



ASSOCIATION FOR THE WELFARE OF RETIRED PERSONS (Regd.)
(A National Body of the Retired Civilian Employees of the Federal Government)

No. CRC/A/2019

dated: 22 May, 2019

Subject: ACTIVITIES OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF AWRP

Dear Member,

It will be satisfying for you that Executive Committee, overwhelmingly elected by you, is making all-around efforts for the welfare of the pensioners as will be vouched by some of the following important steps taken during the past four months.

1. Meeting with MOS for Parliamentary Affairs:

A delegation of AWRP, headed by Mr. Manzur Hussain, President, had a meeting with Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs on March 15, 2019 in his office to discuss various problems faced by the retirees such as de-freezing of medical allowance, annual increase in pension keeping in view price spiral in every day's commodities, enhancement of family pension from 75% to 100%, special additional pension, grant in aid for AWRP, ICT Senior Citizen Bill etc. Minister was very receptive and gave patient hearing to the submissions of the AWRP. He wrote a letter to then then Finance Minister Mr. Asad Umar, enclosing therewith proposals of AWRP (copy enclosed) and also requesting therein to accord an audience to AWRP delegation and he intended to accompany the delegation. We are vigorously pursuing the matter with the concerned authorities.

2. Payment of Group Insurance to the retirees of Federal Govt:

The matter is presently sub-judice in the Islamabad High Court and due to keen interest of present Executive Committee the early hearing of case has been approved and case has been fixed for hearing on 17th June 2019 before the single bench of Mr. Justice Aamer Farooq, Islamabad High Court. Prima-facie our case is strong.

3. Increase in amount of Common Benefits provided by FEB&GIF:

The Establishment Division and Federal Employee Benevolent & Group Insurance Fund (FEB&GIF) were approached to increase the amount of marriage and other grants to retired/serving employees. In response they have intimated that increase of amount on account of marriage and some other grants is under consideration and will be evaluated by recently appointed 'Actuary' who has started the work. Further action will be taken in the light of recommendations of the afore said Actuary. The Association is seized with the matter.

4. Celebration of Pensioners Day:

The Cabinet Division was approached by the EC to earmark one day in a year as "Pensioners Day" to bring this marginalized community in the mainstream and create awareness about their various problems among people and govt. agencies. That Division has forwarded our request favourably to the Ministry of Finance who too have no objection to it. Shortly necessary orders/notification will be issued in this respect. This, in fact, is a big achievement and would help advance the cause of welfare of retirees.

5. Panel arrangements for discount on medical facilities to AWRP Members:

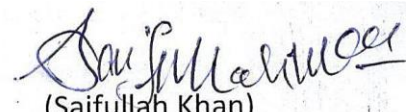
The Executive Committee approached two new hospitals namely Shafi Medical Complex (SMC) Rawalpindi and Pakistan Air Force (PAF) Hospital, Islamabad for provision of discounted medical facilities to our members. They have agreed to our request. These hospitals have been added to the list of other hospitals giving discount to AWRP members (copy enclosed).

6. Rebate from Shifa International Hospital:

Some members brought to the notice of EC that Shifa International Hospital Islamabad is not providing enough rebate to the AWRP. The EC decided that a delegation of EC headed by its President Mr. Manzur Hussain would hold a meeting with the authorities of Hospital to resolve the issue. Accordingly, the delegation called on Dr. Manzoor H. Qazi, CEO of Shifa International Hospital Islamabad on May 4, 2019. The meeting was held in a very cordial atmosphere and they were quite accommodating. We are expecting a favorable outcome about which you will be informed in due course.

The above are some of the activities of EC which we deem fit to share with you. We will keep you abreast of our endeavors made towards the achievement of goals of the Association. In the end we look towards your support and best wishes to strengthen our resolve.

Thanks and regards.


(Saifullah Khan)
Joint Secretary



Minister of State for
Parliamentary Affairs &
Incharge Prime Minister's Public
Affairs & Grievances Wing,
Government of Pakistan,
Islamabad.

**Engr. Ali Muhammad Khan,
Advocate**

D.O.No.1(2)/2019-PA(M).
Islamabad, the 15th March, 2019.

