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One Time Financial Assistance to Displaced Persons of PoJK (1947) and Chhamb (1965 & 1971) settled in Jammu & Kashmir

Hon'ble Prime Minister announced a rehabilitation package of Rs. 2000 crore under the PMDP Package (2015) for Jammu & Kashmir for the rehabilitation of 36,384 Displaced Families of Pakistan Occupied Jammu & Kashmir (PoJK-1947) and Chhamb area (1965 & 1971) in order to enable these families to run small business or to undertake scientific farming, livestock or other land-based activities, which can provide the displaced families some assured and sustained earning.

Under the scheme, one-time financial assistance of Rs. 5.5 lakh (Rs. 5,49,692/- Central share and Rs. 308 State share) is provided to the displaced families through DBT mode using PFMS module. The Government of UT of J&K collects the relevant details of eligible beneficiaries, authenticates them and uploads the details in the PFMS module for subsequent disbursement by MHA.

Since inception of the scheme (2016), this Ministry has disbursed a total amount of Rs.1534.52 Cr. to 35,552 beneficiaries up to 26.11.2025. Further, approval of the Cabinet was obtained on 09/10/2019 for including those families of PoJK who had initially moved out of Jammu & Kashmir, but later on returned and settled in the State, in the scheme of financial assistance.

The said scheme was further extended to 31.03.2026 with approval of the competent authority of this Ministry within the approved outlay Rs.2,000 cr.