## No. 11019/06/2023- PMA

Government of India Ministry of Home Affairs Police-I Division (PMA Cell)

> Room No.14, North Block, New Delhi Dated the 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2023

To

- (i) The Chief Secretaries of all the States/UTs
- (ii) The Home Secretaries of all the States/UTs
- (iii) DsGP of all the States/UTs
- (iv) Directors IB/CBI/SVPNPA/SPG/NEPA/ NCRB
- (v) DsG -BSF/ CRPF/ ITBP/ CISF/ NSG/ NIA/ RPF/ BPR&D /SSB/ NCB/ NDRF/NHRC/Assam Rifles (Through LOAR)
- (vi) The Secretary, R&AW, Cabinet Sectt., CGO Complex, New Delhi.
- (vii) Secretary, Commission for SCs/STs, LNB, Khan Market, New Delhi
- (viii) The Secretary, Lok Sabha /Rajya Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi
- (ix) All Ministries/Departments of Government of India (except M/o Defence)

Sub: General Procedures and Guidelines governing "President's Medal for Distinguished Service" and "Medal for Meritorious Service- reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 on the subject cited above and to say that the undermentioned guidelines may be inserted under clause "Nomination Process" after Para-"H" as Para -"I":

"Service Medal (PSM/MSM) should not be awarded to more than 50% of the total strength of a Group 'A' service in each batch of the cadre including IPS. For counting 50% of the batch in each cadre, a block of five batches (starting from 1st and 6th Year of every decade) be taken together."

Yours faithfully,

(D K Ghosh)

Under Secretary (PMA) Tel. No.: 011 -23094009

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- 1. All the Heads of Fire Services in the all States/UTs
- 2. All the Directors of Civil Defence in the all States/UTs
- 3. All the Commandant General Home Guards in the all States/UTs
- 4. Prison/Home-In-charge of Prisons in the all States/UTs
- 5. DIG/IG (Prisons) of the all States/UTs
- 6. All Divisions in Ministry of Home Affairs.
- 7. Technical Officer CASU, MHA, North Block, New Delhi
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