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"In memory of those who sacrificed their today for our tomorrow"

**"Dedicated to those braves who sacrificed their today for our tomorrow"**



**A nation that does not remember those, who laid down  
their lives for the motherland, cannot always remain a nation worth dying for.  
None can speak more eloquently for peace than those who fought the war**



## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

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Dear Veteran,

1. The OROP revision due from 01 Jul 2019 was declared by the Govt on 04 Sep 2024. As in the past it has not benefitted all the Veterans.
2. Sepoy to Havildar and Naib Subedar have their pensions increased by about Rs 1000 to Rs 2000 plus, there is no benefit to Subedar and Hony Lieutenant/Captain ranks. Similarly Captains, Major and Lt Colonels who have retired long back have not benefitted. In fact pension of some ranks have been reduced in the table but the higher pension they are getting will be protected. This is all because of change in service rules over the period.
3. As usual our request to Service HQs to hold a meeting with PCDA (Pension) has not been accepted. In absence of any meaningful action by the PCDA (Pension) the only course open is knocking the doors of the Courts. I wonder what pleasure our Controllers, the Service HQs and the MoD get by forcing us to go to Courts. IESL is now open to taking matter to Courts. Since some cases are already filed. I would welcome greater litigation against the injustice meted out in our pension calculation. Since this needs adequate knowledge of the subject I seek assistance of those who can help prepare our cases. I also appeal to our legal fraternity ex JAG Branch to come to our help. IESL, will provide financial and all other support.
4. Apart from OROP anomalies, none of our letters have been acted upon by our own Service HQs. Our proposals have fallen on deaf ears with eyes and minds closed. I wonder if this is going to help the serving in seeking disability pension on retirement.
5. Various letters written by IESL are published in this Edition.

Brigadier Inder Mohan Singh (Retd)

President,

1. जुलाई 2019 से लागू होने वाले वन रैंक वन पेंशन संशोधन की घोषणा सरकार ने 04 सितंबर 2024 को की है। लेकिन पहले की तरह इसका लाभ भी सभी भूतपूर्व सैनिकों को नहीं मिला है।
2. सिपाही से लेकर हवलदार और नायब सूबेदार तक की पेंशन में करीब 1000 से 2000 रुपये तक की बढ़ोतरी की गई है। जबकि सूबेदार और ऑनररी लेफ्टिनेंट कैप्टन रैंक के लोगों को इसका कोई लाभ नहीं मिला है। इसी तरह कैप्टन, मेजर और लेफ्टिनेंट कर्नल जो बहुत पहले सेवानिवृत्त हो चुके हैं, उन्हें भी कोई लाभ नहीं मिला है। दरअसल, कुछ रैंक के लोगों की पेंशन कम कर दी गई है, लेकिन उन्हें मिलने वाली उच्च पेंशन बरकरार रहेगी। यह सब समय के साथ सेवा नियमों में बदलाव के कारण हुआ है।
3. हमेशा की तरह, सेवा मुख्यालय द्वारा पी.सी.डी.ए. (पेंशन) के साथ बैठक करने का हमारा अनुरोध स्वीकार नहीं किया गया। पीसीडीए (पेंशन) द्वारा कोई सार्थक कार्रवाई न किए जाने की स्थिति में हमारे पास अदालत का दरवाजा खटखटाना ही एकमात्र रास्ता है। मुझे आश्चर्य है कि हमारे नियंत्रकों, सेवा मुख्यालयों और रक्षा मंत्रालय को हमें अदालतों में जाने के लिए मजबूर करने में क्या खुशी मिलती है? IESL अब मामले को न्यायालयों में ले जाने के लिए तैयार है। चूंकि कुछ मामले पहले ही दायर किए जा चुके हैं। हमारी पेंशन गणना में किए गए अन्याय के विरुद्ध में मुकदमेबाजी का स्वागत करूंगा। चूंकि इसके लिए विषय का पर्याप्त ज्ञान होना जरूरी है, इसलिए मैं उन लोगों की सहायता चाहता हूं जो इस मामले को तैयार करने में हमारी मदद कर सकते हैं। मैं JAG शाखा के पूर्व कानूनी विरादरी से भी हमारी मदद के लिए आगे आने की अपील करता हूं। IESL वित्तीय और अन्य सभी सहायता प्रदान करेगा।
4. OROP विसंगतियों के अलावा, सेवा मुख्यालय द्वारा हमारे किसी भी पत्र पर कोई कार्रवाई नहीं की गई है। हमारे प्रस्तावों को आंख और दिमाग को बंद करके अनसुना कर दिए गए हैं। मुझे आश्चर्य है कि क्या इससे सेवारत सैनिकों को उनके सेवा निवृत्त होने पर विकलांगता पेंशन प्राप्त करने में मदद मिलेगी।
5. IESL द्वारा लिखे गए विभिन्न पत्र इस संस्करण में प्रकाशित किए गए हैं।

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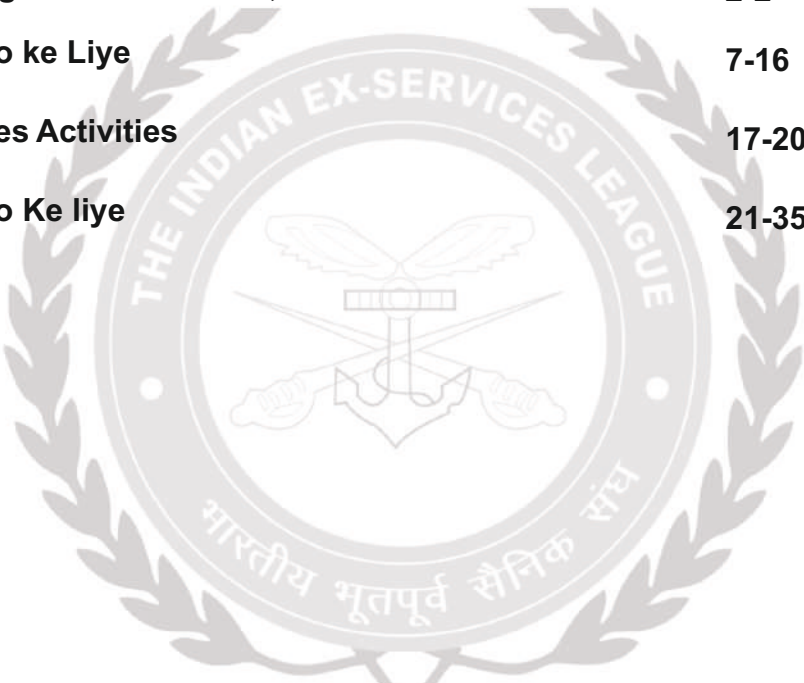
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Government of India  
Ministry of Defence  
Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare

To

Sena Bhawan, New Delhi,  
Dated, the 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

The Chief of Army Staff  
The Chief of Naval Staff  
The Chief of AirStaff

**Subject: Revision of pension of Defence Forces Personnel/family pensioners under One Rank One Pension (OROP) W.E.F. 01.07.2024-reg.**

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to the provisions contained in para 3(v) of this Ministry's letter No. 12(1)/2014/D(Pen/Pol)-Part-II dated 07.11.2015 regarding re-fixation of pension of Defence Forces Personnel in future every 5 years.

2. The President is pleased to decide that the next revision of pension under OROP Scheme would be effective from 01.07.2024. Revision of pension is based on the principles adopted in MoD letter dated 07.11.2015 and are as under:

2.1. Pension of the past pensioners would be re-fixed on the basis of pension of Defence Forces retirees of calendar year 2023 and the benefit will be effective from 01.07.2024

2.2. Pension will be re-fixed for eligible Defence Forces pensioners/family pensioners on the basis of the average of minimum and maximum pension of Defence Forces Personnel retired in calendar year 2023 in the same rank and with the same length of service.

2.3. Pension for those drawing above the average shall be protected.

2.4. The benefit would also be extended to family pensioners Including war widows and disabled pensioners.

2.5. Arrears will be paid within one financial year.

2.6. Personnel who opt to get discharged w.e.f 01.07.2024 (on or after 01.07.2014) on their own request under Rule 13(3)I(i)(b), 13(3)II(i)(b), 13(3)III(iv) or Rule 16B of the Army Rule 1954 or equivalent Navy or Air Force Rules will not be entitled to the benefits of OROP.

3. Further, detailed instructions along with tables for revision of pension under OROP scheme, shall be issued separately.

4. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Division of this Ministry vide their ID Note No. 10/(01)/2019/Pin/Pen dated 08.07.2024.

5. Hindi version will follow.

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1. As per Standard distribution list,
2. AFA(Pension)
3. CGDA, New Delhi

Yours faithFully.



(J.K. Sahu)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India



Table No. 1

RATES OF RETIRING PENSION AS PER DROP REVISION W.E.F. 01.07.2024 FOR REGULAR COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND WOMEN OFFICERS OF ARMY AND EQUIVALENT RANKS IN NAVY & AIR FORCE  
(OTHER THAN OFFICERS OF AMC/ADC/RVC, EC/SSC, TA AND MNS)

Q.S	RANK												
	2ND LT/LT	CAPT	MAJOR	LT COL(TS) /LT COL	COL(TS)	COL	BRIG	MAJ GEN	LT GEN	LT GEN (HAG+)	ARMY CDR	VCOAS	COAS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
0.5	20889	20889	27149	46834	54191	54191							
1	21212	21212	27562	47558	55029	55029							
1.5	21535	21535	27988	48282	55867	55867							
2	21868	21868	28414	49029	56731	56731							
2.5	22201	22201	28853	49775	57594	57594							
3	22544	22544	29292	50545	58485	58485							
3.5	22887	22887	29745	51314	59375	59375							
4	23241	23241	30197	52108	60293	60293							
4.5	23594	23594	30664	52901	61211	61211							
5	23959	23959	31130	53719	62158	62158							
5.5	24323	24323	31611	54537	63104	63104							
6	24699	24699	32092	55380	64080	64080							
6.5	25075	25075	32588	56223	65055	65055							
7	25463	25463	33084	57092	66061	66061							
7.5	25850	25850	33596	57961	67066	67066							
8	26250	26250	34107	58857	68103	68103							
8.5	26649	26649	34634	59753	69140	69140							
9	27061	27061	35161	60677	70209	70209							
9.5	27473	27473	35705	61601	71278	71278							
10	27898	27898	36248	62554	72380	72380							
10.5	28322	28322	36809	63506	73482	73482							
11	28760	28760	37369	64488	74618	74618							
11.5	29197	29197	37947	65470	75754	75754							
12	29649	29649	38524	66482	76925	76925							
12.5	30100	30100	39120	67494	78096	78096							
13	30565	30565	39715	68538	79304	79304							
13.5	31030	31030	40329	69581	80511	80511							
14	31510	31510	40943	70657	81756	81756							
14.5	31989	31989	41576	71732	83001	83001							
15	32484	32484	42209	72841	84285	84285							
15.5	32978	32978	42862	73950	85568	85568							
16	33488	33488	43514	75059	86891	86891							
16.5	33997	33997	44187	76170	88214	88214							
17	34523	34523	44859	77281	89578	89578							
17.5	35048	35048	45553	78392	90942	90942							
18	35590	35590	46246	79503	92348	92348							
18.5	36131	36131	46961	80614	93754	93754							
19	36690	36690	47676	81725	95204	95204							
19.5	37248	37248	48413	82836	96653	96653							
20	37824	37824	49150	83947	98148	98148							





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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
20.5	38400	38400	49150	82300	99642	99642	99642	99642	99642	99642			
21	38400	38711	54350	82300	101183	101183	101183	101183	101183	101183			
21.5	38400	39300	54350	82300	102723	102723	102723	102723	102723	102723			
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22.5	38400	39300	54350	82300	105899	105899	105899	105899	105899	105899			
23	38400	39300	54350	82300	107537	107537	107537	107537	107537	107537			
23.5	38400	39300	54350	82775	109174	109174	109174	109174	109174	109174			
24	38400	39300	54350	82775	110862	110862	110862	110862	110862	110862			
24.5	38400	39754	54350	84800	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
25	38400	40369	54350	89200	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
25.5	38400	40983	54350	91625	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
26	39700	41617	54350	91625	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
26.5	40750	42250	54350	91625	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
27	40750	42500	54350	91625	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
27.5	40750	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
28	40750	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
28.5	41200	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
29	41200	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
29.5	41200	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
30	41200	42500	54350	99350	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550	112550			
30.5	42050	42500	54350	99350	112550	112600	116550	116550	116550	116550			
31	42625	42625	54350	110850	112600	112600	116550	116550	116550	116550			
31.5	42625	42625	54350	110850	112600	114125	116550	116550	116550	116550			
32	42625	42625	54350	110850	112600	114125	116550	116550	116550	116550			
32.5	46300	46300	66800	110850	114125	114125	116550	116550	116550	116550			
33 & Above	46300	46300	66800	110850	114125	115700	116550	116550	116550	116550	116550	116550	125000

