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"I THINK GOALS SHOULD NEVER BE EASY, THEY SHOULD FORCE YOU TO WORK, EVEN IF THEY ARE UNCOMFORTABLE AT THE TIME." – MICHAEL PHELPS



## Video Conferencing Review Meeting of Prime Minister with the Governors.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi held a virtual review meeting on the Coronavirus pandemic with all the Governors of the states and UTs on 14 April 2021. Later Hon'ble Prime Minister held meeting on 23rd April 2021 with chief ministers of 10 most COVID-19 affected states. For these two high profile virtual meetings, NIC CG State Centre has made all necessary arrangements of high quality Video Conferencing and ensured uninterrupted service.

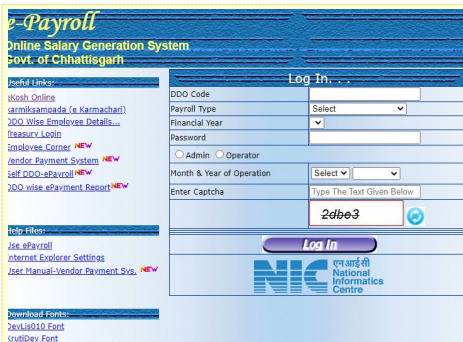


**Video Conferencing of Hon'ble Prime Minister with all the Governors of the states and UTs on 14 April 2021.**



**Video Conferencing of Hon'ble Prime Minister with CM of 10 most COVID-19 affected states on 23 April 2021.**

## Highlight E-kosh project—Office closed in lockdown, yet employees got salary on time



With a view to ensuring smooth functioning of the Treasury application (E-Kosh), NIC has provided work from home facility to treasury employees. With the help of this facility more than 3,50,000 state government pay bills could be processed in time and salary of each and every employee of the CG Government was transferred to their respective bank accounts right on 1st May 2021 much to the appreciation of the Government and the employees. As per the instructions of the Fi-

nance Department, a new option of voluntary contribution was added to the e-payroll module and a provision was made to deposit the said amount in the Chief Minister's Relief Fund under the Cyber Treasury module. The drawing and disbursing and treasury Officer were immediately informed for the new option in e-payroll and cyber treasury module. Thus far, more than Rs 222 Cr has been collected in the Chief Minister's Relief Fund due to the new option.

## Baloda Bazar : NIC District Centre aids in Inauguration of COVID Hospital by CM

Newly constructed Covid Hospital at District Headquarters, Balodabazar was inaugurated by Honorable Chief Minister, Shri Bhupesh Baghel from his residence office in Raipur on 07<sup>th</sup> May 2021 through NIC's video conferencing system. In this program many dignitaries like Mr. Sunil Soni, Lok Sabha MP, Mr. Guharam Ajgal, Rajya Sabha MP, Mrs. Chhaya Verma, Parliamentary Secretary, MLAs and heads of many departments participated. Mr. Amitabh Jain, Chief Secretary; Mr. Alok

Shukla, Principal Secretary Health and Family Welfare; Mr. Subrata Sahu, Principal Secretary; Mr. D.D. Singh, Secretary GAD; Mr. Sunil Jain, Collector and host of other officers were present on the other side at the venue. The collector has appreciated Mr. Satyanarayan Pradhan, DIO and his team for extending technical support and setting up of the Video conferencing system with high-speed internet in the Covid Hospital, Balodabazar.



## Publication of 10th Board Results –2021of Chhattisgarh Board of Secondary Education (CGBSE)

Dr.Prem Sai Singh Tekam, Honourable Minister (Education), Chhattisgarh clicked to publish the 10th Board examination result on 19th May at 11 am. Dignitaries present on the occasion include Dr.Alok Shukla, IAS, Chair-man, Chhattisgarh Board of Secondary Education (CGBSE), Prof. V. K. Goyal, Secretary, CGBSE, Raipur and officials of NIC. Within 6 hours 1.9 Cr+ hits have been received. Maximum 2673 requests have been received per second. For result publication the Network Load Balancing (NLB) and Nginx Cluster architecture was setup. No delay was reported from anywhere. In



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VIDIA (Vidyalaya Information through Digi-tally Integrated Application) portal, school wise results have been provided in school login. Various combinations of application and database technologies have been used to provide uninterrupted output for students, parents and schools. Virtualization has been used in State Mini Cloud Setup at NIC CGSU to maximize resource utilization and management. Open source technologies used are: MariaDB -Database Server, CentOS - Operating System (OS), Nginx -Load Balancer.