Dear Brother Asad Umer Saheb,

I hope that you will be in good health. It was to bring into your kind notice that the worthy retired officers of the Federal Government who are in contact with me and I had the good fortune of attending one of the very good functions of the retired officers under the banner of Association for the Welfare of Retired Persons. They have made this Association to take care different issues relating to retired pensioners who are now senior citizens. They have given the best part of their lives to their motherland Pakistan. It is now their right that they should be taken good care of. They have come up with some suggestions and demands with respect to their pensions, health, post retirement benefits and supports. I am sending their demands and suggestions annexed with this letter and I request that their demands be given a patient and human hearing and a sign of approval. It would be for their benefit and for the *raza* of ALLAH. They also request for meeting with your good-self so that their issues may be heard and be included in the next Budget 2019-20. If any time is demarcated I will also Insha-Allah accompany them, who have served the Government of Pakistan and we will try our very level best to take care of these retired officers who are still an asset post retirement for Pakistan.

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LIST OF HOSPITALS /LABORATORIES /DENTAL CLINICS ON THE PANEL OF AWRP

S. No	HOSPITAL /LAB	DISCOUNT RATE	FOCAL PERSON
1.	Shifa International Hospital Sector H-8/4, Islamabad.	5% to 15% At different services	Mr. Muhammad Aslam, General Manager, Tele: 051-4863191 & 051-8463069
2.	Maroof International Hospital, 10 th Avenue, F-10 Markaz, Islamabad.	10% to 25% At different services	Malik Zeeshan Ali, Senior Manager Marketing, Tele: 051-2222920-50
3.	Kulsum International Hospital Blue Area, Islamabad.	10% to 15% At different services	Mr. Sikandar Zaman Tele: 051-8446666
4.	My Clinic Hospital Plot No. 1155, Rj's Avenue, Sector O-9, NPF, Main PWD Road, Islamabad.	7% to 40% At different services	Syed Arshad Hussain Manager Admin & Operation Tele: 051-5194571-73
5.	Islamabad Diagnostic Centre,	8% to 20% At different services	Col. ® M. Siddique, Director (Operation), Tele: 051-2263737 & 051-2263939
6.	Biopath Clinical Labs 1st floor, 96-W, Khyber Plaza, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Blue Area Islamabad.	30% At different services	Dr. Umar Farooq Khan Barki Tele: 2347314-15
7.	Nayab Labs 6 -Pak Pavilion plaza, 65-E Fazl-e-Haq Road, Blue Area Islamabad	25% to 30% At different services	Mr. Amir Raza Manager Lab, Nayab Labs & Diagnostic Centre, Tele: 051-2348373, 2348375
8.	Fatima Labs Royal Centre, Blue Area, Islamabad.	30% to 40% At different services	Mr. Rehan Mustafa Marketing Manager, 051-5194571
9.	Accurate Labs Opp, ate No. 1-2, Holy Family Hospital, Sattelite Town, Rawalpindi.	40% At different services	Mr. Asif Khan Managing Director, Tele: 051-4942241
10.	Dental and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinic House No. 4, Street No. 13, Sector F-8/3, ISLAMABAD	20% At different services	Dr. Prof. Anser Maxood, Tele: 051-2851122
11.	Perfect Smile Dental Clinic, United Plaza, 1st Floor, Shop #1, Behind Prince Bakers, G-9 Markaz, ISB	30% At different services	Dr. Muhammad Qasim, Tele: 051-2285077
12.	Islamabad Dental Clinic F-10 Markaz, Islamabad.	25% At all	Dr. M. Naeem Akhtar Tele: 051-2111101

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13.	Western Dental Clinic Near Silk Bank, I-8 Markaz, Islamabad	35% At different services	Dr. Arshad Hameed Tele: 4442666,4100001,4100002
14.	Orthopedic Clinic Saleem Plaza Blue Area, Islamabad	25% At different services	Dr. Altaf Hussain Shah Tele: 051-2274009
15.	Skin,Hair and Nail Clinic Saleem Plaza Blue Area, Islamabad	25% At different services	Dr. Muhammad Mobeen Khan Tele: 051-2274009
16.	Islamabad Heart Clinic City Plaza Near Caltex Petrol Pump, Main Road, F-10 Markaz Islamabad.	25% At different services	Dr. Shahbaz A Kureshi Tele: 051-2101777
17.	Shafi Medical Complex Shafi Medical Complex, Rawalpindi.	30% At different services	Dr. Farrukh Shehzad 0333-0303415/0333-8920963
18.	PAF Hospital E-9 Islamabad.	30% to 40% At different services	Mr. Tariq Nazir Tel:051-9564013/ 03335212110