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Chief Guest, Guests of honour and founders of the Associations on the dais



Unveiling of the Stone plaque by Sri B. Sadashiva Rao , founder President & Sri N.Bhaskaran founder Secretary KP&TPA for opening the building



D.Balasubramanian, Genl. Secretary, AIFPA, Chennai, honouring B. Sadashiva Rao, founder President



D.Balasubramanian, Genl. Secretary, AIFPA, Chennai, honouring Sri N. Bhaskaran, founder Secretary



D.Balasubramanian, Genl. Secretary, AIFPA, Chennai, honouring Sri K.B. Krishna Rao, Secretary



Meritorious students of Govt Higher Primary School, Yelahanka with cash awards presented to them

Proceedings of the Annual General Body Meeting of Karnataka Posts and Telecommunications Pensioners' Association held on 09.09.2018

The 23rd Annual General Body Meeting of Karnataka Posts and Telecommunications Pensioners' Association was held on 9-9-2018 at the newly constructed 'Pensioners' Bhavan Annexe' in Telecom Layout, Bengaluru simultaneously with the opening of the new annexe to Pensioners' Bhavan.

Morning Session:

The Morning Session of the General Body Meeting started at 9.30 AM. Shri G.Babu President of the Association conducted the proceedings. Shri K.B.Krishna Rao, Secretary, welcomed the gathering.

- 2. The Secretary presented the minutes of the last AGB held on 17.6.2017, which had been published in the June 2017 issue of *Pensioners' Champion*. The minutes were confirmed.
- 3. Annual report for 2017-18 published in the July 2018 issue of *Pensioners' Champion* was placed for consideration and adoption by the House. Due to paucity of time, the Secretary read out the salient features and explained some of the points mentioned in the report and the report was adopted.
- 4. The Treasurer, Sri K R Anantha Ramu presented the audited Annual Accounts for 2017-18. Audited Accounts were published in June 2018 issue of the journal. The Secretary informed the House that there were some changes in the Annual Accounts published in the journal and explained that the values of the land and building, both new and old, have been indicated separately in the Balance Sheet to arrive at the correct amount of depreciation on building and consequent changes have also been made in the Income and Expenditure Accounts. Copies of the revised audited statement of accounts were made available to the members in the AGB. The General Body adopted the annual accounts unanimously.

5. Ten meritorious students of Government Higher Primary School, Yelahanka, Bengaluru were awarded with a cash prize of Rs.1000 each for having secured the first three places in 5th, 6th and 7th standards along with one prize for the highest marks scored in Kannada language in 7th Standard. The envelopes containing the cash were given away by the President Shri Babu. The Secretary announced that the prize amount of Rs.10000/- was donated by Shri H.V.Ramanatha and Shri H Sathyanarayana (Rs.5000 each), with a request that the amount should be utilised only for charitable and educational purposes.

Open Session:

- 6. The open session of the General Body started at 10.30 a.m. President Shri Babu, invited the Chief Guest Shri K.K.N.Kutty , President, Confederation of Central Government Employees & Workers and Secretary General, National Coordination Committee of Pensioners' Associations, New Delhi and the Guests of Honour Dr Charles Lobo, IPS, Chief Postmaster General, Karnataka Circle & Shri R.Mani, ITS, Chief General Manager, Karnataka Telecom Circle to occupy the chairs on the dais. He also invited the three Permanent Advisors Shri B.Sadashiva Rao, Shri N.Bhaskaran and Shri M.Ramiah to the dais.
- 7. Shri K.B.Krishna Rao, Secretary welcomed the gathering to the open session and announced that, the new building 'Annexe to Pensioners' Bhavan' would be declared open jointly by Sri. B.Sadashiva Rao, IPS(Retd), founder President of the Association and Sri N.Bhaskaran, founder Secretary & vetern P&T trade union leader. He explained how the new building came into being. The vacant site in front of the existing 'Pensioners' Bhavan' was allotted to KP&TPA in 2015 and a decision

to build an annexe was taken in 2016. A 'Building Fund' was created in 2016 and, through appeals in the Pensioners' Champion, donation was collected. The foundation stone was laid by Shri Babu in the last Annual General Body meeting on 17.6.2017 in the presence of Dr Charles Lobo, CPMG. The Ground-breaking ceremony was held on 27.8.2017 and the construction started in December 2017. The Secretary expressed gratitude to Shri G.Babu for helping the Association in getting the site allotted, fixing the Architect and the Contractor. He said that the new building has two floors. The ground floor has parking, caretaker quarters, pantry and rest rooms for men and women. The first floor has a hall for holding monthly Executive Committee Meeting, office room, pantry and rest room for men and women. He said that it is our dream to build an Auditorium on the second floor and to have a lift, for which space is already provided. He thanked all those who have donated to the building fund. He made a special mention of Shri S.M.Vittal Rao for working hard to mobilize funds in spite of his advanced age.

