The Chief of Army Staff  
The Chief of Naval Staff  
The Chief of Air Staff  

Subject: One time contribution for ECHS membership and entitlement of Ward in empanelled Hospitals/ Medical facilities in respect of World War II veterans, ECOs, SSCOs and Pre-Mature Retires.

Sir,

In continuation of MoD letter No.17(11)/2018/WE/D(Res-I) dated 7.3.2019, I am directed to convey the sanction of the Government prescribing one time contribution for ECHS membership and entitlement of ward in empanelled hospitals / medical facilities in respect of World War-II Veterans, Short Service Commissioned Officers (SSCOs), Emergency Commissioned Officers (ECOs) and Pre-mature Retirees (PMR) and their spouses as under :-

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<th>Ser No.</th>
<th>Rank</th>
<th>One time contribution</th>
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<td>(a)</td>
<td>Recruit to Havildars of Army &amp; equivalent Ranks in Navy &amp; Air Force</td>
<td>Rs. 30,000/-</td>
<td>General</td>
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<td>(b)</td>
<td>Nb Sub/Sub/Sub Maj and equivalent Ranks in Navy &amp; Air Force (including Hony Hony Nb Sub/MACP Nb Sub and Hony Lt/Capt)</td>
<td>Rs. 67,000/-</td>
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<td>All Officers</td>
<td>Rs. 1,20,000/-</td>
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2. All other provisions of this Ministry’s letter referred above, unaffected by this order, will remain unchanged.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Ministry of Defence (Finance) vide their U.O. No.31(02)/2019/Fin/Pen dated 12.04.2019.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K. Karn)
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