there were a lot of comments about Pensionery Benefits. CPC recommendations should be uniformly applicable to State Govt, Defence, BSNL also. He said that there is lack of communication and consensus among Pensioners. Hence, we must make use of Digital and Social media. Emails can be used extensively. BPS is on Face book, Twitter and has a huge following.

Sri Maheshwari opined that formations of new Associations or Federations will not help in resolution of the grievances of Pensioners or in making the Authorities to accede to the demands of Pensioners.

Concluding his speech, which was informative and with statistics on several issues, he said that the need of the hour is formation of a **National level organization of pensioners**. He said that there are about 1 crore 39 lakh pensioners in the country and 12 crore Senior Citizens. Together they form

about 16% of the Electorate in the Country. He has made a power point presentation about this, which is available in BPS website. BPS has signed MOUs with other Senior Citizen Forums. He talked of 'Elderly Portal'. When it is realized that Senior Citizens are also the so called 'vote bank', the Govt and Political Parties will listen to us and we will have a more powerful platform to air our views, grievances etc. He ended his address with an appeal to all likeminded people to come together to strengthen the Pensioners Movement.

Sri M.M. Kapur , Editor, Bharat Pensioner also addressed the gathering.

Sri S. Radhakrishna, GS, CCCGPA, extended warm greetings to the Members and assured the Chief Guest to carry his message to every Member.

Chief Guest Sri Maheshwari and Sri Kapur were felicitated by Sri Babu, President and Sri K.B.Krishna Rao, Secretary. Sri Maheshwari was decorated with a Mysuru Peta and a wrist watch was presented to him as a memento. A cheque for Rs. 5,000/- as donation to BPS Corpus Fund was also given to him.

Thereafter, Members of 75 & 75+ years of age were felicitated. One Member who could not come to the Auditorium, the venue of the meeting, due to physical disability, was felicitated at the main entrance of Bangalore GPO by the Vice President Sri M.N.Gopinath and Treasurer, Sri K.R. Anantha Ramu.

Cash Prize to Meritorious Students

As a part of its involvement in Social Work, the Association gave away cash prizes to six Students of Govt. Higher Primary School, Yelahanka, who had secured above 90% of Marks in the final examination of 5th, 6th and 7th Standards. Veterans of the Association presented the cash award of Rs.1,000/- to each student. Two Teachers of the School were also felicitated

Afternoon session:

Discussion on 7th CPC:

The President Sri Babu, said that since the Chief Guest has spoken extensively on 7th CPC, Members can seek information on any specific issue, if required.

Shri Venkatesh, Branch manager, LIC spoke about the Scheme VARISHTA PENSION BIMA YOJANA, which has been re-launched by LIC of India. He distributed pamphlets to Members present and explained the benefits that would accrue to Members who join the Scheme. He also answered queries raised by some Members and furnished the information required by them.

Jeevan Praman- Digital Life Certificate:

Sri Krishna Rao said that the Department of Pension & PW had requested Pensioners' Associations to give wide publicity to "Jeevan Praman- Digital Life Certificate" and to help Pensioners in getting the Certificate which will save them from the trouble of appearing personally before the Pension Paying Authority to submit paper Life Certificate. He said "When we thought of providing this facility to our Members at the AGB meeting, we approached Shri Narasimha Rao, Director, Technical, NIC, Karnataka, who readily agreed to give all assistance, including providing bio-metric devices/scanners. Chief Postmaster, Bangalore GPO, on request, agreed to open 2 special counters with computers with internet connection and scanners to enable Pensioners in getting Digital Life Certificate. Staff required to manage the special counters was provided by the CPM, GPO and NIC, Karnataka. About 47 members have registered themselves with Jeva Praman Portal and have got Digital Life Certificates". At this stage, Sri Maheshwari, suggested to the Director Technical, NIC that Bio-metric Devices & Iris Scanners can be procured by the NIC and supplied to Pensioners Associations and NIC can impart training to Members of Associations. Sri Narasimha Rao and Sri Manjunath of NIC were honoured by Sri Babu, President.

Sri B.Sadashiva Rao, Sri N.Bhaskaran and Sri M.Ramiah, advisors to the Association were honoured by Sri Maheshwari.

CGHS: 1. Sri Lakshmana stated that the revised timings of Wellness Centres effected from 1-4-2015 are not being strictly followed and suggested reverting to the earlier working hours.

The Secretary informed the Member that this change is on an experimental measure for 3 months. However, he said that "we do not know what will happen after 3 months i.e. whether they would revert to old timings or continue with the same". Regarding late attendance, he said that no reports of late attendance by doctors and other staff members have been received from CGHS Advisory Committee Nominees.

2. Sri Sadashiva Rao, Advisor, complained that in the Wellness Centres, the Beneficiaries are asked to take the registers and the referral slips to the Medical Officer In-charge to get his signature and other patients waiting in the queue object when they try to enter the Doctor's Room. He suggested that the Staff of the Wellness Centre should be asked to get the Doctor's signature.

3. Sri MRV Nath, VP, AIFPA, Chennai said that the same problem was being faced by CGHS Beneficiaries in Chennai also. They then took up this issue with DG, CGHS, New Delhi, who then issued instructions that any staff available in the Wellness Centre should take the register for signature and a copy of the prescription should be given to the patients. Now they use carbon and a carbon copy is given after it is signed. Sri Nath was requested by the Secretary to send a copy of the DG, CGHS letter.

