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To.

All Pr. CCAs/ CCAs

Subject: SAMPANN/FMS-LC/DLC submission by pensioners- reg.

Ref: (i) DoP&PW Order No. 18/1/2020-P&PW(H)-Vol-III-6786 dated 23.11.2020.

(ii)47-15/TA-II/CPMS/2018/Pt.1 dated 15.10.2020

Vide letter under reference(ii), the DOP&PW's order dated 11.09.2020 for extending the timeline for submission of Life certificate was extended for SAMPANN/FMS pensioners.

- 2. In this regard, in light of numerous requests from Pensioners Associations as well as individuals highlighting the pandemic situation and vulnerability of the elderly population, DOP&PW in consultation with CGA, has extended further the timeline for submission of Life Certificate vide OM under reference (i).
- 3. Therefore in light of above and in continuation of letter under reference (ii), I am directed to convey that:
  - a. For those SAMPANN/FMS pensioners whose Life Certificate has expired on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020 or 30<sup>th</sup> November 2020 or 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 2020 or will be expiring on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2021, may be allowed to submit LC/DLC from 1<sup>st</sup> November 2020 onward, till 28<sup>th</sup> February 2021. During this extended period, the pension shall continue to be paid by the Pension Disbursing Authorities (PDAs) uninterrupted.

 b. CCA offices may take all measures to inform the pensioners regarding above and measures taken to facilitate the submission of LC/DLC

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

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