GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN WELFARE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.613

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 18TH NOVEMBER, 2016

ALLOTMENT OF PETROL PUMP

613. SHRI JUGAL KISHORE:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE j{kk ea=h be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government allots petrol pump, gas agency to the families of martyrs for their livelihood;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of families of martyrs of various parts of Jammu and Kashmir who have been provided with these facilities as on date;

(c) the steps being taken by the Government for the families who have not been provided these facilities;

(d) whether the Government has announced any package or employment for the dependents of soldiers died in avalanche in Siachen; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE	(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE	
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(a) & (b): Yes, Madam.

As per the existing Government policy there is provision of reservation of 8% under Combined Category 1 (CC1) comprising of Defence Personnel, Para Military Forces / Central Government / State Government and Central / State PSU employees which also includes the dependents of the persons who are killed in various military operations.

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The retail outlet dealerships and LPG distributorships allotted to the families of martyrs in Jammu & Kashmir are 42 & 19 respectively.

(c) Details of other employment options / welfare schemes applicable to war widows / dependents are as under:-

- (i) Tipper Attachment Scheme.
- (ii) Allotment of SAFAL outlets.
- (iii) Allotment of Class-V Surplus-B Vehicles.

(d) & (e): No, Madam. However, benefits / compensation are paid to the Widows / Next of Kin of soldiers (Battle Casualities [fatal]).
