



Welfare for Indian Seamen Everywhere

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Scheme for Monetary Assistance to ELDERED Seamen.

This particular scheme is meant for any **'Eldered Seamen'** a person having/holding an Indian CDC (Continuous Discharge Certificate) worked on ships of one or more than one Indian company or companies during his service life (Registered or Unregistered) retired after attainment of the age of superannuation and at present above 70 (Seventy) years old as on 01.04.2016. The particular scheme is valid for 2016-17, will be reviewed in subsequent years based on the availability of fund by the Board of Trustees, which will be notified in due course.

Mission and vision of this scheme:

The mission of the scheme is to provide a least possible financial support to the destitute eldered **'Seamen'**, spending/leading their life alone or with his spouse deserted by the other family members or by their siblings and are unable to spend their life owing to not having any proper source of income.

The vision of the scheme is to mobilize the retired seamen at the fag end of their life i.e., decaying age; under one umbrella and give them a free space or a passage to meet together off and on at least once in a year, so that these people could feel themselves pleasant and a joyful life.

People who would come under the purview of this scheme:

1. Seamen, worked on ships of one or more than one Indian company or companies during his service life (Registered or Unregistered) retired after attainment of the age of superannuation or otherwise and have to be registered beneficiary of NMB Trust of Kolkata.
2. Any retired seaman fulfilled the above point number one and who is above seventy years old and destitute spending/leading their life alone or with his spouse deserted by the other family members or by their siblings and are unable to spend their life owing to not having any proper source of income or found living Below Poverty Line.

Criteria to get the benefit under this scheme:

- 1) The CDC of any Retired & eldered Seamen fulfilling the above particulars would prove his

present age (Self attested photocopy of CDC should be submitted in the office).

- 2) A certificate from authorized representative i.e., local Village Panchayat Pradhan or Councilor or Commissioner stating his present economical position with applicant's passport size photograph dully attested in original.
- 3) In case the person belongs to BPL, then the (Self attested) photocopy of BPL Ration Card is required.
- 5) An application in prescribed format of WISE along with above documents to be submitted in the office of the Trust.

The actual Benefit

The particular scheme could be able to provide a stipulated amount in rupees on yearly basis in accordance to the availability of disposable fund for the purpose in the Account of the Trust. The particular scheme initially could provide **Rs.3000/- (Three thousand only)** per year to 200 elderer Seamen each claimant subject to fulfillment of the stated criteria. This is a token supplement. The scheme would be able to enhance the amount in future subject availability of fund.

Note:

(a) The payment will be delivered to any applicant/claimant under this particular scheme, subject to submission of proper documents as per the requirement by the office of the Trust. And after verification from NMB Rehabilitation & Welfare Trust, Kolkata.

(b) The scheme is subject to change or may be modified as and when required from time to time and the effectiveness of this scheme will be the prerogative of the Board of Trustees. The renewal of effectiveness of this scheme is after the expiry of effectiveness of this scheme, if required along with necessary modifications.

(c) Apart from the above the Board of Trustee is the sole authority regarding sanction of any payment under this scheme. Therefore, all rights regarding sanction and delivery of payment under this scheme to any claimant reserved to the Trust-WISE.