## Note -

- For revision of pension, the qualifying service mentioned in first column shall be taken as actual qualifying service rendered for which pension had been sanctioned.
- To cover invalid old cases, rates of pension has been indicated from 1/2 years of service upto Colonel rank and from 20 years of service for Brigadier and above ranks though such cases may not occur in reality in higher ranks.
- Service Element of Disability/Liberalized disability/War Injury Pension & Invalid pension, shall also be revised by the rates mentioned in the table.
- Rates for Lt. Gen (HAG +) are applicable for post 2006 retirees only.
- Lower rates of higher qualifying service or blank rates are protected with higher rate of lower qualifying service in same rank (in same column), resulting same rates in some qualifying services.
- Lower rates of higher rank are protected with higher rate of lower ranks in same qualifying service (with adjacent column), resulting similar rates in some qualifying services.
- The rate of pension of pensioners/family pensioners drawing more than the revised rate of pension/family pension indicated in annexed tables will be protected and their pension shall not be revised to disadvantage of the pensioner.





**Table No. 7**

Rank Group Held	RANK																												Hony Captain		NCOE
	Sepoy and equivalent		Hony Nalk and equivalent		Nalk/Nalk (TS) and equivalent		Hony Havildar and equivalent		Havildar and equivalent		Hony Nalb Subedar and equivalent		Artificer Illt. (Navy only)		Nalb Subedar and equivalent		Subedar and equivalent		Subedar Major and equivalent		Subedar granted ACP		Hony Lieutenant								
	"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H		"A" B TO H						
	"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E		"A" B TO E				
	"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		"X" Y, Z		
PRE- 1973	POST- 1973	POST 10.10.97	POST 1.1.2006	Q.S.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24			
0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	3.5	4	4.5	5	5.5	6	6.5	7	7.5	8	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5	11	11.5	12	12.5	13	13.5	14	14.5			
15084	15085	15086	15087	15088	15089	15090	15091	15092	15093	15094	15095	15096	15097	15098	15099	15100	15101	15102	15103	15104	15105	15106	15107	15108	15109	15110	15111	15112			
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15200	15201	15202	15203	15204	15205	15206	15207	15208	15209	15210	15211	15212	15213	15214	15215	15216	15217	15218	15219	15220	15221	15222	15223	15224	15225	15226	15227	15228			
15229	15230	15231	15232	15233	15234	15235	15236	15237	15238	15239	15240	15241	15242	15243	15244	15245	15246	15247	15248	15249	15250	15251	15252	15253	15254	15255	15256	15257			
15258	15259	15260	15261	15262	15263	15264	15265	15266	15267	15268	15269	15270	15271	15272	15273	15274	15275	15276	15277	15278	15279	15280	15281	15282	15283	15284	15285	15286			
15287	15288	15289	15290	15291	15292	15293	15294	15295	15296	15297	15298	15299	15300	15301	15302	15303	15304	15305	15306	15307	15308	15309	15310	15311	15312	15313	15314	15315			
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15374	15375	15376	15377	15378	15379	15380	15381	15382	15383	15384	15385	15386	15387	15388	15389	15390	15391	15392	15393	15394	15395	15396	15397	15398	15399	15400	15401	15402			
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15432	15433	15434	15435	15436	15437	15438	15439	15440	15441	15442	15443	15444	15445	15446	15447	15448	15449	15450	15451	15452	15453	15454	15455	15456	15457	15458	15459	15460			
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15548	15549	15550	15551	15552	15553	15554	15555	15556	15557	15558	15559	15560	15561	15562	15563	15564	15565	15566	15567	15568	15569	15570	15571	15572	15573	15574	15575	15576			
15577	15578	15579	15580	15581	15582	15583	15584	15585	15586	15587	15588	15589	15590	15591	15592	15593	15594	15595	15596	15597	15598	15599	15600	15601	15602	15603	15604	15605			
15606	15607	15608	15609	15610	15611	15612	15613	15614	15615	15616	15617	15618	15619	15620	15621	15622	15623	15624	15625	15626	15627	15628	15629	15630	15631	15632	15633	15634			
15635	15636	15637	15638	15639	15640	15641	15642	15643	15644	15645	15646	15647	15648	15649	15650	15651	15652	15653	15654	15655	15656	15657	15658	15659	15660	15661	15662	15663			
15664	15665	15666	15667	15668	15669	15670	15671	15672	15673	15674	15675	15676	15677	15678	15679	15680	15681	15682	15683	15684	15685	15686	15687	15688	15689	15690	15691	15692			
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15780	15781	15782	15783	15784	15785	15786	15787	15788	15789	15790	15791	15792	15793	15794	15795	15796	15797	15798	15799	15800	15801	15802	15803	15804	15805	15806	15807	15808			
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15867	15868	15869	15870	15871	15872	15873	15874	15875	15876	15877	15878	15879	15880	15881	15882	15883	15884	15885	15886	15887	15888	15889	15890	15891	15892	15893	15894	15895			
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15954	15955	15956	15957	15958	15959	15960	15961	15962	15963	15964	15965	15966	15967	15968	15969	15970	15971	15972	15973	15974	15975	15976	15977	15978	15979	15980	15981	15982			
15983	15984	15985	15986	15987	15988	15989	15990	15991	15992	15993	15994	15995	15996	15997	15998	15999	16000	16001	16002	16003	16004	16005	16006	16007	16008	16009	16010	16011			
16012	16013	16014	16015	16016	16017	16018	16019	16020	16021	16022	16023	16024	16025	16026	16027	16028	16029	16030	16031	16032	16033	16034	16035	16036	16037	16038	16039	16040			
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16070	16071	16072	16073	16074	16075	16076	16077	16078	16079	16080	16081	16082	16083	16084	16085	16086	16087	16088	16089	16090	16091	16092	16093	16094	16095	16096	16097	16098			
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16157	16158	16159	16160	16161	16162	16163	16164	16165	16166	16167	16168	16169	16170	16171	16172	16173	16174	16175	16176	16177	16178	16179	16180								



