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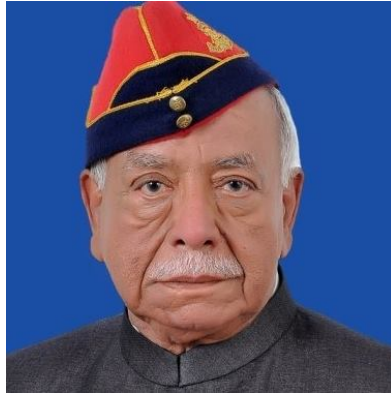
MONTHLY NEWS LETTER



DISABLED WAR VETERAN (INDIA) REGD

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FROM PRESIDENT DESK



Capt NK Mahajan (Retd)

We all the War Disabled Soldiers / members of DIWAVE stand united to pursue our mission to enable Government & people to come forward to pay adequate attention in addressing the issues of War Disabled Soldiers / Battle Casualties.

Our mission is clear: to fight for the legitimate legal rights, welfare and rehabilitation of those who have sustained injuries and became disabled while fighting enemy on the borders, terrorist and while helping the civil authorities in Natural calamities. Every step we take together strengthens the cause of our War Disabled Veterans and reminds us of the true meaning of sacrifice.

Contact us :- 011-41315492 & www.diwave.org

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1. Request for the ECHS Meeting :-

ECHS meeting likely to be held during April 2025.

DIWAVE Requests to provide valuable inputs for the ECHS meeting from all its members

2. Request for the meeting :-

Diwave have sent meeting request to Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi for concerning the welfare of War Disabled Soldiers / Battle Casualties.

3. Request for suggestions for 8th Pay commission Cell.

DIWAVE had requested to its member for submit their valuable suggestions along with brief for Armed Forces 8th pay commission Cell.

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POINTS AND ISSUES TAKEN UP AND TO BE TAKEN UP

DIWAVE HAS AGAIN WRITTEN REMINDER FOR ALL MATTER GIVEN BELOW:-

1. INTRODUCTION OF BADGE FOR WAR DISABLED SOLDIER/ BATTLE CASUALTIES.

It is highly appreciated that a very well designed "**Veterans Badge**" has been introduced for the Veterans of Indian Armed Forces, and the same has been well acknowledged amongst veterans.

Since the Badge is a symbol of achievement & service to the nation and belonging, DIWAVE requests to Director General DC & W also **introduce a Badge** appropriately designed for War Disabled Soldiers / Battle Casualties. This is the least could done for the War Disabled Soldiers who have sacrificed for the nation in the face of the enemy & suffer the whole life.

War Disabled Soldiers will definitely appreciate this gesture and will get some recognition which they deserve. Diwave expects to get a positive response from the authorities.

2. CONSTANT ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE

DIWAVE, once again requested to Secretary, DESW to consider our War Disabled Veterans genuine concern and recommend the Enhancement of CAA by 25% from the existing Rs. 6750/- to 8438/- per month with effect from 01 Jan 2024.

3. GRANT OF ENHANCED PENSION OF 20% ON COMPLETION OF 79 YEARS OF AGE.

The various AFTs & High courts have issued orders that 20% enhanced pension should be granted on completion of 79 yrs of age instead 80 yrs of age. The Gauhati High Court on 15/03/2018 gave judgment to grant the same was challenged by Govt of India by filling SLP in Hon'ble Supreme Court and SLP was dismissed on 08/10/2019.

DIWAVE has requested to Secretary, Defence Finance, for issue of directions to enhanced 20% pension of all soldiers on completion on 79 yrs at earliest.

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LEGAL ACTION AND STATUS

1. Cases in AFT No. **248/13 & 431/14**, next date of hearing ie. 65th hearing has been fixed for final hearing on 24th April 2025.
2. Case for **“PRIORITY FOR ADMISSION IN PROFESSIONAL COURSES & MEDICAL COLLEGES FOR WARDS OF WAR DISABLED RETAINED IN SERVICE’** filed in High Court case has been listed for next hearing on 24 July 2025.
3. **Enhanced / Liberalized pension for the Widows of War Disabled Soldiers / Battle Casualties WP(c) 14747/2023.** The case was listed for hearing in Delhi High Court. Matter didn't reach. 05 May 2025 has been fixed for hearing. This bench is fixing dates with 6 Months gap. The advocate is filling request to Chief Justice for the change of bench.
4. **“Exemption of Income Tax for War Disabled Soldiers / Battle Casualties retained in Service”** The matter fixed for hearing on 18/12/2024 but the matter has not been listed as final hearing matters haven't been listed. Next date of hearing awaited.

LATEST NEWS

GRANT OF WAR INJURY ELEMENT IN R/O NO. 4184759K HAV NAAYAN SINGH (RETD)

DIWAVE have received an application from No 4185759K Hav Nayan Singh (Retd) who is a 50% War Disabled Soldiers of 15 Kumaon. He has not been paid correct rate of War Injury Element. The individual was granted 40% War Injury Element (rounded of 50%) he has been paid disability element @ 5715/- instead of War Injury Element.

DIWAVE again request to concerned department for the same.

APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF DAUGHTER'S MARRIAGE IN R/O NO. 3385990M SEP SHAMSHER SINGH.

DIWAVE have received an application along with required documents for financial assistance for daughter marriage grant in r/o No 3385990M Sep Shamsher Singh of Sikh Regiment. DIWAVE has written to R & W section DIAV for the same.

REFUND OF ECHS AMOUNT IN R/O NO. 2792078 NK KAKADE SANJAY VASANT.

DIWAVE has taken up case with PCDA (P) for the refund of ECHS amount charged from NO 2792078F NK Kakade Sanjay Vasant and No. 13621900P Hav Shaminder Singh.

REVISION OF WAR INJURY ELEMENT

DIWAVE has taken up a case regarding none reflecting War Injury Elements in the PPO of No 14804038Y Ex NK Aswar Ganesh Shriram with PCDA (P). A corrigendum PPO duly reflecting War Injury Element has been issued to the individual on 02 April 2025.

**REQUEST TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO SERVING SOLDIER
15318761Y SPR K A SUBBAIAH (BATTLE CASUALTY)**

DIWAVE received an application regarding request to provide assistance to Battle Casualty Soldier No.15318761Y SPR K A Subbaiah Kodagu Distt, Karnataka. As per Govt Scheme and Hon'ble high count Karnataka writ petition no 20560of 2009 and writ petition No 13501 of 2011. He was allotted a waste land measuring 5 acres in Somwarpet, Kodagu, KARNATAKA.

He started cleaning and leveling land for cultivation and paid JCB and labour Rs 2,00,000/- for the same. On 24 June 2024 he was abused by local people and at the same time Kushainagar Rural Police station sub Inspector of police ordered that not to do any work in this land because the Kodagu University vice chancellor has lodged a complaint saying that this land belongs to University. Land allotted to Spr Subbaiah was covered with compound wall by Kodagu University.

DIWAVE again requested to Hon'ble Minster Revenue Department to look into the matte and order the concerned authorities to take necessary action ASAP.