GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3191

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 14TH MARCH, 2018

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SECURITY

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

- (a) the details of the national policy to provide economic and social security to the families of martyrs;
- (b) the details of facilities provided to families of martyrs by the Government during the last three years; and
- (c) whether the Government is contemplating to enhance the financial and other facilities given to families of martyrs and if so, the details thereof?

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(a) to (c): The details of monetary benefits given to the Next of Kin of Battle Casualty (Fatal) are listed at Annexure.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN THE REPLY GIVEN IN PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3191 FOR ANSWER ON 14.3.2018

Assistance / Welfare Schemes / other facilities provided to the families/ Next of Kins (NoKs) of Martyrs:

- (1) Financial Assistance provided to the families / NoKs of the Martyrs:
 - 1. Liberalized Family Pension
 - 2. Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity.
 - 3. Ex-gratia lump sum compensation.
 - 4. Disability/War injury element of pension.
- (2) <u>Welfare schemes provided through the Directorate General</u> Resettlement / Government:
 - 1. Reservation in Public Sector Undertakings and Public Sector Banks.
 - 2. Allotment of Eligibility Certificates for Oil Product Agencies under 8% Quota.
 - 3. Tipper Attachment Scheme.
 - 4. Allotment of SAFAL outlets for dependents.
 - 5. Allotment of Army surplus Class V 'B' Vehicles.
- (3) Welfare Schemes provided through Kendriya Sainik Board (under Raksha Mantri's Discretionary Fund / Armed Forces Flag Day Fund (AFFDF) to Ex-servicemen / families, including families of Martyrs as per their eligibility on making application):
 - 1. Penury Grant
 - 2. Education Grant
 - 3. Officer Cadet Grant
 - 4. Disabled Children Grant
 - 5. House Repair Grant
 - 6. Daughter's Marriage Grant/Widow Re-Marriage Grant
 - 7. Funeral Grant
 - 8. Medical Grant
 - 9. Orphan Grant
 - 10. Vocational Training Grant for Widows
 - 11. Grant for treatment of serious diseases (Armed Forces Flag Day Fund).

(4) Facilities provided to the families / NoKs of the Martyrs:

- 1. Children Education Concession
- 2. Travel Concession
 - (a) Rail Concession
 - (b) Air Travel Concession
- 3. Telephone Concession

(5) Financial Assistance provided under various Funds:

- 1. Army Group Insurance Fund
- 2. Army Group Insurance Maturity
- 3. Army Wives Welfare Association Fund
- 4. Army Officers' Benevolent Fund
- 5. Army Central Welfare Fund.