Table No. 7

RATES OF SERVICE PENSION AS PER OROP REVISION W.E.F. 01.07.2024 FOR KCOs AND OTHER RANKS INCLUDING HONORARY COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF ARMY INCLUDING DSC as 1st Pension ) AND EQUIVALENT RANKS OF NAVY &

Rank Group Held	RANK	RANK										Hony Lieutenant				Hony Captain				NCE(E)					
		Sepoy and equivalent		Hony Naik and equivalent		Naik/Naik (TS) and equivalent		Hony Havildar and equivalent		Havildar and equivalent		Hony Naib Subedar and equivalent		Artificer IH- (Navy only)		Naib Subedar and equivalent		Subedar and equivalent			Subedar Major and equivalent		Subedar granted ACP "A"/ACP "B" and "C" and equivalent		
		"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E		"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H
PRE- 1973		"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E
POST- 1973		"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO H	"A" B TO E	"A" B TO E
POST 10.10.97		"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z	"X" Y, Z
POST 1.1.2006		X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y
Q.S.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
20.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	25635	23082	25635	23082	27585	24763	27585	24763	27585	24763	29650	25750	30109	27100	31050	31050	31050	38400	38400	19450
21		24459	22659	24459	22659	25635	23082	25635	23082	27585	24763	27585	24763	27585	24763	29650	25750	30575	27475	31050	31050	31050	38400	38400	19450
21.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	25635	23569	25635	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26125	31040	28725	31900	31900	31900	38400	38400	19450
22		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	31520	28800	31900	31900	31900	38400	38400	19450
22.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	20000
23		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	20000
23.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	20000
24		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	20000
24.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	20000
25		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
25.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
26		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
26.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
27		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
27.5		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
28		24459	22659	24459	22659	27585	23569	27585	23569	27935	24763	27935	24763	27935	24763	29650	26825	32000	28800	32000	31950	32000	38400	38400	21400
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- For revision of pension, the qualifying service mentioned in first column shall be taken as actual qualifying service rendered for which pension had been sanctioned.
- To cover Invalided out cases, rates of pension has been indicated from 172 year of service of all ranks though such cases may not occur in reality in higher ranks.
- The Service Element of Disability/Liberalized Disability/War Injury Pension and Invalid Pension shall also be revised by the rates mentioned in the table.
- The rates of pension above the terms of engagement are only in respect of those who were retained in the service beyond their term of engagement during emergency period.
- Below 15 years of Q.S. Service Element of Disability Pension & Invalid Pension only be revised as per this table. In normal discharged case of KCOs/OBs, pension will be revised from 15 years and above only.
- Pension of DSC personnel drawing their first pension from DSC irrespective of Clerical or other duty group, shall also be revised from this table by allowing the rates of Group Y in relevant ranks.
- Pension of KCOs granted upgrade under ACP/MACP scheme, shall be revised with reference to the rank for which ACP/MACP had been granted.
- Lower rates of higher qualifying service or blank rates are protected with higher rate of lower qualifying service in same Rank & same Group (in same column), resulting same rates in some qualifying services.
- Lower rates of higher rank are protected with higher rate of lower rank of same Group. In same qualifying service (with adjacent column of same Group), resulting similar rates in some qualifying services.
- The rate of pension of pensioners' family pensioners drawing more than the revised rate of pension/family pension indicated in annexed tables will be protected and their pension shall not be revised to disadvantage of the pensioner.

Note:-






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## **DELAY IN LITIGATION AT ARMED FORCES TRIBUNALS(AFTs)**

1. Armed Forces Tribunals (AFTs) were created so that Veterans need not go to Civil Courts as it led to inordinate delay in deciding legal cases. Further the inclusion of Senior Service Officers in the tribunals was to Facilitate better understanding of service matters.
2. The AFTs presently either don't have all the authorized benches in place or the litigants have increased to an extent that the delay are now as much as it was once in High Courts. Further with increasing numbers of Veterans and more litigation mostly created by govt policies, there is a need to increase number of AFT Centers. This will help Veterans avoid travelling long distances to file cases

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28 Aug 2024

## FUNCTIONING OF ZILA SAINIK BOARDS

Sir,

1. There is an acute shortage of staff in Zila Sainik Board Offices in Punjab, especially Field Welfare Officers. It could be in other States also. There is a shortage of officers also. This issue needs to be resolved so that the functioning of Zila Sainik Boards is more efficient.
2. We have solutions for overcoming these shortages which the undersigned can discuss in a meeting.

Brig Inder Mohan Singh (Retd)  
President

## **JOB PORTAL**

### **INTRODUCTION**

If you are a veteran or a future retiree of the Indian Armed Forces, you may be looking for a new career opportunity or a change of direction. You may have a wealth of skills, experience, and knowledge that can be valuable in the civilian job market. However, you may also face some challenges and difficulties in finding and applying for suitable jobs that match your interests and qualifications. One of the ways to overcome this challenge is to use online Job Portals through a [Standard Resume](#), and that can help you discover and access a wide range of jobs across various industries and locations.

Online Job Portals are websites or platforms that connect job seekers and employers, allowing them to post and browse resumes and job listings, and communicate and collaborate. Online job portals can help you save time and effort, expand your reach and visibility, and enhance your chances of getting hired. In this article, we will introduce you to the top job portals where Indian armed forces retirees and veterans, must register and explain how they can help you with your job search.

#### **Online Job Portals:**

##### **NAUKRI.COM**

Recognized as one of the foremost and all-encompassing job portals in India, Naukri.com boasts an extensive listing of over 5.4 lakh jobs spanning diverse sectors and locations. By creating a complimentary profile, uploading your resume, and utilizing advanced search features, you can seamlessly apply for jobs while receiving personalized alerts and recommendations. Click here to open the website <https://www.naukri.com>

##### **SHINE.COM**

Emerging as another leading job portal in India, Shine.com features a repository of over 3 lakh jobs sourced from more than 14,000 companies. Registration is free, granting you the ability to craft a comprehensive resume, explore job opportunities, and access a wealth of career resources and courses. <https://www.shine.com>

##### **FOUNDIT.IN**

Earlier named Monster India Originating as a global online employment portal and making its mark in India since 2001, Monster India offers an extensive array of jobs across various industries and locations. Additionally, it provides valuable career advice, resume services, and skill assessment tools. <https://www.foundit.in>

##### **INDEED INDIA**

Serving as the Indian iteration of the world's largest job site, Indeed India hosts a staggering 10 crore jobs from a myriad of employers. Offering features like job search, resume posting, and access to salary and company reviews, it provides a comprehensive platform for job seekers. <https://in.indeed.com>