## E-Gov Product

## AABHAR The Digital integrated pension system—"आभार-आपकी सेवाओं का"

The Vision of the Department of Finance, Government of Chhattisgarh is to ensure timely payment of well earned pension benefits to pensioners. The goal is to ensure payment of all retirement dues and delivery of Pension Payment Order (PPO) to retiring employees on the day of retirement itself. Towards this goal, the department has implemented an online application called 'AABHAR' since July 2018. It has been named AABHAR as a mark of the State Government's gratitude to its retired employees for a lifetime of service. This web enabled pension portal is fully integrated end to end process-based solution facilitating hundred percent digital workflow without any physical file movement. Accordingly, necessary amendments in rules and procedures have been done by the Finance department and re-engineering of various processes has been done. The system seamlessly integrates a wide array of innovative technologies - the web, SMS, Mobile Apps, Digital Signature, SFTP, XML. The mobile app has been developed to improve the quality, transparency and offering timely services to the pensioners. Pensioners can share their opinions / suggestions for improvement and post their grievances regarding pension related issues through the "Pension Grievance Redressal System".

<https://cg pension.nic.in>

संचालनलय कोष सेवा एवं पेंशन, वित्त विभाग, छत्तीसगढ़ शासन

**आभार**  
आपकी सेवाओं का

CG Online Pension Management System

मुख्य पृष्ठ | हमारे बारे में | कीमती | बैंक की सेवा | सामान्य प्रश्नोत्तर | मुख्य प्रदर्शन संकेतक | गैलरी | संपर्क करें

**सामान्य सूचना**

- ई-पीपीओ
- पेंशन की बेबी
- सेवानिवृत्ति लाभ
- पेंशन निषेध
- पेंशन प्रक्रिया मानचित्र
- पेंशन हेतु अधिकृत बैंकों की सूची
- संगठन संरचना

**परिपत्र / प्रारूप**

- बजट नीति
- पेंशन संबंधित परिपत्र
- राष्ट्रिय दर
- पेंशन प्रारूप
- पेंशन कल्याण योजना

**महत्वपूर्ण लिंक**

- ऑनलाइन जीवन प्रमाण पत्र प्राप्त करें
- वित्त विभाग
- संचालनलय कोष सेवा एवं पेंशन
- सेंट्रल गवर्नमेंट पेंशन पोर्टल

**पेंशनर लॉग इन कॉन्सिडर सुविधाएं**

- पेंशन सम्बन्धित शिकायतें
- मासिक विवरण
- पेंशन प्रकरण की स्थिति
- पेंशनर कार्ड ऑनलाइन करने
- ऑनलाइन जीवन प्रमाण पत्र प्राप्त करें

