

**Activities of Central Government Pensioners' Welfare Association, J&K,
Jammu, During 2nd Quarter 2015-16 (July-September, 2015)**

Highlights of Activities of Central Government Pensioners Welfare Association, J&K, and Jammu during the 2nd Quarter 2015-16 are summarized hereunder:

- **Weekly Meetings/CGHS Wellness Centre Jammu Advisory Committee Meetings/National Pensioners' Day Meeting:**
 - **At Jammu:** The Association continued to hold weekly meetings during II - Quarter 2015-2016 every Monday morning at 10.30 hrs. (summer timing) at its office at Jammu Olympic Association Building Parade Ground Jammu - 180001; in pursuance of its activities. The number of members present in 12 weekly meetings held during the quarter ranged between 22 and 34 averaging at 29 members attendance per meeting.
 - Discussions/interactive consultations were held in the meetings as per agenda with recording of the minutes and registration of attendance of the members present in the Association Minute Register.
 - **At Srinagar:** Weekly meetings on every Monday were also held at Srinagar Branch of the Association.
 - **At CGHS Wellness Centre Jammu:** CGHS Advisory Committee Meetings were held once every month by a team of Executive Committee of the Association to sort out problems pertaining to the Centre to facilitate the stakeholders. 30th, 31st and 32nd Advisory Committee Meetings at Wellness Centre Jammu during the Quarter were held on 11th July, 8th August and 19th September, 2015 respectively.
 - *In the weekly meeting all issues pertaining to the problems of pensioners and operation of Pensioners' Portal in resolving the issues, as and when necessary, are taken up as a routine matter. The participants were given copies of latest circulars uploaded on the Pensioners' Portal for their use and for dissemination of useful information to other pensioners/family pensioners.*
 - **In CGHS Advisory Committee Meetings, all issues pertaining to the Wellness Centre Jammu, particularly the issue of Digitization of the Centre and issuance of Smart Cards to the CGHS Cardholders were reviewed and pursued.**
 - **Topic Talks in Weekly Meetings:** In view of rich human resource present in the Association in a wide spectrum of fields, a new initiative of Weekly Talks by Member Volunteers on Informative Topics has been started in the Weekly Meetings. The first talk in this activity programme was delivered by Shri K.B.Jandial, IAS (Retd) On Article 370 and Its

Implications for J&K Stateq on 28th September, 2015 which was appreciated much by the members present.

- **Association Contributes Its Mite in Support of Nepal Earthquake Victims:** A High Magnitude Catastrophic Earthquake hit Nepal and adjoining areas on 25th April, 2015. In response to an appeal to the members for liberal donations in Prime Minister's National Relief Fund-Nepal Earthquake, a sum of Rs. 75,000/- was donated by 22 Association Members which was transferred to PMNRF A/C No. 10482011012215 (PAN: AACTP4637Q) by Cheque No. 001735 dated 13.07.2015 of Oriental Bank of Commerce. Association had donated Rs. 1.31 lac to PMNRF-Kashmir Floods in 2014.
- **CGPWA J&K Jammu Launches Its Website:** Preparations for a Website of the Association were made during the Quarter and the same was successfully launched on 14th September, 2015. The Website is www.cgpwajk.in. Weekly updates on the Activities of the Association are being uploaded on the Site, besides important O.Ms/Govt. Orders related to Pensioners. The Website has been received very well and is being viewed widely.
- **CGHS Dispensary/Wellness Centre at Jammu:**
 - The CGHS Card holding pensioners are deriving benefit of health care attendance for them and their dependent family members in the Wellness Centre and many new pensioners have registered themselves in the CGHS.
 - From August, 2013, P&T Dispensary of Jammu has been merged with CGHS Wellness Centre Jammu.
 - Monthly Advisory Committee Meetings were held at CGHS Wellness Centre during the Quarter, to review problems of the CGHS Card Holding stakeholders and allied matters.
 - As a result of persistent follow up, the process of Digitization of the Centre is in final stages and action on Preparation of Smart Cards for CGHS Card Holders has been started.
- **Registration in SANKALP Programme:**

The Association has got itself registered in SANKALP Programme launched by DoP&PW for undertaking feasible Voluntary Service Projects in addition to its normal annual programmes and activities. One Project of Free Medical Camp was undertaken under SANKALP during 1st Quarter.
- **Registration of Grievances on CPENGRAMS:**

3 Nos. of New Cases of Grievances were registered in CPENGRAMS online in the PensionersqPortal by the Association during the Quarter. Current Pending Cases = 2 Nos..

- **Registration of Members of the Association:**

There has been consistent increase in the number of registered members of the Association. This progress is shown in the Table below:

| No. of Registered Members | As on |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 101 | March 2011 |
| 124 | March 2012 |
| 164 | March 2013 |
| 218 | March 2014 |
| 248 | March 2015 |
| 267 | September 2015 |

6 new members have joined the Association during the Quarter.

- **Day Care Centre for Older Persons/Pensioners:**

- The Association has made a Day Care Centre for Pensioners/Older Persons functional. It is located opposite to CGHS Wellness Centre Jammu at Exhibition Ground Complex Jammu. More facilities are planned to be added to the Centre in due course of time.

- **Media Coverage of Activities:**

- The activities and the events observed by the Association are given wide publicity through print and electronic media which include Local Dailies, Local TV Channels and Radio Kashmir Jammu/Srinagar (AIR) for dissemination of general awareness and for the benefit of civil society in general and the pensioners & senior citizens, in particular. Important events are also covered with photography for documentation and record.

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