

## Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare

Important events for the month of July, 2022 are as follows:-

1. A Gazette notification was published on 10th July, 2022 on the subject Ceiling of 5 lakh on subscription to General Provident Fund (GPF) under GPF (Central Services) Amendment Rule, 2022.
2. As per the direction given by Hon'ble MOS(PP) in 32nd SCOVA meeting held on 12.04.2022, a Spot inspection Committee visited Jammu. The committee interacted with all stakeholders and assessed the hardships faced by the Pensioners in obtaining CGHS facilities at CGHS Wellness Centre in Jammu Region. This was followed up with a meeting under the chairmanship of Secretary (P&PW) was held on 26.07.2022 to discuss issues related to CGHS Wellness Centre in Jammu Region.

Ministry of Health & FW informed that most of the issues flagged by the Central Govt Pensioners' Welfare Association, Jammu have been redressed and they are satisfied with the progress achieved in the meeting dated 26.07.2022.

3. The Department organized free precaution dose vaccination campaign on 22.07.2022 at CSOI, New Delhi under the auspices of Hon'ble MoS(PP) in which more than 250 doses were administered.
4. For ensuring timely and qualitative disposal of grievances registered in CPENGRAMS, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare (DOPPW) conducted Inter-Ministerial Review Meeting through Bharat VC on 28.07.2022 with 05 Ministries/Departments/Organization (i.e. Ministry of Home Affairs, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, Ministry of Civil Aviation, Department of Higher Education and Ministry of Shipping) under the chairmanship of Deputy Secretary (Pension &PW).
5. Bhavishya, is a web based online pension sanction and payment tracking system developed by the Department. The system helps both the retiring employee and the administrative authorities to monitor and track delays. Administrative authorities also benefit from the inbuilt automatic calculations as per provisions of the various pension rules. As on 29.07.2022, Bhavishya is running in the main Secretariat of 97 Ministries/Departments/Apex Bodies and 815 attached offices through 7869 DDOs. A mobile app has also been launched on the Umang platform through which 'Bhavishya' can be accessed by various stake-holders. Pension cases of 36052 retiring/retired employees are in various stages of processing through the system as on 29.07.2022. Further, this application has so far cumulatively processed and issued PPOs in respect of 167766 pensioners. 2533 number of PPOs were issued through Bhavishya System in the month of July, 2022. Bhavishya' has been successfully integrated with PFMS Pension Module for generation of e-PPO.

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6. Five (5) training sessions were organized on Bhavishya for the officials of Ministries/Department.
7. Anubhav: Since inception of the scheme in March, 2015, 8518 write ups have been published and 4494 are waiting for publication by the different Ministries/Departments under Anubhav portal up to 31.07.2022. In the month of July, 2022, 151 incremental of Anubhav write ups were published.
8. Sankalp: Under the initiative 'Sankalp', the Department has so far conducted 47 Pre-Retirement Counseling (PRC) Workshops, which benefited 5972 employees.
9. During the month, 4426 grievances were registered and 4351 disposed of. Closing balance as on 31st July, 2022 is 3283. Detailed position is as under:-

	B/F as on 01/07/2022	Grievances received During the Month	Grievances disposed During the Month	Grievances Disposed within one Month	Total Pending as on 31/07/2022
Total	3208	4426	4351	2008	3283