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**INDEPENDENCE DAY, 2025**

No. 11019/12/2024 - PMA

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

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Room No.14, North Block, New Delhi

Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2025

To

- i. The Chief Secretaries of all the States/UTs [Assam, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Manipur, Odisha, Uttarakhand, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, Delhi, Jammu & Kashmir, Lakshadweep].
- ii. The Home Secretaries of all the States/UTs [Assam, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Manipur, Odisha, Uttarakhand, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, Delhi, Jammu & Kashmir, Lakshadweep].
- iii. DsGP/Head of Police Force of all the States/UTs [Assam, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Manipur, Odisha, Uttarakhand, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, Delhi, Jammu & Kashmir, Lakshadweep].
- iv. Directors –NCRB
- v. DsG –NHRC/Fire Service/ HG & CD
- vi. Secretary, Commission for SCs/STs, LNB, Khan Market, New Delhi
- vii. The Secretary, Lok Sabha /Rajya Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi
- viii. All Ministries/Departments of Government of India (except M/o Defence )

**Sub: Recommendation for the award of President's Medal for Distinguished Service (PSM) and Medal for Meritorious Service (MSM) in respect of personnel of Police, Fire, Home Guard & Civil Defence and Correctional Services on the occasion of Independence Day- 2025- Extension of date- reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 by which recommendation for the awards of President's Medal for Distinguished Service (PSM) and Medal for Meritorious Service (MSM) for the occasion of Independence Day- 2025 have been called for with request to submit online nomination/ recommendation by 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2025. Thereafter, the date of online submission of nomination/ recommendation for Service Medal was extended till 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2025 vide this Ministry's letter of even number dated 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2025. However, various States/UTs/CAPFs/CPOs/Organizations are requesting for extension of last date for submission of nomination due to various reasons.

2. Keeping in view of above, it has been decided with the approval of the competent authority to again extend the last date for submission of online nomination/ recommendation for the awards of PSM/ MSM to this Ministry for the occasion of Independence Day- 2025 **till 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2025**. This may be noted that thereafter no request for further extension of date will be entertained.

Yours faithfully,



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