Sri M.R.V. Nath was honoured by S/s Maheshwari and G.Babu

4. Appointments with Specialists in polyclinics: Replying to the points made by Sri. M.Balasubtramanian & Sri M.R.S.Prakasa Rao, the Secretary stated that Beneficiaries

who go to the Poly Clinic for consultation with the Specialists are issued tokens at the reception counter at 8 a.m. and in all 15 tokens are issued to them. Another 10 tokens are issued to those Beneficiaries who get online appointment. Online appointments are given in 5 time slots of one hour each viz. 8-30, 9-30, 10-30, 11-30 and 12-30. Two (2) tokens are issued for each time slot and the Beneficiaries get preference in consultation and the maximum waiting period for one of the 2 patients in the time slot of one hour is **30 minutes** and for the other it is **one hour**. Therefore, they are quite sure of getting their turn for consultation within one hour of getting their token at the reception counter. In contrast, the Beneficiaries who stand in the general queue before the reception counter even before 8 a.m., are not sure of the waiting time before which, they get their turn to consult the Specialist. To illustrate, one who gets token No. 15 does not get his turn as the 15th person to see the Doctor, because before his turn comes, 10 patients who had online appointments get their turn in the 5 time slots at 2 patients in each time slot, thus pushing the turn of the hapless 15th token holder to 25th position in the waiting list. The waiting time for him/her would therefore be not less than 6 hours. Needles to point out that making a patient to wait for 6 hours, is quite inhuman. A patient who gets a token, say with number 10, should be sure that he would be the 10th person to meet the Specialist and not the 17th or 20th person. The waiting should not be indefinite and endless. Hence to overcome this indefinite waiting time for general patients, it is suggested that all the 10 online appointments may be given in **only one time slot, preferably between 11-30 a.m. and 2-00 p.m.** and the general appointments with 15 tokens may be given in **one time slot between 8 a.m. and 11-30 a.m.** This will reduce the waiting time of the general patient who gets token number 15 to a maximum of 3 hours from the present 6 hours and also the

patient will be certain of his turn as the 15th person. The Patients who have online appointments will have to be issued token numbers from 16 to 25 (10 tokens) and they also will be sure of their turn as per the token number they get and the maximum waiting time will be 2 ½ hours. This suggestion will be sent to the Additional Director, CGHS for examination and implementation.

5.Direct Appointment with Specialists

One of the Members pointed out that after introduction of Pastic Cards, direct consultation has become difficult to get as the Plastic Cards do not have entry on the eligibility of the card holder for direct consultation. Even those who were eligible earlier are denied the facility.

The Secretary said that whoever was entitled for direct consultation prior to revision of the eligibility criterion in June 2009, they should continue to get that benefit. Now, who have paper card with necessary entry on their eligibility for direct consultation can avail it by producing a copy of the card. We have also written to CGHS that the relevant entry should be made in the Plastic Card also. Secretary said that he will forward a NOTE on CGHS Matters to Shri Maheshwari requesting him to take up the matter with Health Ministry.

Shri N.Bhaskaran was of the view that those Beneficiaries who were getting the benefits of direct consultation should not be deprived of it even after introduction of new Pay Scales and the benefits enjoyed earlier should be continued.

6.CGHS Facility to P&T Pensioners who were not participating in CGHS while in service

Sri B.Sadashiva Rao wanted to know the status of the SLPs pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court. The Secretary stated that those P&T Pensioners who were not availing CGHS benefits while in service were not given the benefits after their retirement. A

case was filed in CAT, Bangalore by some Members with the help of the Association and their Applications were allowed extending them CGHS facilities. GoI filed an appeal in the High Court which was dismissed. GoI again filed SLP in Supreme Court. He said that he learnt from the internet that SC has disposed of all the SLPs on 22-8-2014 and the manner of disposal is not known. Sri Maheshwari, SG,BPS said that he would checkup and inform the correct position.

Sri K.Devanathan pointing out that in Delhi CGHS Wellness Centres are open on Sundays, desired that at least one CGHS Wellness Centre should function on Sundays in Bangalore also. Sri Kapoor said that only one WC in Delhi works on Sundays to attend to emergency cases only.

7. BSNL: Status of merge of 78.2% of IDA with Pension

Replying to a query by Shri Nagarajan, the President informed the Member that as per the information available with the Association, the relevant file has been approved by the Minister of Communications & IT and the Cabinet Note is under circulation.

8. Revision of Subscription for 'Pensioners' Champion':

After detailed discussion it was agreed to increase the Subscription to Rs.150/- Sri Rajagopalan, said that donations given to the Association can be utilized for printing the journal. Secretary said that, that amount cannot be utilized as the donation is collected for a specific purpose.

Sri T.V.Parthasarathi, Retd.Sr.AO, AG's Office, who was one of the Members felicitated on attaining 75 years, who spoke on behalf of the Members felicitated, thanked the Association for honoring them. He thanked the President and the Secretary for taking up the issue of Provision of CGHS facility for life time to dependent Disabled/Mentally retarded

children of Central Government Employees and Pensioners in the 26th meeting of SCOVA held on 3-2-2015, which came up for discussion in SCOVA and the Ministry of Health & FW has stated that the matter would be examined.