8. Shri Krishna Rao briefly introduced the two stalwarts, who built the Association from the scratch with a few like-minded friends in 1994. Shri Sadashiva Rao, a retired IPS officer, had earned a name for his efficiency and knowledge of departmental rules while in service. After retirement, he headed the Association as its President for 2 decades. He drafted the memorandum submitted to the 6th CPC, which was accepted by Pensioners' Associations at the national level and submitted to the CPC. Shri N.Bhaskaran is chiefly responsible for formation of this Association. While in service, he held many positions in RMS and retired as Head Record Officer. Having entered the Department in 1951, he took part in P&T Trade Union movement and was elected as the first Circle Secretary of All India RMS and MMS Employees Union Class III, Karnataka Circle in the year 1960 and continued till 1972. He lead and participated in the two historic general strikes, one in 1960 and the other in 1968, for which he was kept under suspension for a period of 3 months and 14 months respectively. However, later in the year 1986, the Department of posts, that had punished him for leading employees strikes, honoured him by conferring on him the prestigious 'DakSeva Award' for his exemplary services in the Department. He also founded the 'Coordination Committee Central Government Pensioners' Associations, Karnataka', which has now 29 affiliates. It is his determination to have an own building for the Association, which resulted in construction of 'Pensioners' Bhavan' in 2013, a distinction achieved only by KP&TPA so far. It was built entirely by the donation made by members and well-wishers and now also, the present construction is made possible by donations. 'Compendium on Pension, CGHS and Medical Facilities for Central Government and BSNL Pensioners' with 8 editions and 'Pensioners' Champion', a monthly journal, are two of his other achievements during his tenure as KP&TPA Secretary from 1994-2014. Shri Krishna Rao said that, for this reason, the Executive Committee decided to confer the honour of opening of the new building on these two great achievers. He announced that Shri M.Ramiah, former Vice President and Permanent Advisor, who was the first to offer donation of Rs.50,000/- to the building fund, has now donated another Rs.51,010 and that his total donation is Rs.1,01,010/-.

9. The congregation then moved to the front of the new building. Shri Sadashiva Rao and Shri N.Bhaskaran jointly unveiled the inauguration stone and declared the building open by cutting the tape in the august presence of Dr Charles Lobo, CPMG and Sri R.Mani, CGMT. Presence of Shri D.Balasubramanian, General Secretary, All India Federation of Pensioners' Associations, Chennai added more colour to the opening ceremony. Shri Balasubramanian felicitated S/s Sadashiva

Rao, Bhaskaran and Krishna Rao in appreciation of their services to the Pensioners. Back on the dais, Shri N.Bhaskaran was honoured by Shri K K N Kutty. Smt. and Shri B.Sadashiva Rao were honoured by Shri R.Mani, CGMT. Shri M.Ramiah was honoured by Shri Babu. Shri Sadashiva Rao, and Shri Bhaskaran spoke briefly, congratulating the Association for this remarkable achievement and thanking for inviting them to open the b u i d n Shri Bhaskaran complimented Shri Krishna Rao, for functioning efficiently since 4 years after taking over as the Secretary from him. Shri Ramiah said that he was very happy to be present on the occasion and said that an auditorium must also be built in the 2nd floor of the new building. He announced that he would again donate one lakh rupees for construction of the auditorium. Shri VIttal Rao's role in the construction of the building in 2012 and now in 2018 was praised by all the 3 advisors to the association. Shri C Murthy, Contractor and Sri Chitravelu, Mason were honoured by the President Shri Babu.

10. Shri Krishna Rao briefly introduced the Chief Guest, Shri K.K.N.Kutty as a veteran trade union movement leader, who now is the Secretary General of NCCPA, standing committee member of the JCM and President of the Confederation of CG Employees and Workers. He also introduced Dr.Charles Lobo, the Chief PMG and Shri R.Mani, Chief GMT. He said that, as most of our members are pensioners of Postal and BSNL/DoT Departments, both heads of Circles, Postal and Telecom, were invited as the Guests of Honour. He thanked both the officers for taking special interest in settling the 7th CPC pension revision cases in their respective Circles.

11. Shri K.K.N.Kutty, the Chief Guest, inaugurated the open session and delivered his speech. He complimented the Association for having own building. He said that it is the desire of everybody to own a house. The fact

that the entire cost of construction of the building is met from donations by the members shows the trust and respect achieved by the Association. It is the duty of the society in general and the government to look after all senior citizens and ensure that they live with dignity. He said that, while he was happy to take part in the big achievement, we all should protect the next generation. When the New Pension Scheme was introduced with effect from 1.1.2004, many of the employees thought that it was a better scheme and supported it. As such, we could not mobilise enough strength to fight it then. But, they are now realizing their mistake. The IPS Association has submitted a memorandum, which denotes the difference of pension drawn under the old and new pension schemes. A pensioner, who had joined service in 2003 would get more pension (3 times) than the one who joined service in 2004. The dissatisfaction of the employees is such that, 3 months back, by mere SMS, they could mobilize more than one lakh people for staging protest in Delhi. He wondered whether there would be any pensioners' Association in existence after 20 years from now with the National Pension System in force. He also spoke about GST, saying that it is not as good or as simple as depicted in the media by the Government. Major revenue of the central government is from indirect taxes. In 1998-99, direct taxes were 60% and now it is reduced to less than 50%. Indirect taxes are levied on every human being in the country irrespective of his income. Pro-people policy is the characteristic of a good society and, unfortunately in India, the successive governments for the past 20 years, irrespective of the political parties in power, have done little to improve the situation.

12. Continuing with his speech, Com Kutty said that NCCPA is fighting for 2 major issues option 1, as recommended by 7th CPC and MACP. After 7th CPC, 'OROP' was introduced for defence pensioners but in a diluted form,

and they are still agitating for it. For civilian pensioners, option 1 was recommended by 7th CPC, which would have ensured complete parity. NCCPA submitted to the 7th CPC the Memorandum drafted in consultation with Pensioners' Associations without any change. After umpteen discussions, committee to examine the feasibility of implementation of recommendation of the CPC on option 1 was constituted with the Secretary of Dept of Pension as its Chairman. But the committee modified the recommendation on the plea that records are not available in respect of 14% of the pensioners and it would lead to anomalies. He said that this argument is not tenable as anomalies would always arise. Even now, 58 anomalies are pointed out. When 86% of the records are available, it should be possible to implement the original recommendation. Therefore, the fight for implementation of option one is continuing.

