<u>Activities of Central Government Pensioners' Welfare Association, J&K,</u>

Highlights of the Weeks Ending 28th December, 2015; 4th & 11th January, 2016:

• Seeding of Aadhaar Card Number in Pension Accounts: Workshop meetings organized by Department of Pension & Pensioners Welfare (DOPPW), GoI, were held on 22nd December, 29th December, 2015 & 5th January, 2016 at Delhi in connection with campaign for voluntary seeding of Aadhaar in Pension Accounts by the Central Pensioners to avail the facility of online Life Certificate submission in the month of November each year. The first meeting was attended by the Association President, Shri S.S.Wazir and the second by Shri K.B.Jandial, Executive Committee Member. Data in respect of 3rd meeting on 5th January and 4th meeting scheduled for 12th January was submitted by mail as reproduced below:

• STATUS OF AWARENESS CAMPAIGN FOR SEEDING OF AADHAAR IN PENSION A/C

Dear Sir,

This is to intimate that Awareness Campaign by the Association is being spearheaded amongst the Central Pensioners requesting for seeding their Aadhaar Card No. in their Pension A/c. SMS format received from your end is being transmitted on the mobile nos. of the pensioners and the status till date in this regard is tabulated below:

Status Date	SMS SENT TO	RESPONSE RECEIVED	YES/SEEDED
28.12.2015	198 PENSIONERS	91 PENSIONERS	40
04.01.2016	+ 55 = 253	+ 20 = 111	+10 = 50
11.01.2016	+20 = 273	+15 = 126	+20 =
			70

In this connection, it is brought to your notice that some adverse reactions from the pensioners have also come and are still pouring in, in course of this campaign. These pensioners are suspicious of the sms move and asking Why and Who and few are even aggressive in their approach in their calls.

It is suggested that simpler and more effective way to get Aadhaar Seeding in Pension Accounts would be through the respective Banks. In fact, the Banks have already been approaching the pension a/c holders in this regard. It is further intimated that it would not be possible for us to send any representative to the weekly meeting scheduled for 12th instant.

With Best Wishes,

Sd/ 11.01.2016 (J.K.Vaid, Rtd.Director GSI) General Secrtary . Hony. jkv.qsi@gmail.com :#94198-91169

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Birthday Celebration of Shri Ramesh Kaul, IPS (Retd): Happy Birthday
of Shri Ramesh Kaul was celebrated in the Weekly Meeting on 28th
December, 2015 with presentation of bouquet and photographs. A copy of
the photograph was later presented to Shri Kaul.



- Weekly Meeting Attendance: Attendance of the members in the weekly meetings on 28th December, 2015, 4th and 11th January, 2016 was 30, 36 and 32 members respectively.
- Condolence Resolution on Demise of the Chief Minister: The Association in its meeting on 11th January adopted a Resolution, condoling the sad untimely demise of Jenab Mufti Mohammad Sayeed, Hondple Chief Minister of Jammu & Kashmir at AIIMS, New Delhi on 7th

January, 2016. Two minutes silence was observed with prayers for eternal peace to the departed noble soul. His demise at the critical juncture has come as a tragedy for the people of the State, as well as for the country. A great visionary leader, his agenda and motto was to turn the strife riddled State to a Cradle of Peace (*Aman Ka Gehwara*) with Equitable Development in all three regions of the State. May his mission be carried forward by his successor!

Sd/-11.01.2016 (J.K.Vaid, Rtd.Director GSI) General Secretary, CGPWA Jammu, J&K.