Central Organisation ECHS
Adjutant General's Branch
Integrated Headquarters of
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15 May 2019

B/49711-NewSmartCard/AG/ECHS

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All Regional Centres

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PROVISION FOR APPLYING FOR WHITE CARD IN ONLINE SMART CARD
APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL SANCTION DISABILITY CASES &
ISSUE OF OFFLINE TEMPORARY SLIP

1. Ref:-
   (b) B/49701-PR/AG/ECHS/2018 dated 26 Sep 2018.

2. Disabled Dependents who are covered under Persons with Disability (PWD)
   Act 2016 are being provided with ECHS membership and a ‘White ECHS Smart Card’ is
   issued as per eligibility.

3. There have been cases where the dependents of ESM are suffering from
   disabilities of critical nature but are not covered under the PWD Act 2016. These cases
   are considered as Special cases and sanction for the same is being granted from the
   Ministry of Defence (MoD) based on merit of individual cases. In such cases, the ESM is
   required to apply for special sanction to Central Organisation ECHS who after
   considering on the genuineness and the facts of the case, take up the case with the
   MoD. Thereafter, if the case is found genuine at MoD, a special sanction is granted by
   the MoD.

4. Thereafter, the ESM will be required to apply for the White Card in the online
   application, where he is required to select disability as ‘Special Sanction Case’ and is
   required to upload the sanction letter issued by MoD. After the verification of the online
   application by the concerned Record Office of the ESM, the online application for Special
   Sanction Case of the dependent will be approved by Central Org ECHS
   (Dir[Ops & Coord]). The White Card for the dependent will be printed only after
   successful verification of the Record Office and Dir (Ops & Coord), CO, ECHS. The
   validity of the white card will be approved by Dir (Ops & Coord), CO ECHS as approved
   in the special sanction by GOI.
5. The ESM/Primary beneficiary will be able to download online Temporary Slip after the verification is completed. The Temporary Slip will only get activated once it is countersigned by the OIC of the Parent Polyclinic. This activated Temporary Slip will have to be surrendered by the ESM/Primary beneficiary at the time of collection of 64 Kb ECHS white card.

6. The provisions for applying for special sanction cases in online application will be done in due course of time. In the interim, all such cases where Special Sanction has already been issued by the MoD, the ESM will be issued with Offline Temporary Slip from the respective ECHS Regional Centre from where individual has already applied for 64 Kb ECHS Card. The Temporary Slip will be issued only after verification of the Sanction letter of MoD. The Offline Temporary Slip will be marked with RED INK on top as SPECIAL SANCTION CASE FOR WHITE CARD for easy identification at ECHS Polyclinics.

7. The above information be disseminated to all Stn HQs and ECHS Polyclinics.

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K7/35, DLF Phase II
Gurgaon, Haryana-122002

It is requested that necessary changes be done in the online application as per Para 4 above.

Internal:

All Sections