- 13. As for MACP scheme, introduced with effect from 1.9.2008, he said that it should be given effect to from 1.1.2006 itself, as the scheme was as per recommendation of 6th CPC. Supreme Court order on MACP has been implemented in respect of Defence Services. He said that a massive 'Dharna' is being organized in New Delhi in December this year, agitating for, among others, these two demands. He requested the Pensioners Associations to support the same. He concluded his speech by thanking the Association for inviting him to be the Chief Guest. Shri Krishna Rao thanked him for his inspiring speech and assured him of our continued support in the agitation. Shri Kutty was felicitated by Shri Bhaskaran.
- 14. Dr.Lobo, CPMG, in his speech, congratulated KP&TPA for completing construction of the beautiful building within 9-10 months. He recalled that he was present when the foundation stone was laid by Sri Babu. He invited the pensioner community to approach him for any help. He said that recently, a sum of Rs.1 lakh was donated to

'Kodagu Flood Relief' by Postal employees. He said that Karnataka Postal Circle has established 'Gramina DakSevak (GDS) Relief Fund' with donations received from regular employees. The fund is used to give financial assistance to GDS employee in distress. He requested the pensioners to contribute generously to the said Fund. He was honoured by Shri Kutty.

- 15. Shri R.Mani, CGMT also congratulated KP&TPA for the new building and the pensioners for donating to the fund and making it possible. He said that pensioner community is increasing. By 2022, 50% of the staff in BSNL would have retired. He thanked the Association for inviting him to the meeting and wished all the pensioners happy and healthy life. He was felicitated by Shri Sadashiva Rao.
- 16. S/s A.G.Doresway, S.M.Vittal Rao, N.Ramaiah, M.N.Shankar and M.Ramiah who had donated Rs. One lakh and more to the building fund were felicitated by the Chief Guest, CGMT and the President. Shri M.Ramiah spoke briefly on behalf of the honoured.
- 17. Sri Peraiah , Secretary & Sri N V Rao, Treasurer, All India Postal and RMS Pensioners Association, Ongole division, Andhra Pradesh felicitated Sri Krishna Rao, Secretary KP&TPA. Sri Peraiah in his speech congratulated the Association on construction of Pensioners' Bhavan and thanked the Secretary for his advice on several issues concerning pensioner members of AIPRPA, Ongole.
- 18. Senior members, who are 75 years and older, were felicitated. There were a total of 106 members, but 44 attended the function. They were felicitated by Shri Kutty, Shri Babu, Shri Sadashiva Rao, Shri Bhaskaran, Shri Ramiah, Sri M N Gopinath, Sri C S Karanth and Sri Krishna Rao. Each of them was garlanded and presented with shawl and a fruit basket.

- 19. Shri H.S. Achyuta and Smt. Rama, printers, who have been extremely cooperative in ensuring timely printing and mailing of the journal, were felicitated on the occasion.
- 20. Shri V.Gopal, Joint Secretary proposed vote of thanks. Lunch was arranged. Members were requested to be present at 2.30 PM for the afternoon session.

Afternoon Session:

- 21. Shri Krishna Rao, Secretary, welcomed the members to the afternoon session (subjects committee meeting) at 2.30 PM. As soon as the members reassembled after lunch, Shri S.M.Vittal Rao, Ex-Treasurer and Internal Auditor, congratulated the office bearers of the Association in building the annexe and presented them with shawls. Shri Krishna Rao thanked him and said that he himself deserved the recognition more than anybody else.
- 22. There were three agenda items-discussion on 7th CPC, CGHS and CS (MA) Rules and revision of rate of subscription for the journal Pensioners' Champion. On 7th CPC, Shri Krishna Rao said that implementation of OM dated 12-5-2017 on revision of pension and payment of arrears has been completed in almost all departments. But some cases of family pension are pending for want of records. Crediting the arrears in some banks is delayed. An officer of SBI attended CCCGPA meeting on 4.8.2018, who assured that he would pursue the pending cases brought to his notice. On grant of grade pay of Rs.4600 to pre-2006 pensioners retired in grade S-12, he said that the association has information received through reliable source that the govt is likely to agree to the demand. Regarding re-fixation of pension at 50% of the last pay drawn instead of average emoluments for pre-2006 pensioners, he said that the association addressed the Dept of Pension in March 2018

- for inclusion of the subject in the agenda items for discussion in the 30th meeting of SCOVA, but they were not accepted. However, he said that this issue with other pending issues will be pursued by the Association.
- 23. Regarding CGHS, Shri Krishna Rao explained some of the pensioner friendly orders implemented by CGHS recently. He explained the procedure in obtaining the OPD treatment from CGHS empanelled private hospitals and answered queries raised by the members of audience.
- 24. Shri Krishna Rao explained that, with the cost of printing going up, it has become extremely difficult to manage bringing out the Association's popular journal *Pensioners' Champion* with the present rates of subscription. He, therefore, said that the Association is left with no choice but to propose an increase in rates of yearly subscription for the journal, however keeping the increase at the minimum. After discussion it was unanimously decided to increase the rates of subscription from the present Rs.120 to Rs.150 for members and from Rs.150 to Rs.200 for non-member subscribers to take effect from 1-10-2018.
- 25. Shri G.babu, in his concluding remarks said that the open session was attended by about 450 people and that the meeting was a grand success. He also announced that 17 new members were enrolled in the meeting. Approximately, Rs.2,70,000 was received as donation for the building fund and about Rs.19,000 for renewal of subscription on the day. The members cheered the announcement. He thanked not only EC members, but all, who have volunteered towards making the AGB a grand success. He dedicated the beautiful new building to the welfare of all pensioners.
- 26. Shri V.Gopal, Joint Secretary proposed vote of thanks. The session concluded at 4.00 PM with National Anthem.

