MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(NFC CELL)

Subject: Complete list of the awardees of "President's Police and Fire Services Medal" and "Police Medal" relating to Fire Services personnel.

Reference DGCD (Fire Cell) note No. VI. 11092/1/82-DGCD(F) dated 12/4/1984 on the above noted subject.

A list containing the names of the awardees of "President's Police and Fire Services Medal" and "Police Medal" pertaining to Fire Services personnel from Republic Day 1970 to Republic Day 1975 is sent herewith. The records containing the information prior to 1976 is not readily available.

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OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 23RD AUGUST, 1975

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1975.

No. 98 -Pres/75. The President is pleased on the occasion of the
Independence Day 1975, to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry
to the undermentioned officers:-

Names and ranks of the officers

Shri S. Singhajit Singh,
Station Officer,
Manipur Fire Service.

Shri N. Mani Singh,
Leading Fireman,
Manipur Fire Service.

Shri Kh. Manjor Singh,
Fireman Driver,
Manipur Fire Service.

Shri R.K. Muktasana Singh,
Fireman,
Manipur Fire Service.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been
awarded:-

On 25th January, 1975 at about 12.30 hours an explosion
took place in the tunnel of Loktak Project located near Kom-Keirap
in Manipur. In the explosion ten persons were injured. The
injured were evacuated to Lamphel General Hospital on the same
day. Out of the ten persons two succumbed to their injuries.

On the same day at about 14.00 hours another explosion
occurred in the same tunnel. Owing to the second explosion eight
persons were trapped in the tunnel.

On being requisitioned for rescue of the trapped persons
a detachment of Manipur Fire Service from Imphal reached the tunnel
mouth on 25th January, 1975 at about 22.30 hours. The detachment
was led by Shri S. Singhajit Singh.

On arrival at the tunnel mouth the personnel of the
detachment found that the tunnel was heavily contaminated and
atmosphere inside the tunnel was dangerously suffocating.

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The detachment had no breathing apparatus. The incents for this apparatus are still pending with the suppliers etc. Electric supply had been cut off to avoid recurrence of explosion and as a result of which there was pitch darkness in the tunnel. Deadly suffocating atmosphere and pitch darkness had rendered entry into the tunnel for rescue work imminentely hazardous.

Impelled by extra-ordinary sense of duty in utter disregard of personal safety, Shri S. Singhajit Singh decided to forthwith undertake the rescue operation and enter inside the tunnel personally with a couple of his hand-picked assistants namely Sarvashri N. Mani Singh and R.K. Muktasana Singh. Shri Singhajit Singh and his party on reaching about 25 meters inside the particular face of the tunnel where accident took place suffered a staggering bout of nausea and had to retreat back to gain breath. Despite grave danger involved in probing the tunnel, attempts to proceed as far ahead as possible inside the tunnel were repeated with commendable tenacity and exemplary courage. On 4th attempt the party could reach about 300-300 meters inside the tunnel. On reaching this spot with the help of torch light the area was surveyed. In the tunnel Shri Singhajit and his gallant men found the loco-line covered with debris and ribs of the tunnel which had been brought in for erection. The party also saw that the watch line and compress air line had been damaged at various places and from these water and air were leaking profusely. Some helmets and pieces of foot wear were also seen lying about.

The environment in the tunnel was thickly saturated with gas and atmosphere heavily suffocating. The ghastly spectacle that Shri S. Singhajit Singh and his party witnessed left no doubt in their mind that there was no chance of survival of the trapped persons and continuance of rescue work would not only have been futile but instead would have caused avoidable casualties amongst fire-service personnel and added to the toll of calamity. Accordingly rescue work was terminated in the night of 25/26th January, 1975 and work of clearing the tunnel from obnoxious and inflammable gas taken up so that evacuation could be done under comparatively safer conditions.

Evacuation operations were started at 0630 hrs of 26th January, 1975. By probing in calf deep water in aero environment two dead bodies could be evacuated and brought out of the tunnel by the Fire Service personnel headed by Shri S. Singhajit Singh at about 0930 hrs and three dead bodies at about 1230 hrs. Even at that time the inside of tunnel was highly gaseous and the men doing evacuation felt quickly fatigued. By persistent work all the remaining three bodies could be evacuated by the evening of 26th January, 1975. Some members of the project staff also assisted the Fire Service personnel with courage and praiseworthy civic sense.

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2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from 25th January, 1975.

(X. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 23RD AUGUST 1975

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1975.

No. 97 -Pres/75. The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day 1975, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Meppiladath Subrama Iyer Subramaniam,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service.

Shri R. Chinnaswamy,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service.

Shri Kangappan Sivalingan,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service.

Shri Biswambhar Deb Barma,
Station Officer,
Tripura Fire Service.

Sub. Bans Narain Pandey,
Mobile Civil Emergency Force,
Delhi,
(Ministry of Home Affairs).

Naib Sub. Dhanjal Singh,
Mobile Civil Emergency Force,
Delhi,
(Ministry of Home Affairs).

Shri Bharatha Rao,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Vijayawada,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri M. Krishnamurthy,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Guntur,
Andhra Pradesh.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(2) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(K. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, DATED SATURDAY, THE 31ST JANUARY, 1976

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 28th January, 1976

No. 10. Pras./76. The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day 1976 to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Dadubhai Abhasingh Gadhavi,
Station Officer,
Ahmedabad,
Gujarat.

Shri Tarif Singh,
Fireman, Delhi Fire Service,
Delhi.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

(a) Shri Dadubhai Abhasingh Gadhavi, Station Officer, Ahmedabad was awarded Mayor's Silver Medal for his gallant act on 3rd June 1971. In Paldi area where some religious ceremonies were being performed at the depth of 20 feet from the ground level in a dug well, the earth on the sides caved in and four persons were buried alive.

Two persons were completely buried but two were still breathing when Shri Gadhavi reached the scene of accident in response to a call. The earth was still caving in and it was dangerous to send in any fireman. Shri Gadhavi rescued these two persons who were buried up to their noses, at his personal risk and under a grave situation. He also exhibited great courage and presence of mind and sense of...
duty in rescuing two labourers who were buried under bricks at a depth of 45 feet in a well under construction on 16th June 1973. In 1973, during the Sabarmati floods Shri Gadhavi showed resourcefulness, devotion to duty, courage and presence of mind when he rescued 40 to 50 marooned families.

(b) Shri Tarif Singh, Fireman, Delhi Fire Service Delhi. on 12th June 1975 he recovered two persons trapped in a sewer, 11 m below ground level, in the premises of Central Jail, Tihar at the risk of his own life. The manhole to the sewer was so narrow that it was not possible to enter it with a breathing apparatus. One of the trapped persons could be rescued only due to the devotion to duty and exemplary courage of Shri Tarif Singh.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from the 19th May, 1975 in the case of Shri Dadubhai Abhesingh Gadhavi and from the 12th June, 1975 in the case of Shri Tarif Singh.

(K. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1976

No._____—Praa.1/76—The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day 1976, to award the President’s Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:

Shri Jehangir Nusservanjji Bharucha, Fire Brigade Superintendent, Bhavnagar, Gujarat.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of President's Fire Services Medal.

K. Balachandran
Secretary to the President.
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART II, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE
OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 31ST JANUARY, 1976

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1976

No. 11 - Pres/76 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day 1976, to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri D. Davadass,
Station Officer, Chittoor Fire Service,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri T. Govindaraju,
Station Officer, Nandyal,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Usman Hyder Mubarak Sheikh,
Dy. Chief Fire Officer,
Ahmedabad.

Shri Vajendra Venkateswarao Rao,
Station Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade.

Shri Kalmak Khadir Baig,
Leading Fireman,
Madras.

Shri Mohammed Shafi, (Officiating)
Chief Fire Officer,
Lucknow.