**FRESHERSWORLD.COM**

Tailored for fresh graduates and entry-level professionals, Freshersworld.com presents a dedicated job portal with over 1.5 lakh jobs from more than 60,000 companies. Registration is free, enabling users to create profiles, undertake online tests, and apply for jobs and internships. <https://www.freshersworld.com>

**TIMESJOBS.COM**

Owned by The Times Group, one of India's largest media conglomerates, TimesJobs.com encompasses over 2 lakh jobs from various sectors and locations. The platform also offers career services, events, and webinars to enhance the job-seeking experience. <https://www.timesjobs.com>

**LINKEDIN INDIA**

boasts a staggering 7.5 crore members and features 30 lakh jobs. Creating a profile on this platform allows you to build a professional network, showcase your skills, and As the Indian counterpart to the world's largest professional network, LinkedIn India seamlessly apply for jobs. <https://www.linkedin.com/>

**GLASSDOOR INDIA**

Doubling as a job portal and a source of insights into companies, salaries, and workplaces, Glassdoor India provides a holistic job-seeking experience. Users can explore job opportunities, post resumes, and gain valuable insights through employee and candidate reviews. <https://www.glassdoor.co.in/>

**INTERNSHALA**

Functioning as a bridge between students, freshers, and internship opportunities, Internshala offers a platform with diverse opportunities across fields and locations. Free registration allows users to browse and apply for internships, along with access to training and guidance. <https://internshala.com/>

**UPWORK INDIA**

Serving as a platform connecting freelancers and independent professionals with clients and projects, Upwork India facilitates seamless collaboration across various categories and skills. This demand skills. Users can create profiles, bid for projects, and receive online payments for their services. <https://www.upwork.com/>

**Conclusion:**

Online job portals are one of the most convenient and effective ways to find and apply for jobs in the civilian sector. Online job portals can help you explore and access a variety of jobs across different industries and locations, and showcase your skills, experience, and personality to potential employers. Online job portals can also help you learn more about the companies, salaries, and workplaces that interest you, and provide you with useful career resources and advice. Therefore, you should make use of the online job portals that we have discussed in this article, such as Naukri.com, Shine.com, Monster India, Indeed India, Freshersworld.com, TimesJobs.com, LinkedIn India, Glassdoor India, Internshala, and Upwork India.

These are some of the best and most popular job portals for Indian Armed Forces retirees and veterans, and they can help you find your dream job or career. You should register and create your profile on these job portals, upload your resume, and apply for the jobs that suit your needs and preferences. You should also update and enhance your profile regularly, and follow up with the employers and recruiters. Remember, online job portals are not the only way to find a job, but they are a great way to start and boost your job search.

**National Career Service**

This is a government initiative that provides a platform for job seekers and employers to interact and exchange information. It also offers career counselling, skill development, and vocational guidance for various segments of the workforce, including Ex-servicemen. The platform also provides online registration, job matching, job alerts, and job application services for job seekers. The platform also provides online posting, screening, shortlisting, and hiring services for employers. The platform also hosts job fairs, career exhibitions, and seminars for job seekers and employers. The platform can be accessed at <https://www.ncs.gov.in/>

President, JK ESL and Vice President IESL met Shri Jitendra Singh, MOS and Chief of Army Staff (Designate) and apprised them regarding problems faced by ESM.





## Indian Ex-Serviceman

An ESM outreach programme was conducted by HQ ANC at Campbell Bay which was attended by approx 130 ESM and families. Col KV Cherian, VSM\* and few office bearers of A&N ESL gave the lead to the event.





An ESM outreach programme was conducted by Leh Sub Area which was attended by Maj Gen Ravinder Kumar, GOC Sub Area and Col Sonal Wangchok, MVC, Hony Capt Sonam Murup, President ESL Ladakh Scout.





## Indian Ex-Serviceman

Month long special campaign from 01 Aug to 31 Aug 2024 on redressal of family pension grievances Launched by Dr Jitender Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of Personnel, PG and Pensions on 01 Jul 2024 at National Media House, New Delhi. General Secretary, IESL met to PCDA and Secy, DP&PW and appraised with problems of ESM.





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## FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO INDIAN EX-SERVICES LEAGUE (IESL)

Sir,

1. IESL did not face any financial problems till Jun 2019 when the Govt stopped its FCRA (Foreign Contribution Regulations Act) authorisation. With pensions to World War. -2 Veterans through IESL who had served under the British Army, the Royal Commonwealth Ex-Services League (RCEL) was magnanimous enough to bear most of our establishment costs. Despite promise by the then RM that we will be given compensation by our govt, nothing has happened.

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2. We have reconciled to function without the aid. However to make individual ESM as also our organization to be self reliant financially, my first proposal of setting up Solar Parks in Military Stations is gathering dust some where. We have learnt that NTPC and probably some other Govt / private entities are being given these opportunities. I wonder is the ESM fraternity considered incompetent or to be deprived of 3 to 4 megawatt projects to help NTPC or other large conglomerates. Why can't it be allotted to IESL as a pilot in one of the mil stations? There were newspapers reports that around 60 mil stations are being covered under Solar Power Projects. Why not reserve them for IESL. Our latest proposal to LWE under QMG is enclosed.

3. It would not be out of place to bring to your notice the vast divergence in the functioning of Army and / or Navy HQ vis-à-vis Air HQ. Air Force Association (AFA) is the best example They have their office complex in Air Force Station Race Course Road, entire staff to run the organization consists of service personnel. A grant of Rs 38 lakhs each year for the past two years and the corpus donated by Marshal of the Air Force, Arjan Singh of above Rs 4 crore which is unmatched in the history of Indian Veterans.

4. I reiterate IESL doesn't need any financial aid. We have not got a single rupee since our inception in 1964. If Gen KM Cariappa and Gen KS Thimmayya could create this edifice for Veterans, we can surely run it to keep alive their memories. I'll be grateful if Service HQ can consider our proposal for Solar Parks in Army/Naval/Air Force Stations. This will help more Veterans than what DGR can achieve. It will make our organisation strong. Let me convey a bit about our financials. We get a rent of Rs 3.57 lakh from the floor rented out to Yes Bank Our monthly routine expenditure is Rs 6 lakhs. And see how our govt helps the oldest Veteran Organisation. They levy a tax of 20 percent on the rent we get. Does it make the govt any richer. I request the CDS to have this waived.