Greetings from invitees

I am extremely thankful for your kind invitation for attending the opening of the annexe of Pensioners Bhavan. It is a great landmark to have a Pensioners Bhavan and adding an annexe to it. Karnataka P&T Pensioners Association is doing a great service under your able leadership. Unfortunately due to preoccupations I may not be able to attend personally and our representatives will participate. I personally thank you for the invitation and wish you all success

G.Natarjan, Genl Secretary, AIBSNLPWA, Chennai

It fills our heart with unspeakable joy at how assiduously; the association has been able to build Annexe exclusively for purpose of carrying out activities of the pensioner association. The constraint of space were creating hurdles in the smooth functioning of the association and with the Annexe being ready for inauguration, the infrastructural deficiency is over. Building the Annexe by overcoming formidable barrier of straitened circumstances is all the more praiseworthy put forth by the members of the entire executive committee of the association which is commendable.

Accolades need to be bestowed on the members of the association for such an extraordinary achievement. This is also an Exhilarating experience for the pensioners who having given the best part of their life to the service of the nation, generally forsaken and no cognisance taken of their contribution by the ruling parties and successive governments. For which the entire community of pensioners should be united under one umbrella that is NCCPA which CGPA Rajasthan, Jaipur and Karnataka Post and Telecommunication Pensioners Association are the active members.

I on behalf of the association of the entire membership again congratulate you for this formidable task of building Pensioners Bhavan in India.

Kindly convey our heartiest greetings to all the members who have contributed a lot of pensioner Bhavan.

S K Sharma, Secretary, Central govt pensioners Assn, Jaipur

Hearty congratulations.

K Ragavendran, General Secretary, All India Postal and RMS Pensioners' Assn, New Delhi

All my best wishes

M.Krishnan, Secretary General, Confederation of Central Govt Employees & Workers, New Delhi

Hearty congratulations. Wishing the function grand success.

Dinesh Chandra Mistry, General secretary, BSNL & DoT Pen Assn, Ahmadabad

Wishing the function grand success

S C Maheshwari, Genl Secretary, Bharat Pensioners samaj, New Delhi.

Wishing the function grand success

Halwadia, Secretary, DoT Pen Assn, Bhavanagar, Gujarat

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It gives me immense pleasure that the Karnataka Posts & Telecommunication Pensioners' Association, Bengaluru is celebrating opening ceremony of new annexe to Pensioners Bhavan. Thanks for inviting us on the opening ceremony of new Annexe to pensioners Bhavan and to attend the 23rd General Body Meeting to be held on 9th September, 2018.

I myself and Executive Committee of Defence Pensioners Welfare Association, Allahabad heartily congratulate the Executive Committee of KP&TP Association for the pioneer work of building its own association home 'Pensioners Bhavan'. and its Annexe.

The Karnataka Posts & Telecommunication Pensioners' Association, Bengaluru, the unique sole body, under the competent leadership, with missionary zeal is looking after the welfare of the pensioners / family pensioners of the Posts and Telecommunications Departments scattered even over remotest place. We wish the 23rd General Body meet a success.

K C Gupta. General Secretary, DPWA, Allahabad The team work under your leadership is simply superb., please keep it up.

P. Peraiah, Honourary President,
All India Postal and RMS Pensioners Association, Andhra Pradesh State

	Newly Enrolled Members							
	Name (Smt./Sri)	Designation & Office in which last worked	Туре	Type & No.				
1	C.S.Doddamani	Sr.Supervisor, Directorate of Census Operation, Bangalore	ALM	2664				
2	Vinayak Naik	Sorting Assistant, B'lore City RMS, Bangalore	LM	2665				
3	V.Ganga Raju	Dy.General Manager, VSNL, VSB, Chennai.	LM	2666				
4	N.C.Chandra	Sub Postmaster, Kudige Sub Post Office, Madikeri.	LM	2667				
5	Suvarna Dinesh Kulkarni	Office Assistant, Office of CPMG, Bangalore	LM	2668				
6	C.M.F.Razikulla	Postmaster, Kadugodi Post Office, Bangalore	LM	2669				
7	M.S.Krishna Murthy	Junior supervisor, Census Office, Bangalore	ALM	2670				
8	G.Satyanarayana	Sub Divi. Engineer, Cauvery Division, Central Water Commission, Bg.	ALM	2671				
9	S.A.Fayaz Ahamed	Postmaster, HSG I, Davanagere Head Post Office	LM	2672				
10	S.P.Sathyanarayana Rao	Public Relation Inspector, Davanagere Head Post Office	LM	2673				
11	C.S.Shyama Sundar	Administrative Officer, All India Radio, Bangalore	ALM	2674				
12	Indira Bhat	Deputy Postmaster, Sagar Head Post Office	LM	2675				
13	P.Sonnappa	Postal Assistant, Bangalore City Head Post Office	LM	2676				
14	M.D.Narayana Murthy	Office Superintendent, O/o. PMG SK Region, Bangalore	LM	2677				
15	R.Nagendra	Controllerate of Quality Assurance Electronics, Bangalore	ALM	2678				
16	G.Gangadharaiah	Postal Assistant, Jalahalli Head Post Office	LM	2679				
17	Shivanna	MTS, Yeshwantapur Post Office, Bangalore	LM	2680				
18	R.Chandrashekar	Assistant Postmaster, Malleswaram MDG, Bangalore	LM	2681				
19	K.N.Joshi	Superintendent of Post Offices, Haveri Division, Haveri	LM	2682				
20	Harish Jwalanna	Assistant Manager, VSNL, Bangalore	LM	2683				
21	T.C.Chandra	MTS, B'lore Air Port TMO, Bangalore	LM	2685				

LM: Life Member ALM: Associate Life Member

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PENSIONERS' BHAVAN

The Executive Committee is extremely glad to inform all of our Members and Subscribers that, with the help of the generous donations made by **some of our Members & Subscribers** and Wellwishers, we could ensue completion of the construction of the annexe to Pensioners' Bhavan and the new building was declared open jointly by Sri B.Sdashiva Rao , IPS(Retd) founder President of the association and Sri N.Bhaskaran, founder Secretary and veteran P&T trade union leader on Sunday the 9-9-2018. 23rd annual general body meeting was also held on the same day. About 500 were present to grace the occasion.

