GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1497

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12TH FEBRUARY, 2019/, MAGHA 23, 1940 (SAKA) EMOLUMENTS FOR PHYSIOTHERAPISTS

1497. DR. K. KAMARAJ:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to refer to Unstarred Question No.1270 replied on 18th December, 2018 and state:

- (a) whether as per the 7th Central Pay Commission (CPC) report, physiotherapists are given pay level 6 and level 10;
- (b) if so, the reasons for downgrading to pay level 5;
- (c) the number of physiotherapists employed in each organisation under the Ministry and the details of allowance extended to them;
- (d) whether any cadre restructuring has been done and if so, the time by which it was done;
- (e) whether DoPT guidelines have been followed for the same;
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (g) whether the stakeholders including physiotherapists were consulted; and
- (h) if so, whether their views were considered and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

- (a)& (b) :Recommendations of the 7th Pay Commission with respect to physiotherapists are as under:
- (i) ASI(Physiotherapist): Level 5 of the Pay Matrix (Rs.29,200 92,300).
- (ii) SI(Physiotherapist): Level 6 of the Pay Matrix (Rs.35,400 1,12,400).

Pay scales as recommended by the 7th Pay Commission have been made applicable to the physiotherapists in the CAPFs

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(c) 32 Physiotherapists are employed in CAPFs i.e. BSF-10, CRPF-17, ITBP-2 and SSB-3.

Admissible Allowances, inter-alia, included Dearness Allowance, Transport Allowance, Dress Allowance, Ration Money Allowance, House Rent Allowance and Patient Care Allowance.

(d) to (h) :At present, no proposal is under consideration in the Ministry for cadre restructuring of para-medical staff. In case of BSF, the same was done in 2010.