**पेंशन कैलकुलेटर**

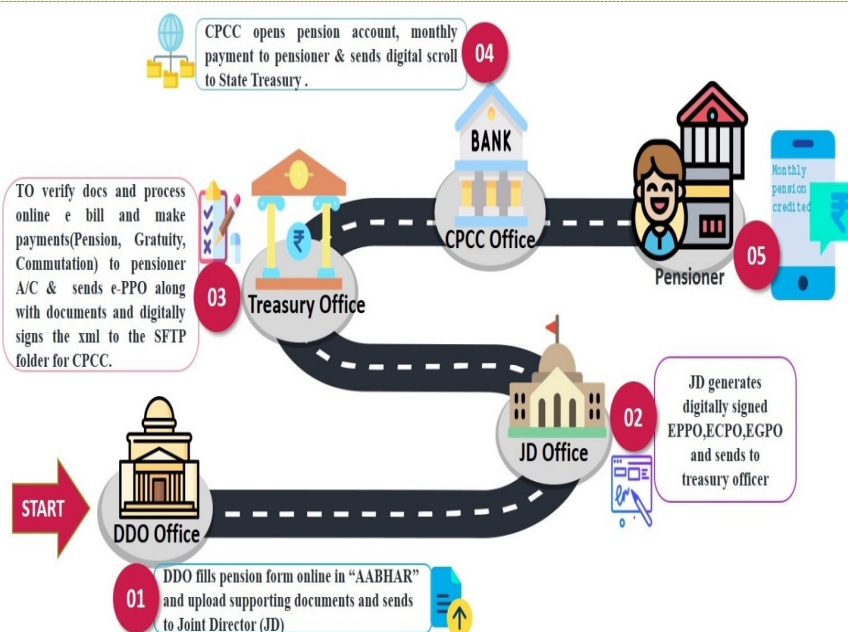
**नया क्या है?**

ई-कोष लाइट एप

ई-कोष लाइट एप में उपलब्ध पेंशनर कॉन्सिडर के माध्यम से पेंशनरों को सुविधा प्रदान किया गया है जिसमें पेंशनर प्रोवाइडर की जानकारी प्राप्त कर सकते हैं, पेंशन प्रकरण की स्थिति की जानकारी प्राप्त कर सकते हैं, सुनिश्चित कर सकते हैं कि पेंशन प्रकरण प्रारम्भ हुआ है या नहीं, मासिक पेंशन शुरू होने पर माहवार विवरण की भी जानकारी प्राप्त कर सकते हैं, पीपीओ जीपीओ पेंशनर आईडी कार्ड बैंक कावरेज पत्र को अवलोकन के साथ ही स्वामीय डिवाइस पर संग्रहीत कर सकते हैं, एवं ऑनलाइन जीवन प्रमाण पत्र प्राप्त कर सकते हैं।

**Under the concept of good governance, this system has empowered the pensioners with the following facilities which were not available to them earlier.**

- Dedicated website and mobile app for pensioners which contain all general information including
- Pension related rules
- Circulars
- Forms Historic and updated Dearness Relief rate
- Pension calculator
- Link for Digital Life Certificate
- Digitally signed Pensioner identity card
- PDF copy of e-PPO, e-GPO, e-CPO, Covering Letter.
- Real time tracker
- Monthly pension slip
- Grievance can be filed to DTAP for redressal within 15 days.
- SMS alert to pensioners at every level.
- No more physical verification of pensioner at treasury office, hence saving time and effort



## TechNica

## Robotic Process Automation or RPA ?



The Robotic Process Automation (RPA) is a applications. Combination of RPA with software technology that makes it easy to other emerging technologies i.e. RPA + AI build, deploy and manage software robots technology makes it possible for the development of virtual agents (not bots+), rules based business processes. RPA bots can interact with any application or system the same way as people do. But software robots can do it much faster with 100% reliability and precision. RPA bridges the gap between manual interaction and full automation. The main goal of Robotics process automation is to replace repetitive and boring clerical task performed by humans, with a virtual workforce. RPA automation does not require the development of code nor does it require direct access to the code or database of the intent.





## Spotlight

## The Great Indian Women Award (GIWA) 2021 to Dr. Neeta Verma, DG, NIC

Dr. Neeta Verma has been selected for the The Great Indian Women Awards 2021 in the Category of Impact Making Indian Woman Leader. Celebrating the UN International Women's Day 2021, GIWA Awards are presented to exceptional women selected by the eminent jury of GIWA for making substantial contributions in their respective fields. The selection for the award was done after a detailed assessment and selection process involving leading women from different parts of the world. GIWA Awardees this year come from various countries like US, UK, South Africa, Kenya, Mauritius, Trinidad, Guyana, Fiji, UAE, Thailand etc. These women are those who made remarkable contributions in the field of science, IT, law, business, journalism, social work, arts and culture. The official Award Ceremony shall be physically held in April 2021.



## The Great Indian Women Award (GIWA) 2021 to Dr. Neeta Verma, DG, NIC



REVA Academy for Corporate Excellence, REVA University has selected Dr. Neeta Verma, Director General, NIC, for 'Top 10 Women Tech Leaders India Awards 2021'. Dr. Verma is selected for this esteemed award due to her relentless efforts and initiatives for a digital India that benefitted millions of people during the pandemic times.

Dr. Verma was also felicitated with 'Top 10 Women Tech Leaders India Awards 2021' for leading technology initiatives, at a virtual award ceremony organised by REVA Academy for Corporate Excellence, REVA University, Bengaluru. Dr. Verma has been instrumental in implementing largescale challenging digital initiatives of the government throughout the country. With a career spanning over three and a half decades, she brings extensive experience and has led the launch of Open Data Platform to release government data open for the public good.



## Resonance

## Work From AnyWhere Portal (WAW Portal)

With the spread of corona virus pandemic, we all experienced scenarios that were never seen or experienced before. In such a scenario, it became imperative for National Informatics Centre (NIC) to introduce digital means of working to ensure employee safety via social distancing and business continuity. In this regard, NIC has come up with **WAW (Work from Anywhere) Portal** that will ease and enhance accessibility of key applications to the Government employees.



The virtual work environment, provisioned by WAW portal, shall empower employees with all the key resources that will enable them to access organizations' applications and data and communicate with fellow officials. With the following objectives to achieve, WAW portal shall enable quick transition to remote workplace environment, while maintaining secured access to departmental applications.