We express our gratitude to our Members, Subscribers for the Journal and well wishers, which include children of our members, who so generously contributed to the building fund.



The donations received so far amounts to Rs.60 lakh. But, we still need help from all since the final bill likely to be presented by the Contractor will have to be paid. Though provision for a lift has been made, it could not be installed for want of funds. Our ambition of constructing an auditorium in the second floor for holding annual general body meetings remains unfulfilled.

We are constrained to reiterate our appeal for liberal donations from Members and Subscribers, who have not yet remitted their contribution to the fund. 25th List of donors is published in this issue.

Members who have donated less than Rs.2000, the minimum amount of donation that we had appealed for, may please remit additional amount to increase their contribution to at least Rs.2,000. Those who have donated above Rs 5,000 but less than 10,000 and above Rs.10,000 but less than 25,000 may please consider increasing their donation to Rs.10,000 & Rs.25,000 respectively, so that their names may be included in the boards

Income Tax exemption: 50% of the amount of donation made to K P&TPA, is eligible for deduction in the Gross total Income under Section 80-G of Income Tax Act.

Donation to be remitted by *crossed cheque* payable to "Karnataka P&T Pensioners' Association". (Not KPTPA or KP&TPA)

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Note: Cheques are not to be drawn in the names of either the Secretary or the Treasurer

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At the Reception Counters





Jt.Secretary Sri V.Gopal addressing



Smt. & Sri B Sadashiva Rao welcomed by Smt. Sindhu



Sri D. Balasubramanian, General Secretary, AIFPA, Chennai addressing



Sri B. Sadashiva Rao addressing



Sri M.Ramiah addressing



Sri H K Munimadaiah honoured by Sri M N Gopinath



Sri P.Peraiah, Dvl Secretary, AIPRPA,Ongole (AP) addressing



Sri N. Bhaskaran addressing



Sri B.L.Channappa honoured by Com K K N Kutty



Sri M. Nanjunde Gowda honoured by Sri N.Ramaiah



Dr Charles Lobo, CMPG, being felicitated by Sri G .Babu



Com K K N Kutty, the Chief Guest, being felicitated by Sri N Bhaskaran



Sri R. Mani, CGMT, addressing



Sri B. Sadashiva Rao being honoured by Sri G. Babu

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Sri R. Mani, CGMT, being felicitated by Com K K N Kutty



Dr Charles Lobo, CPMG addressing



Com K K N Kutty, Chief Guest addressing



Sri N. Bhaskaran being honoured by Com K K N Kutty



Sri M Ramiah being honoured by M.N.Gopinath



Sri K B Krishna Rao being honoured by Sri Peraiah and Sri N V Rao, of AlPRPA, Ongole. (A P)



Sri C . Murthy, Contractor being honoured by Sri G Babu



Sri G Babu, President being honoured by K.B. Krishna Rao



Sri Achyuta Sankethi, the Printer honoured by Chief Guest KKN Kutty



Sri Chitravelu, Masson, honoured by Sri G Babu



Members Felicitated for donating Rs. One lakh & above with the Chief Guest and EC Members



Fresh empanelment of NABH / NABL accredited Health Care Organisations through Continuous Empanelment Scheme under CGHS, Bengaluru

Private Hospitals empanelled with effect from 03/09/2018 and included in the existing list of hospitals vide Additional Director, CGHS, Bengaluru Order No.19-3/2014/ADMN(129)/4818 dated 03/09/2018

- Apollo Hospitals (a Unit of Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd) New No.1, Old No. 28, Platform Road, Near Mantri Mall, Seshadripuram, Bengaluru 560020 Phone: 46688999, 46688888
- Apollo Speciality Hospital, Jayanagar No.2 Old NO. 21/2, 14t Cross, 3rd Block, Near Maddhavan Park, Jayanagar, Bengaluru 560011

- Narayana Multi Speciality Hospital Plot No. 3 & 4, Sadaramangala Industrial Area, Whitefield Main Road, Mahadevapura Post, Bengaluru 560048 Phone: 71112555
- 4. Narayana Multi Speciality Hospital, HSR Layout, Besant Health Centre Building Site No.1, 18th Main, Opposite HSR Layout, Bengaluru 560102 Phone: 7112223

Editor's Note: With the inclusion of the above 4 hospitals to the list of Private Hospitals empanelled under CGHS, Number of HCOs in Bengaluru:- Hospitals (Allopathic) - 21, Eye Care Centres - 31, Dental Clinics - 4, Diagnostic Centres - 5, Ayurvaid Hospital - 1.

Significance of the Emblem of the association printed on the journal Pensioners' Champion

Pensioners have thrown down their walking sticks and have joined their hands together in solidarity, signaling that they do not need the sticks any more after joining together to form an association which will, in times of need, support them.

ALL INDIA CONSUMER PRICE INDEX							
Month	CPI Base 2001=100	12 Months' Total	Monthly Ave.		% increase over 115.76		
				7th CPC	6th CPC		
Jan 17	288	3388	282.33	7.99	143.87		
July18	301	3462	288.50	10.35	149.22		

7th CPC: DA/DR w.e.f. July 2018: 9%

(2% increase over Jan-2018 rate of 7% - order in page - 16)

BSNL IDA

From 1-7-2018 : 128% (0.8% increase over April 2018 rate of 127.2%)

Central Government Holidays in OCTOBER 2018

- 1. Mahatma Gandhi's Birth Day 2nd October, Tuesday
- 2. Mahanavami 18th October, Thursday
- 3. Vijayadashami 19th October, Friday

OBITUARY

Sri G.Gopala Rao LM-1636, retired postman, Bangarpet P O expired on 8-8-2018 at the age of 84 years. He is survived by a son and two daughters.