Shri Shambhu Mitt Sharma,
Asstt. Mobilising Officer,
Delhi Fire Service,
Delhi.

Shri Kolathur Ramaswamy,
Inspector, Railway Protection Force,
Integral Coach Factory, Perambur,
Madras

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Naib Subedar Avtar Singh,
Mobile Civil Emergency Force (Min.of Home Affairs)
New Delhi.

Kavildar Bhale Ram,
Mobile Civil Emergency Force (Min.of Home Affairs)
New Delhi.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(2) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(K. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President.

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1976.

No. 62 -Pres./76 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1976, to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer :-

Shri N. Govindan,
Fireman,
Pondicherry.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

On the 27th August, 1975 at 10.30 hrs. a message was received by the Pondicherry Fire Station informing that a villager who was busy with cleaning a well in his field had not come out of it. The rescue party rushed immediately to the spot. Shri N. Govindan was one of its members. On reaching the spot, the party found that the villager was lying unconscious at the bed of the well. Without wasting time, Shri Govindan volunteered to go down into the well with first-aid equipment. But he soon felt giddy as the well was full of poisonous gas. However, unmindful of the risk to his own life, he continued his efforts and managed to rescue the unconscious person.

2. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from the 27th August, 1975.

(S. Nilakanthan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT AT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 16th August, 1976.

No. 61 -Pres./76 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day 1976, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for distinguished service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Madhukar Bhaskar Rishi,
Chief Superintendent,
Police Fire Brigade,
Madhya Pradesh.

Shri Atmanand Shantaram Kulkarni,
Chief Fire Officer,
Maharashtra.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of the President’s Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1976.

No. 63 -Pres/76. The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1976, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

1. Shri Sudhansu Kumar Ghosh,
   Assistant State Fire Officer,
   Bihar.

2. Shri Shambhu Dayal Mangli,
   Deputy Chief Officer (Fire),
   Gujarat.

3. Shri Chinnatana David,
   Sub-Officer, Hospet Fire Station,
   Karnataka.

4. Shri Dhananjay Shankarrao Nimbalkar,
   Chief Fire Brigade Officer,
   Maharashtra.

5. Shri Rudradutt Tripathi,
   Fire Officer,
   Rajasthan.

6. Shri Veeraswamy Murugesan Joseph,
   Leading Fireman,
   Tamil Nadu.

7. Shri Mohammed Sikkander,
   Fireman Driver,
   Tamil Nadu.

8. Shri Yaduraj Singh,
   Officiating Chief Fire Officer,
   Uttar Pradesh.

9. Shri Kali Ram,
   Sub-Officer,
   Delhi Fire Service,
   Delhi.

10. Shri Bal Raj Mehta,
    Fire Adviser, C.I.S.F.,
    Ministry of Home Affairs.
N.
Shri Khem Prasad,
Leading Fireman,
National Fire Service College,
Ministry of Home Affairs
Nagpur.

These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.

No. 9 -Pres./77-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1977 to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer :-

Shri Munivenkatachala, (Posthumous)
Fireman,
Karnataka Fire Force, Bangalore,
Karnataka.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

In the 31st August, 1976 on receipt of a call from Vyalinkaval Police Station, Shri Munivenkatachala, Fireman alongwith a rescue party rushed to the Sankey Tank where a dead body was floating in the middle of the tank. The tank was very deep and almost full. Unmindful of the serious risk, Fireman Munivenkatachala who had earlier earned awards for his courage and dedication to his duty, volunteered to take the body out of the tank with the help of another Fireman. Shri Munivenkatachala took a rope and swam towards the dead body. But before he could reach it he got entangled in the weeds. He was unable to swim and as no help could reach him, he was drowned.

Thus by laying down his life in the performance of his duty, Shri Munivenkatachala displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

2. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible under rule 5 with effect from the 31st August, 1976.

(K. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President.
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1977.

No. 8 - Pres/77. - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1977 to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri R. Bapanaiah,  
Fireman,  
Vijayawada Fire Station,  
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Keshubhai Bhagwanbhai Virsudia,  
Fire Brigade Superintendent,  
Rajkot Municipal Corporation Fire Brigade,  
Gujarat.

Shri Jayant L. Bhatt,  
Chief Fire Officer,  
Surat Municipal Corporation Fire Brigade,  
Gujarat.

Shri Vod Raj,  
Fireman,  
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,  
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri Govindarajulu Devaram,  
Assistant Sub-Officer,  
Karnataka Fire Force,  
Karnataka.

Shri Maduvil Tachapilly Kunjunny Menon Madhava Menon,  
Sub-Officer,  
Kerala Fire Force,  
Kerala.

Shri Monikoth Ramunni Bharathan,  
Leading Fireman,  
Kerala Fire Force,  
Kerala.

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Shri Nand Kumar Vishnu Chitnis,
Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Sadanand Saktharam Rane,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Mohinder Singh Batra,
Sub-Fire Officer,
Amritsar Municipal Fire Service,
Punjab.

Shri Mir Hassan Mir Thajuddin,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Bir Singh,
Driver Operator,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Shiva Darshan Singh,
Chief Fire Officer,
Uttar Pradesh Fire Service,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Charoo,
Driver,
Uttar Pradesh Fire Service,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Devidas Damodar Purandare,
Fire Marshal,
Indian Petrochemicals Corporation Ltd.,
Ministry of Petroleum.

Shri Om Prakash Bhakhri,
Deputy Fire Officer,
Naval Dockyard Bombay,
Ministry of Defence.

(Officiating)

(K. Balachandran)
Secretary to the President.
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिष्ठात्री

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 12 जुलाई, 1977

सं. 62 - गृ०/77- राष्ट्रपति बम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों की उनकी चोरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिमान सेवा पदक दान करते हैं :-

अधिकारियों के नाम तथा पद

श्री आचार्यनाथ शातारम कुलकर्णी, चीफ फायर अफिसर,
बम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड।

श्री वैज्ञानिक वैक्टर्स बाबा,
देसान अफिसर,
बम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड।

श्री बाबाराम नारायण पुर्जे,
लेफ्टिनेंट फायरमैन,
बम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड।

श्री कृष्णा अरवंत मीरी,
फायरमैन,
बम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड।

केवल का विवाद जिन्हें लिखे पदक प्रदान किया गया।

31 जून, 1977 की बहुत भीतर बम्बई शहर के लक्ष फॉनी आवाज़ वाले हलके में बनी हुई चार मंजिला इमारत में आग लग गई जितने उसमें रहने वाले लगभग 500 व्यक्ति उस समय से रहे थे फिर गये। धूलम फूलने पर श्री आचार्यनाथ शातारम कुलकर्णी, चीफ फायर अफिसर और श्री वैज्ञानिक वैक्टर्स बाबा, देसान अफिसर अपने दल और उपदलों द्वारा तत्त्व घटनाक्रम पर पहुंचे। श्री बाबाराम नारायण पुर्जे, लेफ्टिनेंट फायरमैन और श्री कृष्णा अरवंत मीरी, फायरमैन इतने दल के सदस्य थे। घटनाक्रम पहुंचने पर उन्होंने देखा कि
सारा इमारत अग्र की लपटी और यही धुएँ है जिबरे हुई है। स्कूल कक्षा का जीवन भी बिखार की तुका था। शोभा, तौग ठर के मारे, चीज रहें थे और झूठ-उठार भाग रहें थे।

