

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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PENSION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FOR EX-SERVICEMEN
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to streamline the pension distribution system for the ex-servicemen;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI M.M. PALLAM RAJU)

(a) to (c): The pension distribution is presently through Banks, DPDOs and Treasuries. The Ministry of Finance have issued orders to Chief Executives of all Public Sector Banks for taking up immediate measures to implement orders issued in implementation of 6th Central Pay Commission and Cabinet Secretary Committee's recommendations. All Chief Secretaries have also been requested by the Ministry of Defence to instruct District Collectors to review the progress made with regard to revision of pension.