Concluding remarks by the President:

President, Sri Babu, apologized for the delay in serving coffee/tea, due to late arrival of caterer which delayed starting of the AGB and caused delay in felicitation of Members etc. He said that all these problems will be looked into to avoid delay and to ensure commencement of the programme as per schedule in the next AGBM. All the Pensioners' Organizations should come forward under one umbrella to gain strength and unity. Government will consider our demands and extend benefits only when we are united. Without unity among Pensioners' Associations it will be very difficult to achieve anything, he said. The President thanked Sri Maheshwari and other leaders who have rendered excellent service in the cause of Pensioner Community and Sri K.B.Krishna Rao, Secretary, who has taken a lot of interest in functioning of the Association. President advised the Members to take care of their health. He thanked all the Members present.

Vote of thanks: Sri B.K.Gundu Rao, Joint Secretary thanked Sri Maheshwari, Sri Kapoor, Sri MRVNath, Sri Sadashiva Rao, Sri Bhaskaran, Sri Ramiah, Sri Radhakrishna and all the Representatives of Sister Associations for their presence in the AGBM. He thanked the CPMG who was kind enough to make available the Auditorium for conducting the AGB. He also thanked the CPM, and the Staff of Bangalore GPO. He thanked the three advisors for their guidance to the Assn. He thanked the caterer Sri Holla for arranging food. He thanked NIC for assistance in Jeevan Praman registration. Sri Gundu Rao thanked all the Members present and all those who extended service directly or indirectly.

The AGBM ended after National Anthem.

Guidelines regarding printing and issue of Plastic Card

(O.M.No. F.No. FTS/127429/2015, dated the 8th June 2015, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Dte. General of CGHS, Office of the Director, CGHS, New Delhi)

The issue regarding pendency of issue of CGHS Plastic Cards has been reviewed by the competent Authority and with a view to clear the pendency expeditiously, it has now been decided that:

1. The work of Updating/Uploading of the Data for Plastic Cards shall hereafter be outsourced to two Private Agencies, viz, M/s Snapse Solutions Private Ltd., and M/s Madras Security Printers Pvt.Ltd., which are already engaged for printing of Plastic Cards through NICS. The work order for Data entry has been issued directly to the Agencies at the existing rate contracts for this purpose in order to avoid delays in completion of formalities with NICS and submitting work orders through NICS.

If felt required, CGHS Authorities in Cities may deploy local Agencies to get the data uploading done at the same NICS approved rate contract.

2. CGHS has already issued work order directly to the Empanelled Private Agencies to print CGHS Plastic Cards at the existing rates as per the contract with NICS (copy enclosed)

3. Plastic Cards shall hereafter be distributed directly through concerned CGHS Wellness Centre in order to avoid crowding at the CGHS Administrative Offices and possible misplacing of the Cards when sent through Speed Post. The concerned CGHS Wellness Centres and CGHS Authority would provide wide publicity of this system so as to avoid keeping the Cards in the Wellness Centres unnecessarily. The centres would keep an authenticated record of the Cards received, issued and pending for issue. Every week this report should be sent to the CGHS Authority of the City. CGHS Wellness Centres would take extra effort

to contact the Beneficiaries about the receipt of the CGHS Plastic Cards. Lists must be kept in the notice boards prominently for every body's notice. The Cards must be issued to the Beneficiaries after verifying the authenticities of the receiver of the Cards. CGHS Authority would upload the information of printing of CGHS Cards and dispatch details in the website on regular basis.

4. CMOs I/C would motivate the CGHS Beneficiaries to link their database to the Aadhaar number by logging in to the CGHS database. The in-charges are also required to enter the Aadhaar numbers whenever possible. The CMO i/c of CGHS Wellness Centres shall be responsible to link the CGHS database to Aadhaar numbers of Beneficiaries.

5. Printout of CGHS Index Card, which shall be valid for availing all CGHS facilities including investigations / treatment from Empanelled Diagnostic Centres and Hospitals till Plastic Cards are Issued through the CGHS Wellness Centre. In addition all the Empanelled Private Hospitals and the laboratories shall continue to provide medical facility at CGHS terms and conditions to the CGHS Beneficiaries irrespective of the printed date of validity in their Plastic Cards. However, they shall verify the validity of the Card in the CGHS database at the link <http://www.cghs.nic.in/welcome.jsp> and extend the investigation/treatment facilities.

6. A copy of this OM shall be displayed prominently in the notice board at CGHS Wellness Centres.

7. These instructions are valid till further orders.

This issues with the approval of Competent Authority and concurrence of IFD vide FTS R127429 dated 3.6.2015.

Central Government Holiday in July, 2015 - Idul Fitr 18-7-2015, Saturday

**DoP&PW
Order**

Wide publicity to 'Jeevan Pramaan' - message from Joint Secretary (Pension)

(Letter No. 1.19.2014-P&PW (E) (pt), dated 29.4.2015 Gol, Ministry of Personnel, P.G. & Pensions, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

Addressed to
Chairman/Managing Director of Pension
Disbursing Banks

In continuation of letter of even number, dated 17th April, 2015, the undersigned is directed to forward herewith a message from the Joint Secretary, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare for submission of Digital Life Certificate by Pensioners and Family Pensioners on 'Jeevan Pramaan'. This facility is in addition to the other available means of submission of Life Certificate.