वीर फयाद अफिसर भुक्कनी ने अपने बदलना आया और उत्तराखंड अवधि की परवाह किये बिना ख्याती तीसरी मंजिल पर लगवा दी और बढ़ लोटे पर बढ़ गये। उनके पोद-पोद की मोरी और खूंट और फायररैन भी उपर बढ़ गये। जब वे यशा कतर रहे थे तो इमारत की पतली मंजिल गिर पड़ी। भीषण गर्मी, धूर्त और अपने जा में बली की परवाह किये बिना वे तीसरी मंजिल में दाखल हो गये और बच्चा अभियान शुरू कर दिया। 20 मिनट के बीच इमारत के उपरांत श्री कुलकण्डी श्री मोरी की घायलता से 25 व्यक्तियों की बचा लाने में सफल हो गये जिन्हें सारा 60 वर्षीय अभारण के नीलित वृद्ध शामिल था। विश्व वे अपने बच्चे पर उठाकर लौटे।

इस बीच देशक अफिसर बैंडला टैक्सियरा राज. ने दूसरी मंजिल पर बच्चा लोटे लगा दी थी और श्री बाबलाल नामांकन गुड़, लोटिंग फायरमैन और लौग अस्थायी करते अब इस बात की परवाह किये बिना उपर बढ़ गये कि इमारत में भीषण गर्मी और धूर्त के कारण उनके जा में बली भरा हुआ हो गया था। उन्होंने बच्चा कार्य शुरू कर दिया। इसके उपरांत उन्होंने वृद्धी और बच्चों की उतारने में लक्ष्य दी और भारी जतार नैंड लेकर बड़े बच्चे सारा दूधारा बचाकर निकाल लिया। कुल मिलकर वे 70 व्यक्तियों की बचाव में सफल हुए।

इस कार्यकारी में श्री आतानाथ शालाकर कुलकण्डी और श्री बैंडला टैक्सियरा राज. ने उल्लेख वोटरा, अनुकूलणी वाहस, नैतिक, व्यवसायिक दक्षता और उल्लेखनीय कर्मचारी की कर्त्तव्यपरायणता का परिचय दिया। श्री बाबलाल नामांकन गुड़ और श्री बुद्धि जाना मोरी ने अपने अधिकारियों की सराहनीय घायलता देखा उल्लेख वोटरा, अनुकूलणी वाहसे, दूध-निकालर और उल्लेखनीय की कर्मचारी की कर्त्तव्यपरायणता का परिचय दिया।

2. यदि दर्ज राष्ट्रपति का आविष्कार केवल पदर नियमकालों के नियम 3(1) के अंतगति वोटरा के लिए दिये जा रहे हैं तथा व्यवस्थित नियम 5 है अन्ततः दिशाय ग्रीखूल भला भी दिनांक 3। जनवरी, 1977 के दिन बनाया।

(दूरा बाबलाल)
राष्ट्रपति के शिविर
शनिवार, दिनांक 23 जुलाई, 1977 के भारतीय राजनौत के भाग 1 से उत्तर ।

राजपथि अधिवेशन

अधिशुल्का

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 12 जुलाई, 1977-

63/77-राजपथि बम्बई कायर ड्राइड के नियामक केलियारियों की उनकी बैठक के
अनुसार एक वक्ता पदक पदक प्रदान करते हैं :-

विधाकरियों के नामों तथा पदक

1. श्री अवनत रामचंद्र शिरक, फायरमैन, बम्बई कायर ड्राइड।

2. श्री अंकुश गंगाराम शिरक, फायरमैन, बम्बई कायर ड्राइड।

3. श्री मनोहर दिनकर भोजपा, फायरमैन, बम्बई कायर ड्राइड।

4. श्री वाकेल गंगाराम चिहान, फायरमैन, बम्बई कायर ड्राइड।

ऐसी विवरण जिनके लिए पदक प्रदान किया गया।

31 जनवरी, 1977 की बहुत अधिक बम्बई शहर के स्क भारी आवाही वाले इलाके में अथि लड़की दे जनी दुई चार मंजिला हमारे भर्ती गया और गई जिसकी उपयोग रहने वाले लगभग 500 व्यक्ति है उस समय को रहे के लिए गया। बुधवार मिलने पर श्री अवनत गंगाराम साहबगी, डोक फायर अफिकर और श्री वाकेल गंगाराम राव, एक अफिकर अपने दर और उपकरणों विभिन्न तहत फंडार नामक लड़का पहुंचा। श्री अल सराईल शिरक, फायरमैन, श्री अंकुश गंगाराम शिरक, फायरमैन, श्री मनोहर दिनकर भोजपा, फायरमैन और श्री वाकेल गंगाराम चिहान, फायरमैन स्क दस के दशक के जिस इलाके पर पहुंचे पर उन्हें देखा कि घर के बमाल हाग की लड़की और दूसरे दो बच्चे के लिए दुई है। स्क्यूरिटी लड़की का जोना भी जेका ही बुधवार का।
शीक्षण लीग दर के मारे चेहरे रहे थे और दर-उच्च भाग रहे थे। चीफ प्रमुख अफसर दुबहुली ने अपने बदते आयु और अस्तरानाक शिक्षा के उपरान्त लिये बिना एक सीढ़ी लोगों 
मोटे पर लगवा ली और एकल केंद्र पर बढ़ गये। उनके पीछे-पीछे श्री अजुना गंगाराम शिर्की 
और एक अन्य फायरमैन भी उम्रा बढ़ गये। जब वे शंया कर रहे थे तो स्मारत की पहली 
मोटे गिर पड़ी। पोषण गर्मी, धूर्त और अपने जान के खतरे के पारवाह किये बिना वे 
लोगों मोटे में दड़की हो गये और बच्चे अभियान पुरूष कर दिया। 20 मिनट के उपर 
और दुबहुली लकड़ी के उपरान्त। श्री अजुना गंगाराम शिर्की की सहायता से 25 व्यक्तियों को बचा लाने में 
सफल हो गये जिनमें से 60 वर्षीय युवा ये पीड़ित वृद्ध शामिल था जिसे वे अपने कंधों पर उठा 
कर लाये।

इस बीच देशन अफसर के जलवा बेकाबू राय ने धूर्त मोटे पर बच्चे धूर्त नाग दे दिया और श्री अजुना रामचंद्र शिर्की, श्री मधुकर दिनकर भैसी और श्री वस्तु गंगाराम 
चौड़े लकड़ी के उपरान्त। श्री अजुना गंगाराम शिर्की की सहायता से 25 व्यक्तियों को बचा लाने में 
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कर लाये।

इस अन्य क्षेत्र में श्री अजुना रामचंद्र शिर्की, श्री अजुना गंगाराम शिर्की, श्री मधुकर दिनकर 
भैसी और श्री वस्तु गंगाराम चौड़े लकड़ी के उपरान्त। श्री अजुना गंगाराम शिर्की की सहायता का 
पत्रियर्य मात्र दिया।

2. ये पदक अन्तिमर्म साविके देवक न्यायालयों के नियम 3(1) के अन्तर्गत दी गई के लिये 
दिया जा रहा है लेकिन न्यायालय नियम 5 के अन्तर्गत विशेष खोजकेत था और नियम 3। जनवरी, 
1977 के दिया जाया।

(कृपा दासगुप्ता) 
राष्ट्रपति के अधिकार
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1977.

No. 68 -Pres./77 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1977, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:–

Shri Prem Narain Mehrotra,
Fire Adviser,
Ministry of Home Affairs,
New Delhi.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

( K.C. MADAPPA )
Secretary to the President.
New Delhi, the 15th August, 1977.

No. 69 -Pres./77 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1977, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Bhiwa Kanoji Joel,
Leading Fireman,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Mohan Singh,
Leading Fireman,
Uttar Pradesh Fire Service.

Shri Mangesh Vithal Vengurlekar,
Inspector (Fire),
Central Industrial Security Force,
Ministry of Home Affairs.

Shri Pallippatta Kasavan Nair Thottum Nair,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Kerala.

Shri Vaniyan Veettil Kuyattil Anandan,
Sub-Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Kerala.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

( K.C. MADAPPA )
Secretary to the President.

