

President to inaugurate Mega ADIP Camp by M/O SJ&E in Gwalior on 11th February, 2018

Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment

President to inaugurate Mega ADIP Camp by M/O SJ&E in Gwalior on 11th February, 2018

Posted On: 07 FEB 2018 1:18PM by PIB Delhi

The President of India Shri RamnathKovind will inaugurate the Mega ADIP Camp to be organized by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities ((Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment on 11th February, 2018 at the Jiwaji University campus, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh. The camp is being organized for distribution of aids and assistive devices to persons with disabilities and senior citizens under the Assistance to Disabled Persons for purchasing/fitting of aids/appliances (ADIP) and VayoshreeYojana of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment to 4086 identified beneficiaries based on the survey of beneficiaries done by Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India.

Smt. Anandi Ben Patel, Governor, Madhya Pradesh; Shri Kaptan Singh Solanki, Governor, Haryana; Shri ThawarchandGehlot, Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment; Shri Narendra Singh Tomar ,Union Minister Rural Development, Panchayati Raj & Mines; Shri Shivraj Singh Chauhan, Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh; Ministers of State for Social Justice and Empowerment Shri Krishan Pal Gurjar, Shri RamdasAthawale& Shri Vijay Sampla; Mrs. G Latha Krishna Rao, Secretary Department of Social Justice & Empowerment; and Mrs. Shakuntla D. Gamlin , Secretary Department of DEPwD will also grace the occasion.

ALIMCO an autonomous organisation under M/o Social Justice and Empowerment which conducts Camps every year across the country for distribution of Aids and Appliances to Persons with Disabilities and Children With Special Needs (CWSN) under the ADIP and ADIP-SSA (SarvaShikshaAbhiyan) schemes respectively. Amongst these, the camps where No. of beneficiaries are more than 1000 and the value of appliances is more than Rs. 1 crore, are called Mega Camps. The ministry has so far conducted 281 such mega camps in last 4 years. Two mega Camps had recently been conducted on 3rd& 4thFebruary, 2018 at Rampur and Gorakhpur (UP) respectively. The camp at Gwalior will be 282nd Mega camp.

'RashtriyaVayoshriYojna' was launched in December 2016 and the first distribution camp under the scheme was held at Nellore (A.P) on 1st April 2017, in which present Vice President of India, Shri M. Venkiah Naidu was present. During last one year, 19 such camps had been conducted by ALIMCO. The 20th Camp was organized at Gorakhpur on 4th Feb 2018. The camp at Gwalior will be the 21st camp under RashtriyaVayoshriYojna.

The summary of beneficiaries to be given aids and assisted devices in the proposed Mega Distribution Camp to be held on 11th February 2018 at Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh is as under

:-

The details of major appliances to be distributed in the camp are as under:-

Serial No.	Scheme	No. of Beneficiaries	No. of Appliances	Value of Appliances (Rs. in Lakh)
1	ADIP	2436	4474	225.40
2	RVY	1835	3634	063.32
TOTAL		4271	8108	288.72

ADIP Scheme		RVY Scheme		Remarks
Appliances	Quantity	Appliances	Quantity	
Motorized Tricycle *	119	Walking Sticks	1089	* Rs. 12000/- per MTC provided by MP of Gwalior from MPLAD Fund
Tricycle Conventional	762	Wheel chair	250	
Wheel chair	277	Hearing Aid	773	
Crutches	1236	Crutches	14	
Walking sticks	327	Tripod	417	
Brail cane	34	Tetrapod	197	
Brail kit	36	Walker Foldable	03	
Brail slate	19	Denture Complete	45	
Hearing Aid	742	Denture Partial	40	
Rolator	38	Spectacles	806	
Smart cane	127			
Smart phone	50			
ADL Kit	26			
Cell phone	26			
Daisy player	30			
MSIED Kit	268			
Callipers	324			

Gwalior district of Madhya Pradesh has taken an initiative to become the first 'DivyangMitra(Disabled Friend)' district of the country. The objective is to facilitate Divyangjan of the district with their needs of Day-to-day living and generate other avenues for their Socio-economic development. These include Barrier free movement, Aid and Appliances needed for various kind of disabilities, vocational training for self-employment, Access to easy loans for entrepreneurship and organizing job fair for employment.

With a view to maximise intended benefits to Divyangjan, AAPC- Jabalpur unit of ALIMCO was ordered to conduct assessment camps immediately. Accordingly these camps were conducted with full support from District administration, Gwalior and Indian Red Cross Society, States of Haryana & Madhya Pradesh. The Assessment camps were conducted up to Block level at 11 locations in Gwalior district during the period 12th December, 2017 to 25th January, 2018 in which a total of 2436 beneficiaries (PwD) have been registered .

Concurrently Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment had also issued a revised list of 112 districts in the country where camps were to be organised under Rashtriya Yashri Yojna (RVY) of the government for providing assisted living devices to Senior citizens belonging to BPL category. Gwalior district of Madhya Pradesh was also one of districts in the above list. On special approval from ministry, Assessment camps for senior citizens were also conducted at 8 locations in Gwalior district from 23th to 28th January, 2018 by deputing four teams of AAPC- Jabalpur unit of ALIMCO. A total Number of 1835 beneficiaries have been identified in these camps.

Sanjay Kumar/jk/SJ&E/ 07.02.2018

(Release ID: 1519435) Visitor Counter : 0

END

Downloaded from **crackIAS.com**

© **Zuccess App** by crackIAS.com