5. I would also like to inform the Veterans that there are many organizations funded by the Service HQs or MoD; like CLAWS, USI, IDSA. Could be others also. Have these organisation won us any war. I can assure you we too can write papers, probably as good, if it can help us financially.

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## PROPOSAL FOR SETTING UP SOLAR PARKS IN MILITARY STATIONS

Sir,

1. A brief about Indian Ex-Services League (IESL). IESL was founded by Gen KM Cariappa and Gen KS Thimayya in 1964. The Govt of the day gave IESL nearly 2000 sq yd land in Chanakyapuri where the present building was constructed in 1970. IESL is an apolitical body, accorded the status of Apex Organisation of ESM through an Act of Parliament in 1982. We have our State Units and members in most parts of the Country.

2. It is probably for the first time IESL or any Ex-Servicemen (ESM) organization has taken upon itself to create a sound financial system for ESM. 25 Lakh strong ESM are a force to reckon with and can undertake any venture with little govt support.

3. My first submission to the services hierarchy. For us, the ESM, the govt is the Service HQ. I don't want to go into the technicalities on this issue. At times when I'm told the Govt of India rules are this and that I wonder is it our GoI or are we working under some adversary. When the GoI can help practically every section of the industry, trade, workers and farmers and every section of the society with the aim of improving the financial well being, why should ESM and our Services HQ consider our own Govt to be an impediment in taking decisions which are a win-win for all; the Govt of India, Services HQ and ESM. When none of them are losers and the benefit goes to ESM and their dependents what more can we achieve.

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4. Over an year back I proposed some of the projects that can be undertaken by ESM in a communication to the CDS, Services Chiefs, the Secy ESW as also the Hon'ble Raksha Mantri. My first focus was on setting up Solar Parks in military stations. The Services HQ were not moved by the proposals and the then Secy ESW in my meeting with him countered how and why defence land should be given to you. I had to take this statement head on. The Central and State Govts facilitate industries in so many ways, why is that done? Concessional govt lands to set up private industries and a host of incentives which are well known. I don't hesitate in stating that if the worlds largest and amongst them, India's large corporates are given incentives to make money why not ESM. Productivity Linked Incentive (PLI) is a case in point in addition to other financial incentives and trade policies to large corporates. The govt is also keen that the MSME sector grows.
5. I dare say that what I propose can fulfill aspirations of such large number of ESM that our formal organizations like DGR, Placement Organisations, Central and State Govts reservation policies for ESM cannot easily match our proposals which we will take up as we progress on the first one. We are aware how security and coal transportation companies given to ESM through DGR are passed over to existing big players at a small share of profit. Another example is the existing policy of 13% jobs for ESM and their dependents. I dare say no State Govt has come close to this figure ever. At best 5 to 10% or even less. And now the political storm over Agniveers has led to commitment of 10% jobs to Agniveers by some State Govts as also CPOs under Govt of India. With 13% earlier and now another 10% for Agniveers, that's nearly a quarter of Govt jobs for ESM. This is a pipe dream, a political competition. Most of us should be more concerned about unemployed youth of the country. ESM get pension, a lump sum take home of Rs 40 to 70 lakh for NCOs, more for JCOs and officers. Then our retiring NCOs/JCOs seek jobs only in the vicinity of their place of residence which is not possible for everyone.
6. Let me say there is a mistrust existing between the Veterans and the Govt. And in this conflict it's often said that our Service HQ are not helping the genuine issues of ESM. What IESL proposes will go a long way in creating a better environment.
7. I assure you that we will follow the best practices in implementing this project. We will live up to our founding fathers, Gen KM Cariappa, OBE and Gen KS Thimayya, DSO.
8. In my quest for how to reinstate this proposal I realised that the QMG is the best route. Sir, you gave a very patient hearing when I met you last week and asked me to forward the proposal.
9. With this background I enclose the proposal as an Appendix to this letter.

Brigadier Inder Mohan Singh (Retd)  
President



Appendix

(Refers to IESL DO Letter No IESL/105/2024  
dated 12 Aug 2024)

PROPOSAL FOR SETTING UP SOLAR PARKS IN MILITARY STATIONS

1. Setting up Solar Parks has manifold benefits in military stations :-
  - (a) They help in reducing carbon footprint with less dependence on fossil fuels which is our main stay.
  - (b) Provide a big savings to the armed forces budget.
  - (c) Roof top solar are not practical in military stations because the occupants move out in one to two years. Solar panels need washing, checking of connections, plus an inverter has to be placed in every block. This will add to costs as also monitoring and maintenance / repairs. It's cheaper to have a two to four megawatt solar park than 3 to 5 KW rooftop solar panels in scores of buildings.
  - (d) Street lights and other facilities consuming power won't get cost savings till we put up adequate capacity solar panels in a Station.
2. There can be no better and bigger option for the vast community of ESM than setting up solar parks. We at IESL need no funding. We have a very transparent system. For the purpose of solar parks our IESL HQ, State IESL bodies and ESM across the country, whether members or not of IESL will be welcome to join. A professional management from within the ESM fraternity team will be formed to the satisfaction of all.
3. The Rooftop Solar Yojana or the PM Surya Ghar Muft Bijli Yojana is to provide 40% subsidy for one crore homes toward cost of solar panels. This is the major capital cost. I would request some of these benefits be given to ESM in such projects which benefit everyone.
4. As a pilot project we would like to set up one Solar Park of capacity between 2 MW and 4 MW. As a pilot I'll give the data for a 3 MW solar park. The power will be supplied to the military grid in the station and not to any other entity.
5. Land required 5.5 acres.
6. Approx cost Rs 6.5 to 7 crore. This will be self financed by HQ IESL, State Units of IESL, desirous ESM in the pilot project. Once functional we will open the projects to ESM across the country on a share holding basis.
7. Power production per year 42 lakh units in a 3 MW park.
8. It will be completed in 4 to 5 months.

9. Now the main question what rate we expect from the govt / MES. I'm sure the tariff would be varying from State to State. I can talk of Punjab and Haryana where the residential rates vary from Rs 7 to 8 a unit. I wouldn't know what the MES pays for power. Assuming a low rate of Rs 6/- per unit it would be a great saving to the services if a further 25% saving is made in power bill, that is @ Rs 4.50 per unit. The ESM venture will make a profit of 15% per annum on this investment. This is twice the rate of bank interest on FDs.