No. 3 - Pres./78 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1978, to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Himatsinh Virsingh Gohel, Assistant Fire Brigade Superintendent, Rajkot Municipal Corporation, Gujarat.

Shri Kochukrishna Pillai Viswanathan Nair, Regional Fire Officer, Kerala Fire Force, Kerala.

Shri Chenmathil Gopalan Nambiar Gopalakrishnan Nair, Sub Officer, Kerala Fire Force, Kerala.

Shri Ganpat Sadashivrao Salvi, Chief Fire Officer, Bombay Fire Brigade, Maharashtra.

Shri Shankar Ganpat Sawant, Driver Operator, Bombay Fire Brigade, Maharashtra.

Shri Chander Parkash Gosain, Fire Officer, Central Secretariat Fire Service, C.P.W.D., New Delhi.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Services Medal.

(K.C. MADAPPAN) 
Secretary to the President.
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OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 13TH AUGUST, 1978

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1978.

No. 35 - Pres/78 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the
Independence Day, 1978 to award the President's Fire Services Medal
for gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

Shri Mukka Shekara, (Posthumous)
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka State Fire Service,
Karnataka.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On the 13th April, 1978 at about 10.00 P.M. a serious fire
broke out in the Bamboo Bazar, Bangalore City. Six fire fighting
units waged a relentless battle to control the fire. Leading
Fireman Shri Mukka Shekara led his unit in this operation and holding
the water hose went very near to the actual fire. He concentrated
his efforts on the shops containing combustible materials as there
was a growing risk of the conflagration enveloping the entire Bamboo
Bazar. Leading Fireman Mukka Shekara unmindful of his personal
safety went very close to the fire to arrest its further advance.
Suddenly the stock of casuarina poles piled nearby fell down crushing
the valiant Fireman under its huge weight and in this way he laid
down his life in the cause of his duty.

In this action Shri Mukka Shekara exhibited conspicuous
gallantry, fearlessness, initiative and devotion to duty of the
highest order.

2. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules
governing the award of the President's Fire Services Medal and
consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible under
rule 5 with effect from 13th April, 1978.

(K. C. MADAPPA)
Secretary to the President of India
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OF INDIA OF SATURDAY THE 19TH AUGUST, 1978

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION


No. 36-Pres/78 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the
Independence Day, 1978 to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry
to the undermentioned officers:

Names and ranks of the officers

Shri Lakshmi Chand,
Fireman,
Agra Fire Brigade,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Ishwar Saran Saxena,
Fire Station Second Officer,
Agra Fire Brigade,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Rati Ram,
Leading Fireman,
Agra Fire Brigade,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Yagya Narain,
Leading Fireman,
Agra Fire Brigade,
Uttar Pradesh.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

At about 1.00 P.M. on the 13th June, 1976 a serious fire
broke out in an oil godown in Rawatpura Market, Agra. On receiving
information Shri Ishwar Saran Saxena, Fire Station Second Officer
immediately organised two fire fighting units and rushed to the
scene. On reaching there the party found that the fire had assumed
serious proportion and there was great panic and commotion in the
market. The fire fighting party, unmindful of the grave danger
because of the highly inflammable material stocked in the shop
started their operation to control the fire from close range.
Fireman Lakshmi Chand who was leading one of the hoses was suddenly
cought in a column of fire caused by bursting of a drum of spirit.
He was seriously injured and thus ultimately laid down his life
in the discharge of his duties.
Shri Ishwar Saran Saxena himself received serious burn injuries on his face and hands while directing the fire operations. Leading Fireman Rati Ram and Leading Fireman Yagya Narain who were also fighting the fire from very close quarters received serious burn injuries. The fire was ultimately brought under control and considerable loss was prevented.

In this action Shri Lakshmi Chand, Shri Ishwar Saran Saxena, Shri Rati Ram and Shri Yagya Narain exhibited gallantry, determination, courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the monetary allowance admissible under rule 5 with effect from 13th June, 1976.

(K.C. MADAPPA)
Secretary to the President of India
No. 37-Pres/78 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day 1978 to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Simon Peter D’Souza,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka State Fire Service,
Bangalore,
Karnataka.

Shri Budhi Singh Aswal,
Driver,
Tripura State Fire Service,
Agartala,
Tripura.

Shri Neelakantan Nair Copinathan Nair,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Thyvalappil Moideen Koya,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Pazhaya Purayil Kunhiraman Govindan,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Pallipetta Ayyappan Nair Kunhiraman Nair,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.
Shri Veparambath Govindan Karunakaran,
Driver Mechanic,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Kesavan Bahuleyan,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Arulappan Rajappan,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Kochunni Kamaradharan,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri V.V. Valdya,
Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
Maharashtra.

Shri Nisar Ahmed Abdul Kader Khatib,
Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
Maharashtra.

Shri Vithal Balaji Bhosle,
Sub Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
Maharashtra.

Shri Dadoo Dudhaji Shinde,
Driver Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
Maharashtra.

Shri Vallare Ramakrishnan Renganathan,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.
Shri Arumugam Pillai Copal,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Sundararaj Durairaj,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Services Medal.

(K.C. Madappa)
Secretary to the President of India
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1979.

No.3-Pres/79 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1979, to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

**Name and rank of the officer**

1. Shri Attar Singh,
   Leading Fireman,
   Delhi Fire Service,
   Delhi.

**Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded**

On the 17th August, 1978, a serious fire broke out in a building in Daryaganj, Delhi. The entire building was engulfed in smoke and six persons were trapped in the first and second floors. The Fire Brigade was called but as all the electrical wiring and cables were caught in the fire no fireman dared enter the building. At this critical juncture Shri Attar Singh, unmindful of the grave risk involved, volunteered himself to go inside the building for rescuing the trapped persons. In spite of the heavy odds he made two daring sorties to the building and was able to rescue all the six persons. In this process he received several electric shocks and also consumed smoke due to which he became unconscious and had to be removed to the hospital.

In this operation Shri Attar Singh displayed exemplary courage, initiative, determination and devotion to duty of a high order.

**Name and rank of the officers**

2. Shri Chickahalli Rudraliah Gangadah,
   Fireman,
   Karnataka Fire Service, Bangalore,
   Karnataka.

3. Shri Bettahalli Dasegowda Narasimhadah,
   Fireman,
   Karnataka Fire Service, Bangalore,
   Karnataka.

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Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

On the 6th June, 1978 a serious fire broke out in a Plastic Factory in Bangalore. Shri Gangaiah and Shri Narasimhaiah alongwith other firemen rushed to the place of occurrence and unmindful of the grave risk entered the building. While they were engaged in fire fighting operations there was a sudden and unexpected explosion inside the building which caused its immediate collapse. Shri Gangaiah and Shri Narasimhaiah were caught amongst the falling debris. They were knocked down by flying missiles and succumbed to their injuries.

In this operation Shri Chickahalli Rudraiah Gangaliah and Shri Bettahalli Dasegowda Narasimhaiah exhibited great courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 with effect from the 17th August, 1978 in the case of Shri Attar Singh and from the 6th June, 1978 in the case of Shri Chickahalli Rudraiah Gangaliah and Shri Bettahalli Dasegowda

(K.R. Gupta)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1979.