2. We are confident that by now your Bank is in a state of readiness to receive Digital Life Certificates, complete with the seeding of Aadhaar Numbers in the bank accounts.

3. For proper implementation of the initiative, awareness and sensitisation of the Bank Officials as well as Pensioners is also absolutely critical. Enclosed with this letter is a message for Pensioners.

4. This message may be displayed prominently at all the branches and ATM locations of your Bank. Pamphlets of the message may be handed over to the visiting Pensioners and wherever available, the message may be sent electronically to them through e-mail etc.

5. We hope these measures would go a long way towards making this initiative a success.

**DoP
Order**

Grant of Concessional Telephone facilities to Postal Pensioners on par with retired DoT employees.

(Letter No. 100-13/2012-Pension dated 1.5.2015, Gol, Ministry of Communications & Information Technology, Department of Posts, (Pension Section)

Addressed to
K P&T PA,
165, 4th Main, 3rd Block, 3rd Stage,
Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560 079.

I am directed to refer to your representations on the above issue forwarded to Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare (DoP&PW) for its inclusion in the Agenda items of 26th SCOVA meeting scheduled for 3.2.2015 and to say that the above issue was referred by the DoP&PW to this Department to send requisite reply to the Association.

2. It is intimated that the question of extending facility of concessional phones to retired officials of Department of Posts (DoP), who had put in more than 20 years of service

in erstwhile P&T Department, was considered in this Department and it was decided that it would not be possible for DoP to bear the expenditure due to huge fiscal deficit. It was however conveyed to Department of Telecommunication (DoT) vide letter dated 28.5.2013 that this Department would not have any objection if DoT extends the facility to DoP Pensioners at par with retired Telecom employees as a goodwill gesture to Senior Citizens.

This issues with approval of Competent Authority.

Editor's Note: This issue was notified by K P&T PA for inclusion in the Agenda items for discussion in the 26th meeting of SCOVA held on 3.2.2015 vide item No.5 in page 3 of Pensioners' Champion - December, 2014.

At the Reception Counters



S/s M.S. Krishna Murthy, V. Muthukumar & A. Kanagamani, E.C Members



S/s S. Paramasivan and M. Nanjundegowda EC Members



S/s B.L.Channappa, V.Murugan, Rangegowda and Mathiazhagan



S/s R.J.Chakrapani, M.N.Gopinath and B.L.Channappa



Sri K.B. Krishna Rao, Secretary, Presenting Annual Report



Sri K.R. Anantha Ramu, Treasurer Presenting Annual Accounts



Sri S.M.Vittal Rao, Auditor collecting Donation





On the dais: The Chief Guest, Guests from CCCGPA, AIFPA, Chennai and Veterans of K P&T PA



Sri S.C. Maheshwari, Chief Guest, addressing. Members of 75 years of age felicitated are seated behind



Sri M.M. Kapur, Editor, Bharat Pensioner addressing



Sri S. Radhakrishna General Secretary, CCCGPA, addressing



A full view of the Open Session

Honouring the Chief Guest Sri S.C. Maheshwari



By Sri G. Babu, President



By Sri K.B. Krishna Rao, Secretary



By Sri M.N. Gopinath, Vice President



Sri K.B. Krishna Rao, presenting a cheque towards donation to BPS



Sri M.M. Kapur, Editor, Bharat Pensioner being honoured by Sri B.K. Gundu Rao, Jt. Secretary



Sri P. Narasimha Rao, Technical Director, NIC, Karnataka being Honoured by the President.

Felicitations to Members who are 75 & 75 + years of age



Sri M. Amaranath felicitated near the entrance of the Venue of the AGB



Sri M. Bandigaiah, being honoured by Sri Maheshwari

Other Members honoured



DoP
Order

Follow up action on the proceedings of Meeting of Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) - Circular for giving effect to the O.M. of DoP&PW posted in the Pensioners Portal Website for Fixed Medical Allowance for Pensioners/Family Pensioners.

(Letter No. 2-1/2015 - Medical dated 7.5.2015, Gol, Ministry of communications & IT, Department of Posts (Medical Section))

Addressed to
All the CPMG

The undersigned is directed to convey the decision of the Competent Authority that O.M. of Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare posted in the Pensioners Portal regarding Fixed Medical Allowance (FMA) for Pensioners/Family Pensioners, may be given effect to by all the Authorities concerned in the Department of Posts, without waiting for any separate Circular of this Directorate for the purpose.

2. All the Heads of the Circles and other units may issue suitable instructions to all the Offices under their respective jurisdiction to ensure compliance in this regard.

Editor's Note:- Abnormal delay in payment of enhanced amount of FMA was raised by the Secretary, K P&T PA, in 26th meeting of SCOVA held on 3.2.2015 and a request was made to authorise Heads of Divisions to download Orders from the website of Pensioners Portal & effect payment. Details appear in page 4 of Pensioners' Champion Feb. 2015.

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By Dr.Trilok Raval/ Email

BSNL

78.2% IDA Case Status

9-6-2015 - Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad, Hon'ble Minister, Communications and IT, approves the file within one day of its receipt at his office.

10-6-2015 - file reaches the office of Member(s) from the office of the Minister for further action.

12-6-2015 - the file moves....It is confirmed that the Cabinet Note has been put up to the Joint Secretary, Telecom. As per the procedures, Joint Secretary has to circulate the same to the four Nodal Ministries.

