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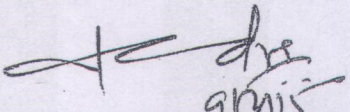
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The Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Financial Services, New Delhi has stated vide d.o. letter No.1/9/2014-FI dated 12.02.2015 that Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) was launched on 28.8.2014 by the Hon'ble Prime Minister with a mandate of covering all households with at least one bank account per household across the country by 26.1.2015.

With the dedicated and coordinated efforts of the State Governments and banks, the target of opening of accounts under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana has been achieved well before the target date of 26.1.2015. As on 31.1.2015, 12.54 crore accounts have been opened out of which 7.50 crore accounts are in rural areas and 5.04 crore in urban areas. Deposit of Rs.10499.62 crore has been mobilised. 11.07 crore RuPay Debit cards have been issued so far and the progress is being constantly monitored. Out of 21.05 crore households surveyed, 99.98% households have been covered. The efforts made in opening most accounts in a week as a part of financial inclusion campaign under PMJDY from 23.8.2014 to 29.8.2014 has been recognized by Guinness Book of World Records.

The Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana, inter-alia, envisage issuance of a RuPay Debit Card to accounts opened under PMJDY with an inbuilt facility of an accidental insurance of Rs.1 lakh subject to eligibility. Wide publicity was given to these inbuilt benefits of PMJDY and now claims for settlement have started coming to banks. But still people are not fully aware that accidental death insurance benefit is available to all Rupay Card holders.

In order to facilitate settlement of claim under the accident insurance of Rs.1 lakh under RuPay Debit Card, the concerned Addl.CsP/DCsP of District are directed to communicate the concerned bank for any reported accident immediately so that banks can further take it forward for the settlement of the claim. A copy of FIR, Post Mortem Report and Viscera Report (if any) may be provided to the claimant/bank at the earliest for submission to Insurance Company.


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DY. COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
HEADQUARTERS, DELHI.

No. 367-492/Record Branch/PHQ Dated Delhi the 09/3/2015

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