Activities of Central Government Pensioners' Welfare Association, J&K,

Highlights of the Weeks Ending 25th January & 1st February, 2016:

- Seeding of Aadhaar Card Number in Pension Accounts: DOPPW has intimated mail ids of Nationalized Banks for requesting the Banks to seed the Aadhaar Card Nos. in the pension a/c in respect of all pensioners holding their pension accounts in their Branches. Request mails for pensioners of J & K State will be mailed to the Banks accordingly with intimation to DOPPW. The house was briefed on the issue in the meeting on 1st Feb, 2016.
- Jammu was held on 20th January which was attended by S/Shri S.S.Wazir, Prem Gupta, K.B.Jandial, P.P.Sharma and J.K.Vaid representing CGPWA J&K. Shri Jamwal and Shri Bazaz from National Informatics Centre (NIC) J&K Jammu also attended the meeting and briefed about the progress of digitalization of the Centre. It was informed that in the process of preparation of Smart Cards for CGHS, nearly 300 beneficiaries have been uploaded on CGHS Website and individual Ids generated which will be issued by the Centre to the concerned on request; till issuance of proper Smart Cards.
- Smart Cards will be got prepared from New Delhi through Director, CGHS and issued to them after verification etc. Since preparation and distribution of Smart Cards will take some time , the benefit of cashless facility at any of the empanelled hospitals outside the State pending Smart Cards, can be availed through presentation of Beneficiary Id Slips to be procured from Wellness Centre, Jammu. All beneficiaries should communicate their mobile number to the Centre for communication by SMS in this regard.
- Application by New Members for CGHS: Application for new registration for availing CGHS facilities has also been digitized and the new Central Government Pensioner Applicant shall has to apply on-line only by filling up details in the Application Form available in the CGHS Website and get it registered by submitting the Application on-line. Acknowledgement with No. will appear after successful submission. Take Print-Outs of the Filled-up Application Form and Acknowledgement. Submit this print out along with the prescribed documents including draft for the annual/life membership, as enclosures with the Application & A/D to the Medical Officer-in-charge CGHS Wellness Centre Jammu. While filling up the application on-line, capital words may be used except for e-mail id.
- Power Point Presentation by NIC: Shri Jamwal and Shri Bazaz of NIC made a PPP in the weekly meeting of 25th Jan in connection with digitalization of CGHS Jammu Centre and on the procedure of applying on-line for new membership of CGHS for medical attendance.

Power Point Presentation by Shri K.B.Jandial: Shri K.B.Jandial, IAS (Retd) made PPP on "Present Constitutional Crisis in Jammu & Kashmir" at weekly meeting on 1st Feb 2016. He discussed in his talk, the fallout of present crisis in the State in the aftermath of sad demise of the Chief Minister Mufti Mohd. Sayeed on 7th January, 2016. Since nobody staked claim to form the Govt. and the State cannot remain without a Govt., the Governor was right to promulgate Governor Rule on 8th January with effect from the day CM passed away by invoking Section 92 of the Constitution of J&K which can remain in force only for six months. The political impasse continues even after the lapse of 25 days and if continues beyond prescribed six months. President Rule shall follow under Article 356 of Indian Constitution which stood extended to J&K. He explained different provisions of the State Constitution to explain the system of Govt. formation, Powers of the Governor during Governor Rule and during President Rule. He has unprecedented legislative powers during Governor Rule which is not available under President Rule. Legislative powers are vested in the Parliament.



- Preparations for 21st AGM: 21st Annual General Meeting of the Association is due to be held in the last week of April, 2016 and preparations for the same were initiated. The name of Shri K.B.Jandial has been added to the Editorial Board for publishing Pensioners' Journal 2016 which will be released at the event.
- Condolence Resolution on Demise of Shri Brij Mohan Sharma: The Association in its meeting on 25th January adopted a Resolution, condoling the sad_and untimely demise of Shri Brij Mohan Sharma, Sr. Audit Officer (Retd), IA&AD who expired on 23th January at 71. He had joined the Association in 2006, after his retirement in 2004.
- Weekly Meeting Attendance: Attendance of the members in the weekly meetings on 25th January & 1st Feb 2016 was 22 and 26 members respectively.