Source: Website of BSNLWPA

Launch of the Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY), Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY) and the Atal Pension Yojana by the Prime Minister on 9th May 2015 at Kolkata

(Letter No. 55/9/2005-P&PW(C) dated 8.5.2015, Gol, Ministry of Personnel, P.G. and Pensions, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare

Addressed to
The Secretary / President of All
Pensioners' Associations

As you would be aware the Budget Speech 2015 had envisaged three Social Security Schemes pertaining to the Insurance and Pension Sectors namely the **Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY)**, the **Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY)** and an old age income security Pension Scheme, the **Atal Pension Yojana (APY)**, to move towards creating Universal Social Security System, targeted especially at the poor and the under-privileged.

2. PMSBY will offer a renewable one year Rupees two lakh accident cum disability cover (Rupees one Lakh for partial permanent disability) to all Savings Bank account holders in the age group of 18 to 70 years for a premium of Rs. 12/- per annum per Subscriber to be auto-debited from the Subscriber's bank account on enrolment in the Scheme.

3. PMJJBY on the other hand, offers a renewable one year Rupees two lakh life cover to all Savings Bank account holders in the age group of 18 to 50 years, covering death due to any reason, for a premium of Rs. 330/- per annum per Subscriber to be auto-debited from the Subscriber's bank account on enrolment in the Scheme.

4. APY, the third Scheme to be launched, targets old age income security and will focus on the Unorganized Sector. It will provide Subscribers a fixed minimum pension per month starting at the age of 60 years on entering the Scheme at an age between 18 and 40 years, to ensure a minimum period of contribution of 20 years or more to enable an adequate pension corpus. The fixed minimum pension would be guaranteed by the

Government. While the Scheme is open to Bank Account holders in the prescribed age group, the Central Government would also co-contribute 50% of the total contribution or Rs. 1000/- per annum, whichever is lower, for a period of 5 years for those joining the Scheme before 31st December, 2015 and are not Members of any Statutory Social Security Scheme, and are not Income Tax Payers.

5. The above Schemes are being launched Nationally on 9th May, 2015. It will be appreciated if your Association could come forward to create awareness amongst Members and their Families, so that those eligible are able to benefit under the Scheme. This Department also looks forward to your feedback.

ALL INDIA CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

Month	CPI Base 2001=100	12 Months' Total	Monthly Ave.	% increase over 115.76
Dec. 14	253	2963	246.92	113.30
April. 15	256	3024	252.00	117.69

By. **K.B. Krishna Rao**

OBITUARY

V.Chandrasekhar, ALM 1492, Retd. Supdt. Engineer, MES, Pune expired on 13-10-2014 at the age of 84 years.

R.Natarajan, ALM 924, Retd. Chief Engineer, CPW, N Delhi, expired on 1-12-2014 at the age of 85 years. He leaves behind his daughter.

N.R.S.Rangan, ALM 569, Retd. Executive Engineer Southern Railway expired on 28-5-2015 at the age of 82 years. He leaves behind his wife, one son and 2 daughters. Our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved.

**DoP&PW
Order**

Grant of Dearness Relief to CPF Beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment w.e.f. 1.1.2015

(O.M.No. F.No. 42/10/2014-P&PW(G), dated 26.5.2015, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

In continuation of this Department's OM No. 42/10/2014-P&PW(G) dated 20th October, 2014, the President is pleased to grant the Dearness Relief at the rate of 5th CPC w.e.f. 1.1.2015 to the following:

(i) The surviving CPF Beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 to 31.12.1985 and are in receipt of ex-gratia @ Rs. 600/- p.m. w.e.f. 1.11.1997 under this Department's OM No. 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dated 16.12.1997 & revised to Rs. 3000, Rs. 1000, Rs. 750 & Rs. 650 for Group A, B, C, D respectively w.e.f. 4.6.2013 vide OM No. 1.10.2013-P&PW(E) dated 27.6.2013 are entitled to Dearness Relief @ 223% w.e.f. 1.1.2015.

(ii) The following categories of CPF Beneficiaries who are in receipt of ex-gratia payment in terms of this Department's OM No. 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dated 16.12.1997 are entitled to DR @ 215% w.e.f. 1.1.2015.

(a) The widows and dependent children of the deceased CPF Beneficiaries who had retired from service prior to 1.1.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 1.1.1986 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 605 p.m. & revised to Rs 645 w.e.f. 4.6.2013 vide OM No. 1.10.2012-P&PW(E) dated 27.6.2013.

(b) Central Government Employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs. 659/, Rs. 703/- and Rs. 965/-.

2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee. In their application to the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue in consultation with the C&AG.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide their OM No. 1(4)/EV/2004 dated 25.5.2015.

**BSNL
Order**

Concessional Telephone facility to retired/retiring BSNL employees - policy regarding,

(Letter No.Com/1-15/2014-15/29 dated 25.4.2015 of Chief General Manager Telecom, Karnataka Circle, Bangalore-560 008)

Addressed to All SSA Heads in Karnataka

Ref: (1) No.Com/1-15/2014-15/3 dated 7.8.2014.

(2) DoT Ltr. No:2-79/94-PHA dated 25.9.1998.