We convey our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

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Gol, Dept. of pension and pensioners welfare OM No. 42/06/2018/P&PW/(G) dated 18th Sept. 2018

Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/ family pensioners-Revised rate effective from 1.7.2018.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 42/06/2018-P&PW(G) dated 22.3.2018 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 7% to 9% w.e.f. 1.7.2018.

DR

Order

- 2. These rates of DR will be applicable to (i) Civilian Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners including Central Govt. absorbee pensioners in PSU/Autonomous Bodies in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 4/34/2002-P&PW(D) Vol.II dated 23.6.2017 for restoration of full pension after expiry of commutation period of 15 years (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners, Civilian Pensioners paid out of the Defence Service Estimates, (iii) All India Service Pensioners (iv) Railway Pensioners/family pensioners (v) Pensioners who are in receipt of provisional pension (vi) The Burma Civilian pensioners/family pensioners and pensioners/ families of displaced Government Pensioners from Burma./Pakistan, in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 23/3/2008-P&PW(B) dated 11.9.2017.
- 3. The payment of Dearness Relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.
- 4. Other provisions governing grant of DR in respect of employed family pensioners and reemployed Central Government Pensioners will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in this Department's OM No. 45/73/97-P&PW (G) dated 2.7.1999 as amended vide this Department's OM No. F.No. 38/88/2008-

P&PW(G) dated 9th July 2009. The provisions relating to regulation of DR where a pensioner is in receipt of more than one pension will remain unchanged.

- 5. In the case of retired Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts, necessary orders will be issued by the Department of Justice separately.
- 6. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.
- 7. The offices of Accountant General and authorised Pension Disbursing Banks are requested to arrange payment of relief to pensioners etc. on the basis of these instructions without waiting for any further instructions from the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and the Reserve Bank of India in view of letter No. 528-TA, II/34-80II dated 23.4.1981 of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India addressed to all Accountant Generals and Reserve Bank of India Circular No. GANB No. 2958/GA-64 (ii) (CGL) 81 dated the 21st May, 1981 addressed to State Bank of India and its subsidiaries and all Nationalised Banks.
- 8. In their application to the pensioners/family pensioners belonging to Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue after consultation with the C&AG.
- 9. This issues in accordance with Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/2/2018-E.II(B) dated 7th Sept. 2018.

Our members write

Thank you for your kind invitation. you have filled the members with life anew by your gentle words and great deeds which would always help and heal. May our Association go from strength to strength! Wishing the AGB meeting all success

R. Soundararajan LM - 710

Best wishes for the house warming ceremony and the AGB to conclude with a grand success

T V Ramamurthy LM 2467

Remarkable work done under the guidance of S/s Sadashiva Rao, Bhaskaran, Ramiah and Vittal Rao cannot be forgotten and the hard work of Krishna Rao in completion of construction of the new building and in publishing of the journal Pensioners' Champion shall always be cherished. Generosity of Sri G Babu, President, helped the association in owning two beautiful buildings named 'Pensioners Bhavan'. Thanks to all for their contributions to the cause of service to pensioners.

T.Chandrasekaran LM-603

My sincere 'pranams' to all those who participated in "Swachhta Hi Seva" campaign. The pictures clearly show that how seriously the participants have taken the issue in these days when usually such activities are done symbolically for publicity. My illustrious friends have shown what it means to perform what they meant which clearly establishes that they shunned any publicity.

M K Venkatesh LM- 221

My greetings to the big events of Opening of Pensioners' Bhavan and the 23 $^{\rm rd}$ AGB on 9-9-2018

S. N. Janakiraman Madurai

What a dedicated service Sir! Hats off to your team

P. Peraiah, AIPRPA, Ongole, Andhra Pradesh

The arrangements made for the AGB and the opening ceremony of new Pensioners Bhavan building were excellent. Honouring of members of 75 years of age was made in a systematic way. Thanks to the organisers

H.K. Munimadaiah LM - 844

Congratulations for conducting the annual meeting of our association in a befitting manner. Good team work.

K. Sridhara Bhat LM - 908

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SEPTEMBER 2018

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

Donation for the Building Fund - 25th List

SI No.	Name Sri/Smt.	Membership No.	Amount Rs.	Receipt No.	Progressive Total of donation
1096	M.Ramiah	3	51010	3733	101010
1097	M.T. Rangarajan	1974	25000		
1098	Karnataka Telecom Department Employees Co-operative Society Ltd		25000	3697	
1099	T.S.Vasudevan	1170	10001	3768	
1100	V.Srinivasan	2418	10001	3680	
1101	Chandra Seshachalam	694	10000	3691	
1102	M.Dhanapal	979	10000	3721	
1103	S.Jayaram	986	10000	3749	22000
1104	G.Babu	1156	10000	3679	
1105	A.S.Fazlur Rehman	1260	10000	3753	
1106	J.Ganesan	1704	10000	3734	
1107	M.T.Basappa	1846	10000	3801	20000
1108	Vasantha Leela	1980	10000	3803	
1109	M.Chikkamuniyappa	2520	10000	3743	
1110	K.Jayaram	2463	10000	3672	
1111	G.V.Lakshminarayana	1320	7500	3746	10000
1112	H.L.Nagaraj	1593	5001	3784	
1113	Jayalakshmi Govindarajan(FP)	162	5000	3748	7000
1114	M.N.Sathyanarayana Rao	464	5000	3766	
1115	Attavar Yoganand	644	5000	3701	30100
1116	A.Sadananda	762	5000	3678	17000
1117	S.P.Venkatesha Jois	862	5000	3797	
1118	V.Muthukumar	1274	5000	3706	11000
1119	Nagamani.S.Rao	1339	5000	3688	10000
1120	M.N.Rajeev	1555	5000	3771	15000
1121	K.R.Anantha Ramu	2062	5000	3806	55000
1122	T.R.Surendranath	2261	5000	3677	7222
1123	H.Dasaratha Rao	2362	5000	3675	12101
1124	H.V.Nagaraju	2521	5000	3690	
1125	G.R.Nagarathnamma	2527	5000	3683	
1126	Vishwanath Rao	Well wisher	5000	3684	
1127	Vishwanath Rao	Well wisher	5000	3685	10000
1128	A.Prakash	Well wisher	5000	3687	
1129	P.Raghvendra Nayak	2160	4470	3800	29470