No.1-7066/79.- The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1979 to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned officers:-

1. Shri Osman Ali,
   Leading Fireman,
   Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
   Hyderabad.

2. Shri Pranab Ranjan Deb,
   Divisional Officer,
   State Fire Service,
   Assam.

3. Shri Bananguri Bhaskara,
   Leading Fireman,
   Karnataka Fire Service, Bangalore,
   Karnataka.

4. Shri K. Muthusamy,
   Station Officer,
   Pondicherry Fire Service,
   Pondicherry.

5. Shri Raj Kumar Obri,
   Assistant Divisional Fire Officer,
   Municipal Fire Brigade, Ludhiana,
   Punjab.

6. Shri Narendra Kumar Mazumder,
   Leading Fireman,
   Tripura Fire Service,
   Tripura.

7. Shri Parama Manda Ghosh,
   Deputy Chief Scientific Officer,
   R&D Organisation,
   Ministry of Defence.

3. Shri Bagmanath Roberts,
   Junior Instructor,
   R&D Organisation,
   Ministry of Defence.

(K.R. Gupta)
Deputy Secretary to the President
No. 36 - Pres/79 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1979, to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Matabadal Mahadev Bhaiya,
Driver Fire Brigade,
Nadiad Municipality,
Gandhinagar,
Gujarat.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

Shri Matabadal Mahadev Bhaiya is quite disciplined, courageous and working with zeal and ability. On 1st September, 1978, fire brigade was informed on phone by Manjipura Water Works that due to flood in river Shadhi, eleven persons were in danger. Fire brigade rushed to river Shadhi. Shri Matabadal Mahadev Bhaiya jumped into the flood water and had to swim against the current. The staff followed suit. The Engineers, workers and small children were crying for help. He took nine of them in the raft and two children on his shoulder and swam a distance of one km, balancing the raft at the same time. He succeeded in saving all of them.

In this operation Shri Matabadal Mahadev Bhaiya displayed gallantry, exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Jayant L. Bhatt,
Chief Fire Officer,
Surat Municipal Corporation,
Gandhinagar,
Gujarat.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

On the night of 1st October, 1978 a high lift failed and jammed in Surat Textile Market in which 13 persons including a pregnant woman were trapped. Shri Jayant L. Bhatt managed without loss of time, to cut open the roof of the lift car. The trapped persons were lifted one by one by chair knot method and by using scaling ladder by Shri Bhatt without any help from other crew. The entire operation was carried out by Shri Bhatt with speed. He was able to save the
lives of 13 persons when there was considerable danger to his own life.

Shri Jayant L. Bhatt exhibited gallantry, firm determination and devotion to duty.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Karuppannar Servai Ramiah,
Fireman Driver,
Madurai Fire Station,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

Shri Karuppannar Servai Ramiah saved the lives of two persons on 13th November, 1977 and 16th November, 1977 who were marooned in the flooded Vaigai river. Undeterred by the odds and unmindful of the personal risk, he swam across the floods using presence of mind and with great difficulty rescued the marooned persons with the help of a lifebuoy.

In this operation Shri Karuppannar Servai Ramiah displayed conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty with utter disregard to his personal safety.

Names and ranks of the officers

Shri Thiruvalargar Gopalasamy Muthukrishnan,
Station Fire Officer,
Tirunelveli-Kanyakumari-Ramanathapuram Division,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri M. Muthukrishnan,
Fireman 2894,
Tirunelveli-Kanyakumari-Ramanathapuram Division,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

The flood in Palar river cut off the villages of Silaneerpatti and Othapatti of Chadurvedamangalam post in Tirupathur Taluk of Ramanathapuram District. On receipt of the information from the Tahsildar Shri Thiruvalargar Gopalasamy Muthukrishnan, Station Fire Officer, rushed with a crew to the spot on 13th November, 1977 and he noticed that the villagers were completely surrounded by floods. The current in the river was swift and the flood waters were over 5' in depth. Everyone was afraid to take any risk, but Shri T.G. Muthukrishnan along with Fireman Nagai Man Muthukrishnan rushed to the rescue of the people. By swimming hard across the
swift current, they crossed to the other side and reached the village. They first put them on a high level and then established a rope way to the other side. The personal were thus able to reach the village limit with food packets and medicines and distributed them to the villagers. All the villagers were rescued one by one, making use of ropes and ladder and they were removed to the Government School, Surakudi. He and his Fireman braved the swift current in utter disregard of their personal safety and helped to rescue alive the 450 villagers from the flooded waters of the river Palar.

In this operation Shri Thiruvalargal Gopalsamy Muthukrishnan and Shri Nagaian Muthukrishnan exhibited gallantry, great courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a high order.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequenty carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from the 1st September, 1978 in the case of Shri Matabodal Mahadev Bhaiya, from the 1st October, 1978 in the case of Shri Jayant L. Bhatt, from the 16th November, 1977 in the case of Shri Karuppappanar Servai Ramiah and from 13th November, 1977 in the cases of Shri Thiruvalargal Gopalsamy Muthukrishnan and Shri Nagaian Muthukrishnan.

(K.C. MADAPPA)
Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 15th August, 1979.

No. 37- Pres/79 — The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1979, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

Shri Khagendra Nath Gogoi,
Leading Fireman,
State Fire Service Organisation,
Dispur,
Assam.

Shri I. Ramuloo,
Station Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Mohammed Jaffer,
Driver Operator,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Khasim Khan,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri P. Joseph,
Driver Operator,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Jijabai Bhasaheb Shirke,
Leading Fireman,
Baroda Municipal Corporation,
Ahmedabad,
Gujarat.

Shri Hemendra Chandra Chakravarty,
Station Officer (S.I. Police),
Meghalaya Fire Service,
Shillong,
Meghalaya.

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Shri Rom Chandra Dadvoo Gauli,
Driver Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Mohamed Idris Anwer,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Mukhtar Singh,
Fire Station Officer,
Ferozepore City,
Punjab.

Shri Raju Mudalior Chandrasekaran,
Assistant Divisional Fire Officer,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Krishnan Nair P. Madhavan Nair,
Station Fire Officer,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Koveni Pillai Krishnamurthy, (Officiating)
Station Fire Officer,
Madras,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Abdul Samad Khan,
Fire Station Officer,
Kanpur,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Daljit Singh Panchhi,
Chief Fire Officer,
Union Territory,
Chandigarh.

Shri Sakti Prasad Bag,
Fire Officer,
Alloy Steel Plant,
Durgapur,
Ministry of Steel and Mines.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing a grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(K.C. MADAVPA)
Secretary to the President
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OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 2ND FEBRUARY, 1980

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1980.

No. 17-Pres/80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of
the Republic Day, 1980, to award the Fire Services Medal for
gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Mahendra Khodabhai Desai,
Chief Fire Officer,
Baroda Municipal Corporation,
Gujarat,
Ahmedabad.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

On the 15th October, 1979 at about 3.00 A.M., a fire
was noticed in photographic materials shop of a building. The
upper floors of the building were utilised as a nursing home.
On reaching the site, Shri Mahendra Khodabhai Desai and his
men noticed that the fire had already engulfed the nursing home
area and the ward boy and nurse had already left the place
leaving the patients. Despite the fact that the passage to the
upper floor was gutted by fire and heavy smoke had spread,
Shri Desai assisted by his men, rescued all the patients from
the fire area under most trying conditions. But for the
courage and daring action of Shri Desai, the patients would
have perished in the fire.

2. The award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the
rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and
consequently carries with them the special allowance admissible
under rule 5 with effect from the 15th October, 1979.

(K.C. MADAPPA)
Secretary to the President
No. 16 - Pres/80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1980, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for distinguished service to the under-mentioned officer:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Raj Bhadur,
Chief Fire Officer,
Sikkim,
GANJETOK.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(K.C. MADAPPAN)
Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1980.

No. 18 - Pres./80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1980, to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious service to the under-mentioned officers:

Shri S.K. Dheri,
Chief Fire Officer,
Himachal Pradesh,
Simla.

Shri Oppathu Narayanan Nair Narayanankutty,
Assistant Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Kerala,
Trivandrum.

Shri Thandayamkandi Paithal Sankaran,
Fireman,
Kerala State Fire Force,
Kerala,
Trivandrum.

Shri Durgadas Jagannathrao Kulkarni,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra,
Bombay.

Shri Yashwant Shivaji Chavan,
Leading Fireman,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra,
Bombay.