(3) BSNL OO.ND.Ltr.NO:2-79/94 dated 9.4.2009 endorsed by this office vide Ltr.No:Com/1-21/1/24 dated.16.4.2009

With reference to letter No.(1) under reference wherein it was instructed to roll out the Concessional Telephone Facility from R-DoT to R-BSNL to retired/retiring employees. Further, as per the guidelines contained in letter under reference (2) and (3) which are endorsed by this office, it is hereby instructed to roll back CTF from R-BSNL to R-DoT category for those retired/retiring employees who have completed 20 years of service in DoT before 1.10.2000 adhering to the guidelines.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

Editors' Note: This roll back is as a result of the persistant efforts made in this regard by BSNL pensioners Welfare Association, Karnataka.

Board level and below Board level posts including non-unionised Supervisors in Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) - Revision of Scales of Pay w.e.f. 1.1.2007 - Payment of IDA at revised rates

(O.M.No. W-2/2002/2014-DPE (WC)-GL-IV/15, dated 6.4.2015 GoI, Ministry of Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises, Department of Public Enterprises

In modification of this Department's O.M. of even No. dated 5.1.2015, the rate of DA payable to the Executives and non-unionized Supervisors of CPSEs (2007 pay revision) is as follows:

(a) Date from which payable: 1.4.2015

(b) Average AICPI (2001=100) for the quarter Dec' 2014-Feb' 2015

December, 2014	253
January, 2015	254
February, 2015	253
Average of the quarter	253.33

(c) Link Point: 126..33
(as on 1.1.2007)

(d) Increase over link point: 127
(253.33 minus 126.33)

(e) Revised DA Rate w.e.f 1.1.2015: 100.5%
[(127 | 126.33) x 100]

2. The above rate of DA i.e. 100.5% would be applicable **in the case of IDA employees who have been allowed revised pay scales (2007)** as per DPE O.M. dated 26.11.2008, 9.2.2009 and 2.4.2009.

3. All Administrative Ministries/Departments of the Government of India are requested to bring the foregoing to the notice of the CPSEs under their administrative control for necessary action at their end.

Legal Matters

1.Modified parity in pension- implementation of DoP&PW OM dated 28-1-2013 from 1-1-2006.

OA 655/2010, with MA 3857/2014 of Principal Bench New Delhi – The case which came up for hearing on 27.5.2015 was adjourned with directions to 19-8-2015

2. Grant of full pension to pre-2006 Pensioners who had retired with 20 years of qualifying service

OA 1165/2011, OA 2165/2011 and OA 247/2012 with MA 265/2015 &2353/2014, before CAT Principal Bench, New Delhi. -- **Application allowed, Orders Pronounced on 21-4-2015.Extract of relevant paras in page-11 of Pensioners Champion May 2015 issue**

3. BSNL

Anomaly in fixation of pay of BSNL employees who retired between 1-10-2000 and 31-7-2001 ie. within 10 months of formation of BSNL

O.A.NO.2173/2014 before C AT, Principal Bench, Delhi. Came up for hearing in Principal Registrar's Court on 25-5-2015. Adjourned with directions to 6-7-2015

4. Complete parity in pension between pre-2006 & post-2006 retirees.

OA.937/2010 filed by All India S-30 Pensioners' Association & OA 2101/2010 were allowed by a common Order passed by CAT, Principal Bench, New Delhi ,on 20-11-2014. Extract of the Order given in page 4 of *Pensioners' Champion*- December 2014.

Government has filed a Review Application. RA 10/2015 came up for hearing on 6-5-2015 before the CAT Full Bench. Adjourned with directions to 8-7-2015.

7th CPC Update

J C M Final Meeting with Seventh Central Pay Commission - 9th June, 2015

Responding to the invitation received from the VIIth CPC, the JCM (Staff Side) delegation met the Pay Commission on 09th June 2015 and deliberated again in detail on the following issues:-

- (a) Minimum wage (15th ILC norms/ Dr. Achroyed Formula for determining minimum wage as proposed in the JCM Staff Side Memorandum),
- (b) Rate of increment.
- (c) Fitment Formula,
- (d) Qualification related Pay Scales,
- (e) Pay parity for common categories.
- (l) Date of effect of revised Pay Structure and Allowances etc., (g) Upward revision of Ex-gratia to the families of employees killed in the course of performing duties,
- (h) Parity in pension for eliminating the discrimination,
- (i) Rectification of MACPS aberrations,
- (j) Grant of increment to those retiring on 30th June and 31st December of the year.

Various other issues were also discussed with the VII CPC. While the response of the Pay Commission by and large has been satisfactory on many points mentioned above, the revised pay structure/allowances is likely to be recommended to be given effect from January 1st, 2016. With today's discussions in the final meeting with VII CPC, the deliberations by the JCM Staff Side got concluded.

It is expected that the VII CPC would submit its report to the Government by the end of August 2015.

7th CPC--Confederation of Central Govt. Employees & Workers

Final Meeting with the 7th CPC held on 9.6.2015.