10. Our cost will be low because we don't have a system of highly paid executives running the project which the corporates have.

11. We will only use Indian manufactured solar panels.

12. We have a vision to make solar power available to all the military stations, including Air Force and Naval establishments in two to three years. Where there is shortage of land the solar parks can be set up in military lands which are not in use, e.g. camping grounds which are in plenty in Punjab and Haryana. Could be in other States also. The open access system can be adopted where the power produced in a distant place in the same State can be supplied to the military establishments through State Govt grids. This will entail some extra cost but camping grounds and other unused areas can be gainfully used.

13. We will also offer serving officers to be part of this project once the pilot is implemented successfully. Stn Cdr and other HQs will be open to monitor our projects.

14. Though I have no data of the power needs I can make a safe assumption that it will easily exceed 1000 MW. May even top 2000 MW. IESL as the prime mover of this proposal we will take upon to undertake this in the military stations across the entire country.



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**Colonel Records**

The Punjab Regiment

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### Utilisation of Vanprastha Sainya Ashram, Gumla

Dear Colonel,

1. It gives me immense pleasure to inform you that a 'Vanprastha Sainya Ashram' (Old Age Home) fully furnished with all the amenities like kitchen, dining space, recreation room, meeting room, park etc is fully functional for ESM and their widows at Manjhatoli, Gumla (Jharkhand). This 'Ashram' is situated in a very beautiful and healthy environment in two acres of land with proper boundary wall. This 'Vanprastha Sainya Ashram' was inaugurated by Smt Draupadi Murmu, who was then the Governor of Jharkhand and is now the President of India.
2. This Ashram has a capacity of 20 Ex-servicemen. Any ESM and/or their widow can avail all the amenities of the 'Ashram' comfortably by paying ₹ 5,000/- per month per individual.
3. I would be deeply grateful if you could give a wide publicity for the same and share this information with all the retirees. For any query/further details, one can contact on No 06524-221129, 9934012297.

Profund regards

Yours sincerely  
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## INSTALLATION OF ROOF TOP SOLARS / SOLAR PARKS IN AWES RUN INSTITUTIONS

Sir,

1. We have approached the QMG Branch as also the CDS and the Service Chiefs that IESL be given permission to set up Solar Parks in Military Stations. Photocopy of letter enclosed.
2. AWES too has large establishments which can bring down the power costs considerably. Wherever possible these can be set up on roof tops and where adequate open space is available these can be set up in open areas also.
3. As an example at our office in Chanakyapuri we have set up a 20 KW roof top solar system. In the past six months our bill is zero, except for fixed charges. It used to vary between Rs 50000 to 80000 per month earlier.
4. May I request for a meeting with you during the period 18 Sep to 20 Sep if convenient.

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Sir,

1. Its after nearly a year that we are approaching you again on issues affecting Veterans.
2. **OROP Anomalies**. Indian Ex-Services League (IESL) in the past one year has approached you on many issues, the main one being OROP anomalies. Strangely except for a written response from the Chief of Air Staff nothing has been conveyed to us. Even that has not addressed any issue. Alongwith other appointments, incl Sr Vice President of Air Force Association, we have interacted with the CDS, CAS and the Secy DESW. Nothing has emerged from these deliberations also. We met concerned PSOs / DGs and other senior officers also on resolving these issues without any success.

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3. It's as good as closing the cases. In the past nearly a year we have not reminded any of the Service HQ or the Secy ESW that no action has been taken on the one major issue affecting majority of the Veterans, the anomalies in OROP and subsequent revision, commonly referred to as OROP-2.

4. We have no inside information of communication between the Service HQ and MoD / PCDA (Pension) on these issues. But the Veteran fraternity is of the view that the MoD / PCDA (Pension) does not even acknowledge that the anomalies exist. This is not a confidential subject. Can we hear from you or your concerned offices the true status of the anomalies. If not it'll be assumed that the Veterans should reconcile to their fate and stop raising this issue with Service HQ or Secy DESW. Veterans who have knocked the doors of the courts have succeeded and I feel our Service HQ should avoid such eventualities.

#### SPARSH

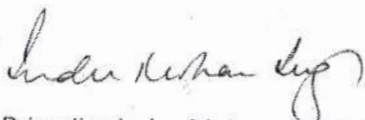
5. Alongwith the issue of anomalies in OROP / OROP 2 the other major problem is SPARSH. Though I cannot vouch for the authenticity, a voice recording that has gone viral stated that PCDA (Pensions) is deliberately creating problems because the PCDA (Pensions) wants a firm connected with it for reasons best known to them to undertake the implementation rather than the TCS nominated firm. If true this is really sad. I suggest a formal clarification from TCS would be in order. If the Service HQ couldn't raise their voice against the SPARSH project of MoD, they could have sought views of Veterans on its implementation. To save Rs 200 crore outflow to Banks, I'm sure the govt would have spent many times more. All that was required that the four mandatory components of pension; details of PPO, Aadhar Card, PAN Card, bank account could have been taken from ESM through a hard copy. Details of NoK after the demise of the Veteran and his wife could also have been taken. Where required fresh Part II Orders could have been initiated. IESL has a better reach then the District Soldier Boards. A nominal amount of say Rs 100/- to Rs 200/- per head would have been spent and all documents sent to PCDA (Pensions). The error in collecting details from banks would have been avoided. This would have cost the govt not more than Rs 50 crore.

#### Additional Pension on Attaining 80 years Age

6. The latest problem that needs to be resolved is the increase in pension. There is a difference of one year between civil govt and defence pensioners. As seen from media reports and court orders, civil govt employees get this increase on completion of 79 years, that is on the 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Military Veterans get it on completion of 80 years.

#### Reduction Period of Restoration of Commuted Value of Pension

7. The other issue which has been taken to the court is of restoration of full pension for those who have commuted their pension. It is seen from reports in the media it's 11 years 8 months and not 15 years. Why not implement the same for defence Veterans. Gujarat High Court and Punjab & Haryana High Court CWP 8222/2024 and 9426/2023 have passed directions for stay on recovery of commuted pension after 13 years.