- Flexible and Responsive Digital Workplace via smooth transition to Work from Home from Work from Office culture, by providing a realistic imitation of an office to an official.
- Business and Service Continuity by facilitating unhindered work, unfettered and secured access to the departmental applications run-ning in the organization, to the Government officials.
- Confidentiality and Security via securing remote working arrangements through SSO.



- Near Real-time information through access to Notices and Circulars published, Media Gallery and Social Media feeds etc.
- Employee productivity via provisions of collaboration tools like, Calendar, eMail, eOffice, Tasks, To-Do List, Notes, KMS etc.

## Focus

## Transfer/Posting/superannuation : FAREWELL TO SHRI E.S.V. RAMAM, TECHNICAL DIRECTOR



**Sh. E.S.V. Ramam,**  
Technical Director

Shri E.S.V. Ramam, Technical Director has superannuated on 30th April 2021 after rendering thirty one years of valuable service in NIC. A warm farewell was given on the occasion through videoconference. Shri Sanjay Kapoor, DDG & State Coordinator joined from NIC Hqrs, New Delhi and wished him happy retired life. Earlier Dr. Neeta Verma, DG, NIC and Shri Manoj Kumar Mishra, DDG and former SIO of Chhattisgarh, had wished him peaceful long happy life with family members. The highlight of the function was virtual handing over of

PPO on the day of retirement itself. A citation was also presented to Shri Ramam on the occasion. A video of memories with Shri Ramam was presented covering his journey from childhood till date. All the officers of NIC Chhattisgarh shared their views and experience remembering their unforgettable relationship with Shri Ramam. Simplicity was one common trait everyone mentioned about him. Dr. A. K. Hota, DDG & SIO delivering his concluding remarks mentioned that Shri Ramam is a simple and pure hearted Officer who is loved by all

NICIans and users. He has wished him a happy and healthy retired life. It is pertinent to mention that Shri Ramam has served as District Informatics officer, Bastar for eighteen years, as Dy. general Manager NICSI for three years and finally as Head of the Department in NIC CG State Unit handling many Central, State level projects of repute. Prior to taking over as DIO, Bastar, he had worked in NIC MP State Unit for six years. His amicable nature, honesty, dedication and warm heartedness would always be remembered.

## AppSpec

## DGMC Mobile App Challenge : Surguja District

Surguja district is located in the northern part of Chhattisgarh State of India. It shares with the borders of Uttar Pradesh, Jharkhand, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh states. Surguja is also divisional headquarters of Korea, Jashpur, Balrampur and Surajpur districts and has a number of tourism and historical places and is known for its tribal culture. Surguja tourism is still under development due to its remoteness and hence the information of tourist

locations, distance map, hotels and Government rest houses are not easily available. The mobile app 'Surguja tourism' developed by Shri Ziyaur Rahman, DIO under the guidance of Shri Sanjeev Kumar Jha, Collector will provide all this related information of the tourist destinations of the district. This app will be very helpful for the public to get reliable information from a single source.



**Surguja Tourism App launched by Collector Shri Sanjeev Kumar Jha in the presence of CEO Zila Panchayat Shri Vinay Kumar Langeh and DIO NIC Shri Ziyaur Rahman.**

## In Short

website <http://cmrf.cg.gov.in> for collecting online donations for the Chief Minister's relief fund

The Chhattisgarh Government has launched the website <http://cmrf.cg.gov.in> for collecting online donations for the Chief Minister's relief fund for providing financial support to the homeless and weaker sections affected due to the Corona outbreak. The online donations feature is powered by Serviceplus. The site facilitates the users to pay either through online net banking or UPI. During April'2021 donations worth ₹ 3,15,968 was collected through the portal and till date collections are ₹ 35,81,424.

## Awards &amp; Accolades

## CHHATTISGARH AWARDED SECOND PRIZE IN NATIONAL e PANCHAYAT AWARDS- 2021

The Government of India conferred the national second prize under e-Panchayat awards to Chhattisgarh for its superior performance in the use of ICT (Information & Communication Technology) in Panchayats in a virtual ceremony on Panchayati Raj Diwas on 24<sup>th</sup> Apr'2021.



**The National Panchayat Awards 2021 was conferred by Hon'ble PM Shri Narendra Modi in a virtual ceremony held in New Delhi on the occasion of National Panchayati Raj Day on 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2021.**



**Hon'ble Panchayat and Rural Development Minister receiving E Panchayat Award 2021 from Hon'ble Chief Minister Chhattisgarh.**