Shri Yashwant Narayan Palande,
Driver Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra,
Bombay.
Shri Chandrakant Pandurang Dalvi,
Driver Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Government of Maharashtra,
Bombay.

Shri Shikhareswar Jena,
Deputy Fire Officer,
Government of Orissa,
Cuttack.

Shri Phanibhusan Chakrabarty,
Sub Officer,
Tripura State Fire Services,
Tripura,
Agartala.

Shri Shukul Anand Shankar,
Senior Fire Officer,
Steel Authority of India Limited,
Bhilai Steel Plant, Bhilai,
Ministry of Steel and Mines.

Shri Lokanand Chatterjee,
Assistant Security Officer/Fire,
Ministry of Railways.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(K.C. MADAPPA)
Secretary to the President.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1980

No. 63 Pres/80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 1980 to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Mohammad Ibrahim,
Senior Fire Safety Inspector,
Visakhapatnam Port Trust,
Andhra Pradesh,
Ministry of Shipping & Transport,
New Delhi.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 3rd May, 1979)

At 11.55 AM on 3rd May, 1979 an emergency call was received at the Port Central Fire Control for rescuing a worker who had fallen into the overhead tank. This 10 ft. high overhead steel water tank is supported by a 70' high steel structure and is served by two sections of vertical steel ladders. At the time of accident, there was four feet deep water inside the overhead tank. Within a few minutes, Shri Ibrahim, along with his staff, arrived at the scene. Without any consideration to his personal safety Shri Ibrahim climbed up the platform and started rescue work without any loss of time. The casualty was slowly pulled out of the tank which was partly filled with water. Immediately, First-Aid was rendered to the wounded man and he was later removed to the hospital. Shri Mohammad Ibrahim exhibited exceptional promptness, exemplary courage and commendable initiative in reaching the 70' high accident-spot and rescuing the injured man.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Maulin Arvindrai Vaishnav,
Assistant Fire Officer,
Polymer Corporation of Gujarat Ltd.,
Gandhinagar,
Gujarat.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 20th April, 1979)

During the commissioning of ACH plant, once there was an incident of leakage of Hydrocyanic Acid on 20th April, 1979.

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At that time, Shri Maulin Arvindraji Vaishnav rendered excellent services. He instructed all plant operators to go inside the Control Room and started water spray to dilute leaking HCN. All along the operations, he remained in the field, and endangered his own life to avoid any mishap. He thus tackled the situation at the risk of his own life, saved the life of plant personnel and prevented a big disaster. He has been recommended for the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry for high sense of duty displayed by him in the face of disaster.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Purohit Hari Gopal,
Fire Station Officer-I,
Municipal Fire Service, Jodhpur,
Rajasthan.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded (Effective date of the award - 2nd May, 1980)

Shri Purohit Hari Gopal exhibited exemplary courage and devotion to duty in a recent fire on the 2nd May, 1980. This fire occurred in petrol pump near Circuit House of Jodhpur. He worked with devotion and courage continuously for 14 hours and saved lakhs of rupees (worth of property) and petrol pump. The District Magistrate and Administrative Municipal Councillor, Jodhpur were present at the scene of incident and praised the work of Shri Purohit Hari Gopal.

Names and ranks of the officers

Shri Shyam Sunder Lal Sharma,
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,
Delhi Fire Service,
Municipal Corporation of Delhi, Delhi.

Shri Kishori Singh,
Station Officer,
Delhi Fire Service,
Municipal Corporation of Delhi, Delhi.
Shri Ramesh Chander,
Fireman No.626,
Delhi Fire Service,
Municipal Corporation of Delhi,
Delhi.

Shri Raja Pal,
Fireman No.208,
Delhi Fire Service,
Municipal Corporation of Delhi,
Delhi.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 23rd October, 1978)

On the 23rd October, 1978, at 1040 hours, a message
regarding the collapse of a four storeyed building, known as
Anand Hotel at Chuna Mandi, Paharganj, New Delhi, which was
under construction, was received at the DPS Headquarters Control
Room. Immediately units were despatched to the scene of incident.
On reaching the scene of incident, the Officer-in-Charge of the
first turn out was informed that about 10 to 15 labourers had been
trapped dangerously under the debris of the collapsed building.
He asked for additional man-power and the presence of a senior
officer. Shri Shyam Sunder Lal Sharma, reached the scene of
incident immediately and took over charge of the operations of
rescuing the trapped persons. The area from where some of the
trapped persons were crying for assistance was so narrow that it
was not possible for a man to get in. There was also imminent
danger to the lives of the men who could go inside to their rescue.
Shri Sharma assessed the situation carefully and he along with
Station Officer Shri Kishori Singh moved forward with Fireman
626 Ramesh Chander and Fireman 208 Rajpal who volunteered them-
selves to go inside and make an attempt to rescue the persons.
Inspite of the knowledge that in this process of carrying out the
rescue even the slightest jerk would result in further collapse of
the walls and lintal which was hanging over their heads,
Shri Sharma took a bold decision of accomplishing the task at
any costs. Accordingly with conspicuous ability and calculated
planning, the job of rescue was initiated. The iron bars and the
concrete were cut to allow adequate passage for a man to be
inserted through. Two casualties, namely S/Shri Banwar Lal,
Banduki Jedu were removed first. After that S/Shri Ram Dhar and
Jagbir Singh were brought out alive from under the debris. The
devotion to duty and the exemplary courage shown by all Fire
Officers in the face of dangerous threat to their own life were
responsible for saving the lives of trapped persons.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the
rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and
consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under
rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1980.

No. 62 -Pres/80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1980, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for distinguished services to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Lovejoy Sicil Dady Meherwanjee,
Chief Fire Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade, Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Shri Paramananda Ghosh,
Director Grade II,
Research & Development Organisation, New Delhi,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

Shri Bal Raj Mehta,
Deputy Inspector General Fire (Retd.),
Central Industrial Security Force, New Delhi,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S.Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1980.

No. 64 - Pres./80 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1980, to award the Fire Services Medal for meritorious services to the under-mentioned officers:

Shri Shaik Jamal Ahmed,
Regional Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Hukumat Rai,
Assistant Divisional Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Laxmaiah,
Leading Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Kallur Subramanyam,
Leading Fireman,
Cuddapah Fire Station,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Elaparampathu Peravan Appukutty,
Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force, Trivandrum,
KERALA.

Shri Pathchen Sambasivan,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force, Trivandrum,
KERALA.

Shri Erickattu Narayanan Krishnankutty,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Kerala Fire Force, Trivandrum,
KERALA.

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Shri Ebrahim Mohamed Shaikh,
Sub-Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade, Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Shri Narayan Vithu Shinde,
Leading Fireman,
Bombay Fire Brigade, Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Shri Amarendra Kumar Patra,
Assistant Fire Officer,
Orissa Fire Service,
ORISSA.

Shri S. Satburg Singh Bolina,
Assistant Divisional Fire Officer,
Municipal Corporation Amritsar, Chandigarh,
PUNJAB.

Shri K.M. Mohammed,
Station Fire Officer,
Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Arumainayagam Muthiah,
Station Officer (Transport),
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri L. Subramani Marimuthu,
Station Fire Officer,
(Temporary)
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Kanapathy Marimuthu,
Fireman-Driver 1358,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Arulanantham (Pillai) Maria John,
Driver-Mechanic 1364,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Ananthanatha (Nainar) Kunthiappa Nainar,
Fireman-Driver-375,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.
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Shri T. Krishnan Ekambaram,
Fireman 364,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri S. Kangappa (Chattiar) Sivalingam,
Fireman 455,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri P. Ramanuja Raju Damodaran,
Fireman 1123,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service, Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Manik Debbarma,
Driver,
Tripura State Fire Service, Agartala,
TRIPURA.

