

RAKSHA MANTRI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES REVISED**VIDE KSB LETTER No. 2 (2)/Policy/KSB/A DATED 28-11-2014**

The enhanced financial assistance to be provided to needy Ex-servicemen, widows and their wards from Raksh Mantri's Discretionary Fund for various purposes are as indicated below. Revised rates are applicable w.e.f 01-10-2011. The application should be submitted online through the individual's profile.

S.No	GRANTS	Amount (In Rs.)	Remarks
1	Penury Grant (65 Years)(Non-pensioners up to Hav Rank)	4,000 PM	For Life Time
2	Education Grant : Scholarship to up to max. of two dependent children of Ex-servicemen of their widows up to the rank of Hav in the Army and equivalent in the Navy and Airforce.	1,000 pm	Irrespective of Gender upto Graduation and also for widows to purse Post Graduation Degree
3	Officer Cadet Grant Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank	1,000 pm	Applicable to NDA Cadets only
4	Disabled children grant(Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank)	1000 pm	No financial assistance from other sources.
5	House Repair grant(Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 100% Disabled ESM• Orphan Daughter (For all ranks)	20,000	No change
6	Marriage Grant(Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank) (for 2 daughters) Widow Re-Marriage Grant (Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank)	50,000	
7	Funeral Grant(Pensioner/Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank)	5,000	
8	Medical Grant (Non-pensioner upto Hav Rank)	30,000	
9	Orphan Grant(Pensioner/Non-pensioner All ranks) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daughters of Ex-servicemen till she is married• One son of ex-servicemen up to 21 years of age	1000 pm	
10	Vocational Trg Grant for Widows (Pensioner /Non-pensioner up to Hav Rank)	20,000 (One time)	Certificate from ZSB that the widow having undergone vocational training is gainfully employed.
11	Serious disease grant (up to the rank of Hav.	1.25 lakh per year cancer / dialysis subject to max. of ₹75000 per annum.	
12	Financial assistance for mobility equipments for disabled ex-servicemen 50% or more	Max. ₹57,500	
13	AFFDF - Financial assistance for producing Too Kits by technically qualified ESM	8,000	This scheme will be terminated and removed from website of KSB w.e.f. 31 Dec. 2017
14.	AFFDF - Interest Subsidy on Home Loan to ESM	1 Lakh	