

Issue of CGHS Cards to AI retirees with lifetime validity

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Dear Sirs

The retirees of Air India at the time of retirement paid a lump sum one time amount as per Air India rules towards lifetime IPD and OPD medical facilities for self, spouse and physically/ mentally challenged child.

After having paid the one time subscription amount, there had never been an issue of discontinuation of medical facilities to any retiree.

In the present format ,facilities of OPD medicines and referrals provided by CGHS are renewed every year subject to receipt of annual subscription by AIAHL to CGHS. There are many instances where the validity of CGHS Cards is not renewed, in time, in spite of the fact that payments are made by AIAHL to CGHS. It requires a lot of administrative avoidable work in updating the validity in the records every year besides unnecessary accounting reconciliation by CGHS and cost associated in providing/ downloading or printing of cards every year.

The eligible retiring employee post disinvestment i.e. January 2022 is paying a one time subscription. It will be too proper that they can be asked on voluntarily basis to pay one time subscription (if at variance with what is at present) so as to entitle them to receive lifetime CGHS card in the beginning itself

It is requested to get the above matter perused to issue lifetime CGHS Cards to AI retirees Thanking you, Yours Sincerely



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