Shri Hrishikesh Sen,
Leading Fireman,
Tripura State Fire Service, Agartala,
TRIPURA.

Shri Lal Bahadur Singh,
Chief Fire Officer,
Agra,
UTTAR PRADESH.

Shri Maluk Ram Sharma,
Fire Station Officer,
Lucknow,
UTTAR PRADESH.

Shri Doraiswamy Subramaniam Alias Pakkiri,
Leading Fireman No.9,
Pondicherry Fire Service,
PONDICHERY.

Shri Mahendra Parshad,
Assistant Fire Adviser,
Research & Development Organisation, New Delhi,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
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President's Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1981.

No. 4 Pres/81 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1981, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the under mentioned officer:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri S. (Santhanan) Maruthappa, Fire Marshal and Safety Adviser, Madras Refineries Limited, Manali, Madras, Tamil Nadu.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded (Effective date of the award - 30th May, 1980)

On 30th May, 1980, at about 12.48 hrs a call was received that a serious fire had occurred in the Lube Blending Plant of Indian Oil Corporation, Tondiarpet, Madras. The Foam Fire Truck under the command of the Fire Marshal Shri S. Maruthappa was immediately rushed to the spot and reached the scene of occurrence by about 12.48 hrs after covering a distance of about 3 kms. On arrival it was noticed that the entire Pump House, measuring approx. 35m x 15m x 18m ht. housing six kettles (steel vessels tanks) of varying capacity, containing in all about 500 kilo liters of lube oil, was on fire. Assessing the situation, Foam branches were set to work without delay through windows of the building with a view to cover up and contain the fire from spreading to the surrounding property at risk. But fire did not show signs of subsiding and the entire pump house was furiously burning with the asbestos sheets cracking and flying off and the steel structural caving in the getting twisted out of shape. The flexible hose connections under three of the kettles had given way as a result of intense heat and the leading lube oil in a large measure was feeding the fire. The whole building soon became almost an inferno with imminent signs of explosion with disastrous consequences. Although the situation was getting worse, there was a reasoned hope which hinged on the fact that the only way out to check the spread of fire was to starve it by isolating the feeding valves down stream under the kettles. But this was by no means easy to achieve. None of those present would dare enter the blazing premises. Realising that the situation could not brook delay and that time was the very essence of this operation, Shri S. Maruthappa ventured to enter the building and approach the nearest kettle. He could not
succeed to the close the jammed valves as the intense heat, the slippery ground with almost knee deep hot oil and foam on the floor and the net work of pipes connecting the kettles were formidable handicaps which could not be overcome with just the helmet, gloves and gumboots he was wearing at the time. However, he wriggled out of the vicious atmosphere and in the absence of any standard or reliable protective clothing and equipment such as the asbestos fire suit, he rushed to the foam truck opened the unused delivery and smeared a thick blanket of foam on his body and with a valve key he again entered the premises, approached the nearest kettle with utmost caution but with all discomfort and succeeded to close down the feeding valve. Thereafter, he quickly got out, took a breath of fresh air, once again got himself smeared with foam all over his body and entered the premises to approach the next kettle and the feeding valve situated in the middle of the plant from which the lube oil was pouring out in large quantities than the other two. The approach to this kettle was much more hazardous and with great risk to his personal safety, he made it, but could hardly succeed in closing the valve as it was also badly jammed. The ambient temperature at the spot drove him out. He prepared himself again and picking up a hammer, went after it with dagged determination and closed the valve. This done, he quickly made for his exit. Soon after closing the two valves, it was noticed that the fire was showing signs of abatement but Sri Maruthappa could not rest content. He prepared himself again for a final attack on the only remaining feeding valve of the third kettle and emboldened by his previous two attempts he had no hesitation to achieve the object in a similar manner. Later the flames gradually subsided and the fire was completely extinguished in a matter of hours. There is no gain saying the fact that but for Sri Maruthappa's indefatigable efforts and his courageous and bold action in closing the valves under the kettles, against heavy odds and grave risk to his own life, the fire would not have been brought under control and the company could not have averted a colossal damage.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the President's Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective dates of the award.

(V.K. DAR)
Secretary to the President.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1981

No. 6 Pres/81 - The President is pleased on the occasion of
Republic Day, 1981 to award the Fire Services Medal for
gallantry to the under-mentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Telapath Mustafa,
Fireman, Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM,
KERALA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 7.9.1980)

On 5.12.75 there was a landslide near Cannanore where
three persons were buried alive. Shri Mustafa displayed utmost
courage and ability in rescuing these persons and earned a
reward. On four different occasions on 6.4.76, 20.2.1977,
16.10.1977 and on 4.1.1978, Shri Mustafa, unmindful of his
personal safety, had saved the lives of drowning persons from
deep wells and earned rewards.

On 7.9.1980 he saved the life of a 50 years old woman who
accidently fell into a deep well at Elayavoor while drawing water,
dis-regarding his personal safety and earned a reward. Apart
from the above cases he had also saved the lives of 18 persons
from wells and river waters during the short period of his service.
He is an embodiment of loyalty and dedication to duty and has set
an example for others in the service to emulate. His gallantry
deeds deserve recognition.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Philip Yonash,
Fireman 2620, Tirusulveli-Pettai,
Fire Station,
MADRAS,
TAMIL NADU.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 13.11.1979)

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Due to heavy floods caused by incessant rain, the Abisekanatti village in Tirunelveli District was isolated on 13.11.1979. A telephonic message was received stating that Abisekanatti village was surrounded by floods, and due to the collapse of a house, a lady was caught inside and was struggling for life, and that the lady and the villagers had to be rescued. The Trailer Pump Unit of Tirunelveli-Pottai Fire Station immediately turned out to the spot under the command of the Station Fire Officer of that Fire Station. On arrival at the spot it was noticed that the road near the village was badly damaged by the floods and that the village of Abisekanatti was completely isolated and surrounded by floods, and all the villagers had become frantic. The unit could not therefore, reach the spot. Only by swimming hard against the flood waters, the fire service personnel could cross to the other side and reach the village.

On arrival at the spot it was noticed that a leper woman by name Smt. Valliammal was inside the collapsed house in a dangerous condition. Her legs were almost in a broken state. She was badly in need of first-aid and immediate medical aid and had to be hospitalised. Not minding the disease of the lady, Firman P. Yogah of Tirunelveli-Pottai Fire Station came forward to rescue her, gave her first-aid to arrest the blood from the wound tied her broken legs in a proper position, and brought her safely to the other side. The woman was then removed to the hospital for further treatment. Although the other personnel also assisted in the rescue work, the timely, courageous and unrelenting hard work of Firman Shri P. Yogah in rescuing the leper woman was highly appreciated and deserves to be recognised.

Names and ranks of the officers

Shri N. Natrajam Namasivayam, Divisional Fire Officer, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.

Shri K. Chelliah, Firman 3210, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.

Shri Mina Mohammed Muthalip, Firman 2978, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.

Shri Chinnan A. Paulraj, Firman 3175, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.

Shri Pooman Santiago, Firman 2820, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.
Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 20.11.1979)

In the month of November, 1979, there was an unprecedented flood in the river Vaigai. The inflow of water from wild steams around Madurai and a large quantity of water discharged from the Vaigai Dam inundated the surroundings. The river had its full capacity of water on 20.11.79. On receipt of the information from an official of Public Works Department at 10.05 hours on 20.11.79 that six persons at Sallur were washed away when the water level had suddenly risen, Shri N. Namasiyeyam, Divisional Fire Officer, Madurai, proceeded to the spot immediately with the fire units of both Tannikulam and Madurai Fire Stations with the crew of the fire units.