The following Staff Side members were present at the Meeting: Coms. M. Raghavaiah

(Leader Staff Side – NFIR), Shiv Gopal Mishra (Secretary, Staff Side-AIRF), Com. Guman Singh, R.P. Bhatnagar and Com.Sharma (all from NFIR), Com. Rakhal Dasgupta, Com. J.R. Bhosale (AIRF) Com. KKN Kutty, M.S. Raja and Com. M. Krishnan (from Confederation and NFPE) Com. Srikumar and Com. R.N. Pathak (from AIDEF) Com. Srinivasan and Com. Surjeet Singh (From INDWF)

(a) Date of effect: The Chairman has made it clear that the Commission would recommend 1.1.2016 as the date of implementation of their recommendations. The Commission would finalise its report by end of August and would submit the same to the Government thereafter. They would adopt Dr. Achroyed formula for the computation of the Minimum wage. To the specific query made by the Staff Side, the Commission said that they would factor the probable increase in the rate of retail prices of the commodities and would arrive at the minimum wage as on 1.1.2016. There had been no reply to the loss of wages to the employees due to the erosion of the real value of wages as there was no interim relief or benefit accrued from the merger of DA. These demands, therefore, stand rejected.

(b) Increase in the Insurance Coverage in cases of death in harness: The Staff Side recalled the assurance held out by the Commission earlier to have the actuarial assessed by an expert agency to accede to the demand of the Staff Side to increase the subscription and the Insurance Coverage. The Staff Side was of the opinion that their suggestion to share the subscription in the ratio of 3:7 was reasonable but in the absence of an expert study, the Government might not accept the same. The Commission said that they would explore the possibility of such an assessment by the LIC before finalization of the report.

(c) Fitment formula. The Commission might accept the suggestion made by the Staff Side in respect of fitment formula with requisite change in the ratio on the basis of the quantum of minimum wage determined.

(d) Open ended pay scales: The Commission would recommend open ended pay scales as suggested by the Staff Side.

(e) In the matters of rate of increment, quantum of allowances etc, the Commission did not come out clearly of their thinking in the matter.

(f) Parity in pension entitlement of the past and present pensioners. The Commission is yet to make up its mind on the suggestion made by the Staff Side in the matter. They however said that almost all the Pensioners' Organizations which met the Commission had

pleaded for this and the same is linked with the one rank one pension demand of the Armed forces personnel.

(g) MACP Scheme: The difficulties and anomalies pointed out by the Staff Side and various other Organizations have been taken note of by the Commission. The Commission assured to evolve a methodology to resolve the problem.

(i) Parity in the pay scales between the personnel in the Central Secretariat and those in the Subordinate establishments.

The Commission stated that they have appreciated the stand taken by the Staff Side in the matter.

The Commission was non committal on other issues raised by the Staff Side Members.

Donations Received

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	Rs/-	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	Rs/-
1322	Family of M.M.Devappa	10000	648	Krishna Murthy	1000
2179	K.Devanathan	1200	249	K.Basappa	500
2220	V.V.Joshi	1001	1806	A.Sathyanarayana	500
863	M.K.Raghavendra Rao	1000	1712	S.Nagaraj	100
2147	M.R.Narayana	1000			

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(Authority: General Manager- Operations, Apollo Pharmacy, Bangalore letter dated 24.04.2015 addressed to the Association).

Subscription of Rs. 100/- received for Pensioners' Champion in May-June - 2015

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
1	K.Arumugham	1100	M.R.Venugopalan	1900	G.Mathiyazhagan
4	B.Sadashiva Rao	1105	R.Padmasini	1915	M.S.Ramamurthy
35	N.Bhaskaran	1123	N.Balakrishna	1941	S.Venkata Ramu
83	V.S.Mulgund	1140	J.Natarajan	1952	G.K.Shanmugam
173	L.V.Narayana	1174	N.Ramaiah	1984	G.Prabhakar
200	R.Gajalakshmi	1184	V.Venkataramu	1990	B. Ramanna
201	D.Lakshminarayana Rao	1222	G.T.Sampathkumarachar	1997	D.N. Jagadeesh
249	K. Basappa	1260	A.S.Fazlur Rahman	2003	S.N.Yewoorkar
318	B.Keshava Bhat	1272	Venkatagriappa	2011	M.V.Chayapathi Rao
328	A.V.Subramanian	1278	U.Manohar Shenoy	2014	R.Ramamurthy
349	A.M.Karanth	1291	V.T.Jayachandran	2074	B.S.Balappa
361	S.R. Naik	1301	K.Velayuthan	2090	M.Madhusudhan Rao
375	M.N.Shenvi	1320	G.V.Lakshminarayana	2096	B.Lakshmi
390	K.V.Viswanathamurthy	1352	Shashikala.S.Kodgi	2097	Rukmini Pai
434	M.V.Sathyanarayana Rao	1367	P.Lakshminarayana Gupta	2146	K.Lakshmiopathy
529	S.Viswanathan	1369	H.S.Srikantaiah	2156	M.S.Govindaraj
544	B.N.Rao	1443	M.M.Bhat	2174	B.N.Sundaresha Murthy
571	Veerabhadrappaiah	1444	B.Venugopala Setty	2175	G.D.Patil
608	Suguna Sampath	1450	D.S.Venkatesh	2179	K.Devananthan
668	A.Ramamurthy	1528	D.Hemachandra Babu	2182	C.S.Krishna Gupta
733	S.Santhanam	1539	M.Sethumadhavan	2186	Somasekhara Goud
746	S.Sreenivasan	1582	Y.Seshadri	2188	B.Mohammed Shareef
756	B.S.Subba Rao	1588	K.M.Gopinath	2190	R.Muddaiah
762	A.Sadananda	1631	A.G.Venkateshu	2195	R.Lakshman Swamy
786	P.N.D.Kurup	1712	S.Nagaraj	2199	M.T.Ramaswamy
833	A.Hanumatha Rao	1721	M.V.Prahlada Rao	2203	M.N.Nagabhushana
847	S.N.Krishnamurthy	1726	H.B.Gundu Rao	2206	M.Elangovan
862	S.P.Venkatesha Jois	1731	E.Santhanam	2212	S.Jayapalan
867	B.N.Mallesappa	1734	Surendramurthy	2233	Viswanathan
901	R.Karthikeyan	1739	Girishchandra	2250	M.Nagaraja
920	A.Kanagamani	1788	P.N.Dwarakanath	2265	R.Vijayan
986	S.Jayaram	1799	K.Vittoba Rao	S-1	H.B. Mujumdar
1013	Hari Rao	1855	P.H.Shinde		
1092	Abdul Salam				