Donation for the Building Fund - 25th List (Contd.)

SI No.	Name Sri/Smt.	Membership No.	Amount Rs.	Receipt No.	Progressive Total of donation
1130	N.Venkat Rao	1529	4116	3699/3702	7116
1131	Y.Subramanyam	1365	3000	3729	10000
1132	A.Narayana Swamy	1579	3000	3789	
1133	V.M.Shetty	1729	3000	3714	5000
1134	S.Jayasekar	2324	3000	3752	5000
1135	Vittal Ramachandra Joshi	2523	3000	3728	
1136	D.Kothandapani	2657	3000	3763	
1137	A.C.Abdul Karim	113	2500	3695	
1138	J.N.Deshapande	2557	2500	3767	
1139	A.B.R.Rao	495	2000	3730	
1140	Veerabhadraiah	571	2000	3720	12000
1141	P.Balachandra Menon	691	2000	3794	6000
1142	K.S.Venugopalan	817	2000	3707	5000
1143	P.Shivalingappa	834	2000	3723	
1144	G.K.Rukmangada	870	2000	3775	
1145	N.L.Balakrishna	945	2000	3724	
1146	T.R.Chandrasekharaiah	1117	2000	3786	
1147	S.R.Jayapal	1264	2000	3751	
1148	J.G.Jaiwant	1370	2000	3673	4000
1149	M.S.Krishna Murthy	1488	2000	3747	4000
1150	B.S.Balappa	2074	2000	3709	
1151	S.Mohankumar	2098	2000	3742	4000
1152	B.Somashekar Goud	2186	2000	3765	4000
1153	K.Balan	2375	2000	3717	5000
1154	Govinda	2389	2000	3710	
1155	A.P.Nagaraj	2422	2000	3776	
1156	M.R.Hari	2471	2000	3760	
1157	P.Yadunatha Rao	2529	2000	3754	
1158	H.S.Ananthapadmanabha	2559	2000	3756	
1159	G.S.Raghunathan	2582	2000	3719	
1160	M.S.Upadyaya	2618	2000	3804	
1161	D.D.Khavasi	2623	2000	3711	
1162	V.Ganga Raju	2666	2000	3718	
1163	H.S.Krishnamurthy Rao	99	1500	3750	3500
1164	K.Akhilandam	861	1500	3799	

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Donation for the Building Fund - 25th List (Contd.)

SI No.	Name Sri/Smt.	Membership No.	Amount Rs.	Receipt No.	Progressive Total of donation
1165	H.S.Sreenivasa Murthy	1415	1500	3674	2860
1166	D.Venkatesalu	2137	1115	3755	11116
1167	R.Prasad	1330	1000	3708	
1168	N.M.Hegde	1447	1000	3773	8000
1169	M.F.Karim	1524	1000	3802	
1170	A.Sathyanarayanan	1806	1000	3716	4000
1171	G.Mathiyazhagan	1900	1000	3713	3000
1172	H.N.Huli	1920	1000	3681	
1173	E.Krishnaji Rao	2136	1000	3731	2000
1174	N.Gooligowda	2249	1000	3772	2000
1175	S.Srinivasan	2279	1000	3788	1500
1176	K.S.Menon	2282	1000	3769	5000
1177	S.V.Seshadri	2355	1000	3696	2000
1178	S.Ramachandran	2509	1000	3807	
1179	M.S.Shamanna	2498	1000	3761	2000
1180	P.Subbaratnaiah	2547	1000	3790	
1181	Suvarna Dinesh Kulkarni	2668	1000	3744	
1182	AICGPA, Dharwad		1000	3712	3000
1183	B.K.Gururaja	2264	600	3805	5000
1184	G.M.Rangaiah	1110	500	3777	
1185	M.S.Lalitha	1296	500	3785	3000
1186	L.V.Nagarajan	1459	500	3722	
1187	M.Govinda	1504	500	3732	
1188	A.G.Venkateslu	1631	500	3778	1000
1189	S.B.Hombal	1664	500	3700	1500
1190	H.B.Gundu Rao	1726	500	3764	
1191	N.Ramamurthy	1744	500	3795	
1192	C.S.Subbakrishna	1955	500	3774	
1193	V.Chandrappa	1994	500	3762	10500
1194	M.Keshava Murthy	2476	500	3792	
1195	L.V.Aswathanarayana	2531	500	3725	
1196	C.S.Krishna murthy	2537	500	3745	
1197	H.K.Nagarajan	2538	500	3759	
1198	S.Harihara Sarma	1951	200	3783	5200
1199	P.Peraiah	S-260	116	3703	