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### PROPOSAL OF GRANT OF ONE TIME PAYMENT OF Rs 15 LAKHS UNDER YUDH SAMMAN YOJANA – REG

1. Reference your Letter No 12681/Gen/YSY/T-1/MP-5(b) dated 08 Aug 2024 which is in wide circulation in the Social Media.
2. The decision to grant one time payment of Rs 15 lakh under "Yudh Samman Yojana" to EC/SSC officers who are not in receipt of any govt pension is appreciated. But it would be incorrect to state that only 125 officers who took up the case should be eligible for this award.
3. There are many officers who were not informed of this proposal when it was initiated and 125 officers have been given this award. The onus of informing the EC/SSC officers who were eligible lies with the Service HQs.
4. Not only officers, there are OR who were discharged after 9 years colour service without an pension. Some of the OR have participated in the 1965 and 1971 wars. They were not sent on reserve because the reservist quota was limited. They were thus released without any pension. We cannot place them in the category of 'Penury Grant'. An OR who has got the Samar Seva Staron Poorvi Star / Paschimi Star Medals or both cannot be left to survive on 'Penury Grant' if Rs 15 lakh is being given to EC/SSC officers.

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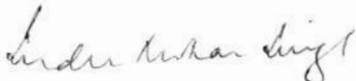


5. Further if the award is for serving the country in 1965 and / or 1971 wars then where is the need to submit information sought; i.e. house, land, IT return etc. Are EC/SSC officers and OR expected to live in penury after release. Whatever financial gains they have made is solely their effort. This bureaucratic approach should be avoided and all EC/SSC officers and OR who served in one or both the wars be granted this one time payment of Rs 15 lakh under "Yudh Samman Yojana".

6. There could be a few regular officers and OR who took pre-mature retirement for some reasons. No one would deprive himself of full service and pension. Only very compassionate and pressing reasons would have led to their decision to quit service prematurely. Similarly there are officers who were discharged because they could not pass promotion exams. These cases also need consideration. There would not be very many affected persons. They cannot be deprived of the "Yudh Samman Yojana".

7. Many ESM in these categories would have died. It would take time to reach out to their NoK. In view of this, the Zila Sainik Boards, CSD outlets and ECHS Poly Clinics be intimated to reach out to all such effected personnel. IESL as also other ESM Organisations will also reach out to the ESM/NoK, once the amended policy is in place. Else it will lead to large scale litigation.

8. You are requested to revisit the proposal and then issue instructions to avoid the type of faux pas created.



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President



# ARMY HOSPITAL (R&R)

M E D I C I N E	DEPARTMENT	OPD DAYS				FLOOR
	CARDIOLOGY	TUE	THU	-	-	CTVS BLDG
S U R G E R Y	RESPIRATORY	TUE	THU	SAT	-	3rd Floor
	ENDOCRINOLOGY	MON	WED	FRI	-	4th Floor
	GASTROLOGY ENTEROLOGY	WED	FRI	-	-	4th Floor
	HEMATOLOGY	MON	FRI	-	-	4th Floor
	NEPHROLOGY	MON	FRI	-	-	3rd Floor
	MEDICAL ONCO	TUE	THU	SAT	-	1st Floor
	RADIATION ONCO	TUE	THU	SAT	-	1st Floor
	NEUROLOGY	MON	FRI	-	-	2nd Floor
	PMR	DAILY				G. Floor
	RHEUMATOLOGY	MON	WED	FRI		4th Floor
	GEN MED.	DAILY				G. Floor
	NUCLEAR MED	MON	FRI	-	-	G. Floor
	NEURO SURGERY	MON	FRI	-	-	2nd Floor
	EYE	DAILY				1st Floor
	ENT	TUE	SAT		-	1st Floor
	OBS GYN	TUE JCOsOR	WED OFFRs	FRI JCOsOR	SAT OFFRs	G. Floor
	JRC	MON	WED	SAT	-	G. Floor
	ONCO SURGERY	TUE	THUR	SAT	-	1st Floor
	GI SURG	WED		-	-	G. Floor
P A E D	CTVS	TUE	THUR	-	-	CTVS BLDG
	PAEDS SURGERY	TUE	FRI	-	-	G. Floor
	VASCULAR SURGERY	WED	SAT	-	-	CTVS BLDG
	RECON SURGERY	WED	SAT	-	-	3rd Floor
	UROLOGY	TUE	SAT	-	-	2nd Floor
	PAC	DAILY				2nd Floor
	ART	TUE	WED	FRI	-	3rd Floor
	PAEDIATRIC	DAILY				G. Floor
	NEONATOLOGY	WED	SAT	-	-	G. Floor
	NEPHROLOGY	TUE	THUR	-	-	G. Floor
	NEUROLOGY	MON	FRI	-	-	G. Floor
	RESPIRATORY	MON	FRI	-	-	CTVS BLDG
	CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY	TUE	THUR	-	-	G. Floor
	GASTROENTEROLOGY	DAILY				G. Floor
	MEDICAL GENETICS	WED	SAT	-	-	G. Floor
	IMMUNIZATION	WED	SAT	-	-	G. Floor
	HEMATO-ONCOLOGY	MON	FRI	-	-	G. Floor

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**TELE. NOS. 011-25693421 TO 25693429 (9 LINES)**

**BHDC Exchange : 011-23337199**

S. No.	Department	Officers	JCOs/OR
1.	Anaesthesia (PA Check up)	Monday, Wednesday Thursday, Saturday	Monday, Wednesday Thursday, Saturday
2.	Cardiology	Monday, Friday	Monday, Friday
3.	Endocrinology	Tuesday, Thursday	Tuesday, Thursday
4.	ENT	Saturday	Daily
5.	EYE	Saturday	Daily
6.	GE Medicine	Monday, Friday	Monday, Friday
7.	GI Surgical	Monday, Wednesday Saturday	Monday, Wednesday Saturday
8.	Gynaecology (OT days-Wed,Sat)	Tuesday	Monday, Friday
9.	Immunisation Centre	Daily except Saturday	Daily except Saturday
10.	Nephro	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
11.	Neuro-Medicine	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
12.	Neuro-Surgical	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
13.	Ortho	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
14.	Onco	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
15.	Paediatrics	Daily	Daily
16.	Paediatrics-Surgical	Tuesday	Friday
17.	Psychiatry	Monday	Wednesday, Saturday
18.	Respiratory Medicine	Tuesday, Friday	Tuesday, Friday
19.	Skin	Daily	Daily
20.	Surgical Division (OT days-Tue-Fri)	Monday, Saturday	Monday, Wednesday Thursday, Saturday
21.	Urology	Monday, Thursday	Monday, Thursday
22.	Dental Surgery	Daily	Daily
23.	Medical	Daily	Daily

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