Subscription of Rs. 120/- received for Pensioners' Champion

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
S-145	M.G. Raykar

Subscription of Rs. 600/- received for Pensioners' Champion

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
2207	S.K. Mhaskar

Subscription of Rs. 300/- received for Pensioners' Champion

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
413	K.S. Sundaram
513	M.Ananthanarayana
656	M.Jagannath
843	G.M.Mahabal Shetti
1114	H.M.Savithri
1202	Shankar Hasyagar
1264	S.R.Jayapal

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Subscription of Rs. 200/- received for Pensioners' Champion

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
129	T.V.Srinivasa Murthy	1021	S.Sathyamurthy	1695	P.P.Premaja
207	S.H.Ragothama Rao	1076	Chandrashekar Karanth	1717	K.K. Gangadharan
224	B.Venkatesan	1134	K.Yellappa	1720	Aswathanarayana Murthy
400	I.Yeshoda Bai	1177	R.Lakshmanan	1729	V.M.Shetty
461	C.S.Sathyamurthy	1179	M.V.Pavate	1744	N.Ramamoorthy
464	M.N.Sathyanarayana Rao	1224	M.B.Kulkarni	1792	B.S.Bhandary
654	S.D.Sahane	1273	Y.L.N.Chetty	1825	L.Sathyanarayana
750	B.V. Ramachandra	1298	B.S.Jayaram	1919	P.Aravindaksham
766	Abdul Jabbar Bijli	1313	H.Suresh Mallya	1944	D. Rangaswamy
791	K.T.Chikkaswamy	1381	T.S.Rajashekaraiah	1962	B.R.Sankeshwar
831	S.K.Radhakrishna	1509	R.Hemantaraj Savalge	2116	S.L. Duggal
839	V.Padmanabhan	1536	A.G.Kulkarni	2132	K.S.Krishna Murthy
974	M.H.Rahman	1607	V.L. Joshi	2139	D.G.Puttamadaiah
985	VR.Janarthanam	1623	P.Chandrasekaraiah	2278	B.S.Ramamurthy
1011	K.Seshadri	1677	S.Balachander	S-194	M.B. Anavatti (250)
				S-241	S.N. Dorennavar

Subscription of Rs. 500/- received for Pensioners' Champion

LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)	LM/ALM	Name (Smt./Sri)
1038	K.L. Shivaram	1550	A. Poobalan	1939	P.S. Narasimhan
1227	V.S. Bhandari	1700	A. Prakash	2085	M.C. Vasudevan Nair
1260	A.S. Fazlur Rehman	1754	D. Vasudevan	2133	D.M.R. Panthalu
1368	H. Sanjeevaiah	1845	P. Rudraiah	2151	K.S. Vijayalakshmi

Newly Enrolled Members

Name (Smt./Sri)	Designation & Office in which last worked	Type & No.
1 S. Jaimuni Rao	BCR Stg Ast., B City RMS	LM 2268
2 R. Gangadharaiah	BCR Sorting Assistant, PSO, Bangalore	LM 2269
3 H.K. Nagaraja	Chief Engineer, Delhi Zone, Military Engineering Service	LM 2270
4 K.P. Rajarathnam	Section Supervisor, O/O CAO(TLC), BGT Bangalore	LM 2271
5 H.N. Rama Murthy	AHRO, BG City RMS, HSG II Supervisor	LM 2272
6 Manjunath	Senior Geologist, Geological Survey of India, Bangalore	ALM 2273
7 Shirish Kushal Vayangankar	Senior Geologist, Geological Survey of India, Bangalore	ALM 2274
8 N. Subramanian	Senior Geologist, Geological Survey of India, Bangalore	ALM 2275
9 V. Srinivasa Murthy	Senior Geologist, Geological Survey of India, Bangalore	ALM 2276
10 V. Narayana Murthy	Assistant Post Master, Dharmavaram PO	LM 2277
11 B.S. Ramamurthy	TBOP Sorting Assistant, BG Stg Division, Bangalore	LM 2278
12 V.B. Talwar	Postmaster, HSG I, Tiptur HO	LM 2281
13 K.S. Menon	ACIO, SIB Bangalore	LM 2282
14 V. Lakshminarayana	SPM, Mavlli SO, Bangalore	LM 2283
15 Somashekaraiah	Sorting Assistant, BG PSO	LM 2284
16 Sohan Singh Nanda	Asst. Controller of Defence Accounts, CDA(Army), Meerut Cantt	ALM 2285
17 V. Sundaram	Senior Geologist, Geological Survey of India	ALM 2286

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