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249	K.Basappa	2192	S.Sundanda Murthy	S-257	M.I.Madaki	2236	S.Perumal
293	B.L.Suryanarayanaiah	2202	P.Sundara Murthy	S-307	M.Velayudhan	2440	K.N.Ramachandran
298	Nagarathna(FP)	2250	M.Nagaraja	S-332	K.V.Ramadevudu	2471	M.R.Hari
571	Verabhadraiah	2268	S.Jaimuni Rao	R	ts.200/- Smt./Sri	2521	H.V.Nagaraju
691	P.Balachandra Menon	2315	I.V.Patil	1602	S.Sudarshan	2523	V.R.Joshi
817	K.S.Venugopalan	2324	S.Jayasekar	2193	Narayan.T.Gange	2557	J.N.Deshapande
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862	S.P.Venkatesh Jois	2362	H.Dasaratha Rao	99	H.S.Krishnamurthy Rao		Kulkarni
867	B.N.Maleeshappa	2375	K.Balan	162	Jayalakshmi	S-260	P.Peraiah
901	R.Karthikeyan	2389	Govinda	102	Govindarajan	Rs	.250/- Smt./Sri
936	M.R.Subba Rao	2396	M.Sathyanarayana Reddy	464	M.N.Sathyanarayana Rao	2263	K.S.Mani
986	S.Jayaram	2400	S.Vijayakumar	543	N.M.Janamatti		B.K.Thakare
1017	P.S.Vishwanatha	2405	C.Chinnappaiah	676	H.C.Keshavamurthy	Rs	.300/- Smt./Sri
1086	B.L.Satyanarayana	2406	M.Armugam	686	K.S.Panchapakeshan	?	Unknown
1117	T.R. Chandrashe karaiah	2407	N.Murthy	694	Chandraseshachalam	D _C	.360/- Smt./Sri
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1631	A.G.Venkatesu	2547	P.Subbarathnaiah	1074	H.C.S.Gopalachar	Rs	.500/- Smt./Sri
1704	J.Ganesan	2582	G.S.Raghunathan	1123	N.Balakrishna	1415	H.S.Sreenivasa
1729	V.M.Shetty	2657	D.Kothandapani	1177	R.Lakshmanan		Murthy
1806	A.Sathyanarayanan	?	Unknown	1264	S.R.Jayapal	1543	Ravindranath Guru
1813	M.Ramachandran	?	Srinidhi	1273	Y.L.N.Chetty	1555	M.N.Rajeev
1832	R.Ramakrishnan	F	Rs.125/- Smt./Sri	1318	U.B.Nanadakumar Rao	1919	P.Aravindakshan
1900	G.Mathiyazhagan	2383	M.S.Krishna Murthy	1367	P.Lakshminarayna Gupta	2488	M.S.Anantharama
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1983			M.Keshava Murthy	1577	M.Nagalingam		.600/- Smt./Sri
2074	B.S.Balappa		J.L.Lekhi	1603	M.R.S.Prakash Rao	1133	D.Ramamurthy
2107	S.Vijayagopal		O.P.Dhamija	1629	G.S.Kumar	?	Unknown
2136	E.Krishnaji Rao		O.P.Sherya	1744	N.Ramamurthy	Rs.	1000/- Smt./Sri
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'Swachhta Hi Seva' 2018

KP&TPA was one of the nine pensioners' associations in the country identified by the Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare for participation in 'Swachhta Hi Seva 2018' the campaign on creating awareness on cleanliness. The flagship programme of the government of India is observed across the country from 15-9-2018 till 2-10-2018 and will end on Mahatma Gandhi's birthday.

In compliance of the instructions contained in DoP&PW letter dated 6 th September 2018 addressed to our association, we oragnised activities on cleaning of streets and drains in the 1st Main Road of Telecom Layout, off Bengaluru International Airport Road, Bengaluru 560064, the area in which our association's own building 'Pensioners' Bhavan' is situated.

Members of the Executive Committee of the association, including the Secretary, Jt. Secretary, Treasurer and other members participated in the swachhta campaign. Support of the residents' welfare association of the area was also sought which resulted in many members of the welfare association and some

residents too volunteering to join the swachhta activities by offering their 'Shramadan Seva'.

The activities Cleaning of streets and drains commenced at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday the 15th September 2018 and ended at 12.30.p.m.The entire stretch of the 1st Main Road of Telecom Layout, which measures about one k.m.in length, was cleaned by more than 35 volunteers.

As a part of creating awareness among the members of the public in keeping their surroundings clean, some shop keepers on the main road were requested to provide waste disposal bins near their shops to facilitate discarding of empty sachets, used bottles & cups, cigarette stubs etc., as it was seen that several such used materials were strewn all around the place. Members of the public near the shops were also advised not to litter around shops but use the waste disposal bins provided, which was well received by them.

The cleanliness activities undertaken by the volunteers by their 'Shrama daana seva' was clearly meant to actually sweep the entire stretch of the Main Road clean without just indulging in a symbolic act for the sake of publicity.

Revision of rates of Subscription for Pensioners' Champion

In pursuance of the decision taken at the Annual General Body Meeting of the Association held on 9-9-2018, the rates of subscription for the journal "Pensioners' Champion" are revised w.e.f 1-10-2018 as under.

	Existing	From 1-10-2018
Life Members/ Associate Life Members	Rs. 120/-	Rs. 150/-
Non-Member Subscribers	Rs. 150/-	Rs. 200/-

Note: 1. The revised rates of subscription are applicable to the renewals made on or after 1-10-2018

2. In respect of renewal of subscription already made for more than one year, the revised rate would be applicable from the date of expiry of the validity of subscription. For information required if any & validity of subscription, please contact Sri B.L.Channappa, Executive Committee Member on Phone: 08023236405.

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6	B.L.Channappa	838	51159	3	Nagarathnamma	1384	10000		
7	M.N.Gopinath	1085	50000	4	G.A.Brahmadeva	1753	10250		
8	K.B.Krishna Rao	1131	50000		M.N.Shankar	1781	100000		
9	B.R.Baliga	1166	50000	5	M.N.Snankar	1/01	20000		
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