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Dated: 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023

To

Shri Dilip Padhye,  
Controller General of Communication Accounts,  
New Delhi-110001.

**Sub: Issue of Pensioners ID card to BSNL pensioners in revised format – suggestion to simplify the process**

Ref: DoP&PW OM No.41/21/2000-P&PW(D) dated 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Sir,

Ever since DoP&PW issued instructions in the year 2015 and later in 2018 on the subject, this Association had been requesting DoT to issue ID card in the DoP&PW approved format to all pensioners including BSNL absorbed pensioners. Several CCAs started issuing notifications since June 2022 regarding organising 'ID card Camp' for issue of Pensioner ID card to CDA/IDA pensioners, claiming it to be yet another step towards providing quality services to the senior citizens. But nearly one year after that, very few ID cards have been issued in a few Circles, that too with many complaints of glaring mistakes. Some CCAs have not yet initiated the process at all.


2. It is understood that the matter is being delayed due to shortage of staff and infrastructure in CCAs offices and the process of printing, laminating and despatching the Pensioner ID cards to the concerned pensioners.

3. With majority of the pensioners having been migrated to SAMPANN, there should not be any difficulty in digitally processing the application for Pensioner ID card, as all the details required to be furnished as per the revised format issued by DoP&PW, are already available in the system. Uploading the recent photographs of the pensioners will only be the remaining task. The cost of printing, laminating and despatching can be saved by following the mechanism successfully implemented by CGHS wherein the beneficiaries are able to download the CGHS card, get it printed and laminated on their own. Of course, before uploading the final version of the ID card, the Pensioner may be given access to the draft ID card so that the pensioner can check for any mistakes in the card and request correction.

Anyhow, a few pensioners who may find it difficult to access, download and get it printed, may be allowed an option to collect it from the concerned CCA office.

4. We request that serious consideration may be given to the above suggestion which will save cost, labour and delay in issue of Pensioner ID card in the DoP&PW approved format to all the BSNL absorbed pensioners.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,  
  
19/5/23  
(R R Balasubramanian)  
General Secretary

Encl: As stated

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No. 41/21/2000-P&PW(D)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions  
Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan  
Khan Market, New Delhi  
Dated the 19th Feb, 2018

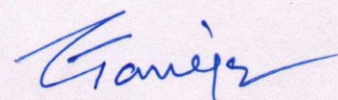
**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Issue of Pensioners' Identity Card to Pensioners- Revised Format.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even no. dated 12.08.2015 and to say that the instructions related to the issue of Pensioners' Identity Card to Pensioners were issued by this Department. In para 2 of the OM dated 12.08.2015, it is mentioned that Pensioners' ID Card shall include the Aadhaar No. of the pensioners, if available. Accordingly, a format for the pensioners' Identity Card was also issued.

2. The matter has been reconsidered. It has been decided that henceforth, the Pensioners' Identity Card may be issued to the pensioners in the revised format (copy enclosed).

Encl: as above



(Charanjit Taneja)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

All Ministries/Departments of Government of India

Revised Format for Pensioners' Identity Card for persons retiring  
under Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules 1972 (or other corresponding rule)

(FRONT)

PENSIONER'S IDENTITY CARD

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF .....

Space for  
Photograph

No.

Name:

Res. Address:

Telephone /Mobile No.:

Blood Group:

Signature of Card Holder

Signature of  
Issuing Authority  
with seal

(REVERSE)

Date of Birth:

Date of Superannuation/retirement:

Pay-scale on retirement:

Post held on retirement:

Last Pay:

PPO No. and date:

Any Other Information:

Revised Format for Pensioners' Identity Card for persons retiring  
under New Pension Scheme

(FRONT)

PENSIONER'S IDENTITY CARD  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF .....

	No.
Space for	Name:
Photograph	Res. Address:
	Telephone /Mobile No.:
	Blood Group:
	Signature of Card Holder

Signature of  
Issuing Authority  
with seal

(REVERSE)

Date of Birth:  
Date of Superannuation/retirement:  
Pay-scale on retirement:  
Post held on retirement:  
Last Pay:  
PRAN Number:  
Any Other Information: