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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 16th 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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