The rescue party under the command of Shri N. Namasiyeyam noticed the six persons struggling for their lives in the mid-river with strong current. Somehow they managed to cling on the uprooted coconut trees that were struck in the river sand. The current in the water was so swift and the flood waters were raising minute by minute that every one at the spot was afraid to take any risk and go near them for rescue. With no concern for his personal safety Shri N. Namasiyeyam, followed by five other firemen had volunteered to rescue the six persons. With excellent planning and coordination under Shri N. Namasiyeyam, the fire crew were pressed into service with the help of ropes and lifebuoys for the rescue of the six individuals. Shri N. Namasiyeyam with the party of five firemen jumped into the river nearly 700 feet away from the persons caught in the river. By swimming hard across the swift current, he with his five men reached near the places where the persons were clinging on to the coconut trees. He planned to rescue the six persons by placing two at a time on lifebuoys and to swim further to reach the banks. As planned he was struck by the thorny wild vegetations and hence he had to swim further to reach the banks. On either side of the river more than 3 km, and then climbed the northern bank of the river after complete exhaustion. Thus all the six persons saved. The above operation was undertaken by Shri N. Namasiyeyam and his crew with remarkable presence of mind and courage risking their lives. The gallant act was greatly appreciated by the Revenue Officials and the Hon'ble Minister for Local Administration

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who witnessed the rescue operations. The acts of gallantry displayed by Shri N. Natraj Namasivayam, Divisional Fire Officer, Shri K. Chelliah, Fireman, Shri Nino Mohamed Muthalip, Fireman, Shri Chinnan A. Paulraj, Fireman, Shri Poornan Santiago, Fireman and Shri S. Irulappan Chinnathambi, Fireman deserve recognition by the award of the Fire Service Medal for gallantry.

2. Those awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(V.K. DAR)
Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1981.

No.5-Pres./81 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1981, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for distinguished services to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Amar Nath Ahluwalia,
Fire Consultant,
Defence Institute of Fire Research,
Ministry of Defence,
NEW DELHI.

Shri Ramaswami Singarasundaram,
Chief Fire Officer,
Delhi Fire Service,
NEW DELHI.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(11) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(V.K. Dar)
Secretary to the President.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1981.

No.7-Pres./81 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1981, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

1. Shri B. Krishnamurthy, Addl. Director of Fire Services, Hyderabad, ANDHRA PRADESH.

2. Shri Guddeopogue David, Driver Operator, Vijayawada, Fire Station, HYDERABAD, ANDHRA PRADESH.

3. Shri M.S. Ashraff, Divisional Fire Officer, HYDERABAD, ANDHRA PRADESH.

4. Shri P. Venkateswarlu, Fireman, Chirala Fire Station, HYDERABAD, ANDHRA PRADESH.

5. Shri Appanna Shrigara Narayana, Fireman, BANGALORE KARNATAKA.

6. Shri Bheema Rao Ranji Rao, Leading Fireman, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA.

7. Shri Chittor Raju, Leading Fireman, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA.

8. Shri Koran Kunniraman, Higher Grade Fireman, TRIVANDRUM, KERALA.

9. Shri Parameswaran Pillai Ravindran Pillai, Assistant Divisional Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM, KERALA.
10. Shri Payattuvila Chacko Varghese, Fireman Driver, TRIVANDRUM, KERALA.

11. Shri Ramakrishnan Nadar Lakshmanan Nadar, Leading Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM, KERALA.

12. Shri Atmaram Yeshwant Salunke, Leading Fireman, Bombay Fire Brigade, BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA.

13. Shri Kutubuddin Rehman Sayed, Sub Officer, Bombay Fire Brigade, BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA.

14. Shri Shankar Bhiwa Gaikwad, Driver Operator, Bombay Fire Brigade, BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA.

15. Shri Shambhajirao Dattaji Rao, Supdt. Fire Brigade, Kolhapur, BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA.

16. Shri Sopan Laxman Polve, Sub Officer, Bombay Fire Brigade, BOMBAY, MAHARASHTRA.

17. Shri A. Satyalinga Achari, Deputy Fire Officer, CUTTACK, ORISSA.

18. Shri Baldev Raj Sharma, Fire Station Officer, Indhiana, CHANDIGARH, PUNJAB.

19. Shri John Joseph, Leading Fireman 2497, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.

20. Shri Ponniah Mrugesan, Divisional Fire Officer, MADRAS, TAMIL NADU.
21. Shri Syed Yussuff Khather,
Fireman Driver 1722,
MADRAS,
TAMIL NADU.

22. Shri Rambahoo Lal,
Chief Fire Officer, Kanpur,
LUCKNOW,
UTTAR PRADESH.

23. Shri Bijendra Singh,
Leading Fireman, Agra,
LUCKNOW,
UTTAR PRADESH.

2. These awards are made under rule 3 (11) of the Rules
governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(V.K. Dar)
Secretary to the President.
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President's Secretariat
Notification

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1981

No. 50-Pres./81 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 1981, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Hyder Mhammed,
Fireman,
Orissa Fire Service,
Cuttack,
Bhubaneswar (Orissa)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(effective date of the award 18.2.1981)

On the 18th February 1981, at about 1940 hours, a message was received at Talcher Fire Station about the outbreak of fire from the coal dust in the underground tunnel of the Talcher Thermal Power Station. In the absence of the Station Officer on duty, the fire service units rushed to the spot under the leadership of Leading Fireman K.C. Mohapatra. On arrival, the brigade met with an uphill task of combating the most serious nature of fire that had occurred inside the coal tunnel. There were live wires and the belt with coal powder was moving and there was danger that the area would explode or burn up. Fireman 603 Hyder Mhammed, though not equipped with modernised life safety gears, entered the tunnel by crawling with instructions to his companions to protect him by spraying water so that he may not get burnt by the hot air from either side of the tunnel. The followers acted accordingly and controlled the spread of fire and ultimately succeeded in extinguishing it and averted a major catastrophe.

2. Shri Hyder Mhammed in this action exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, presence of mind and devotion to duty of a high order.
Name and rank of the officer:

Shri Bajrang Bahadur Srivastava,
Fire Station Officer,
Chowk District Lucknow,
LUCKNOW (UTTAR PRADESH)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(effective date of the award 2.8.1980)

On the 2nd August 1980, there were very heavy rains, paralysing the entire city specially old Lucknow. With a sudden loud thud and explosion, the entire structure of historical Nawabi building known as ZARO KUTHI collapsed and huge mass of debris buried many members of poor families living in this building. On getting the information, Shri Bajrang Bahadur Srivastava with rescue party immediately rushed to the spot. On reaching there, he found that debris had heaped to form a huge mound of irregular surface and making it difficult to proceed with the work. Portion of two walls and roofs at places were hanging dangerously. It was beyond anyone's imagination as to how much of the debris were to be removed to extricate the persons buried therein. Shri Srivastava in disregard of danger to his life perched himself on the mound of the debris. He heard a number of faint voices and groanings of the casualties who were struggling and clamouring for help. He encouraged and exhorted his hesitant men to come forward and join him at once to start the rescue operations. Under great personal risk, stress and strain, he lifted the wooden beams one by one and help them aloft to enable him to dig out cautiously and extricate the casualties. After some digging two groaning bodies were located. They were taken out and sent to Medical College. Two more persons were dug out alive and were sent to hospital for treatment. Twelve more bodies were extricated but they could not be rescued alive inspite of best efforts.

2. In this operation, Shri Bajrang Bahadur Srivastava displayed exemplary courage, conspicuous gallantry, leadership and devotion to duty of very high order and skilful organizing capability.

These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(S. Nalakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
New Delhi, the 15th August, 1981

No. 49-Pres/81. The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 1981, to award the President's Fire Services medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Gulab Tukaram Kavale, (deceased)
Station House Officer,
Mangapur Fire Brigade,
Mangapur,
Bombay (Maharashtra).

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award -- 23.1.1981)

On the 23rd January, 1981, at about 0355 hours Civil Fire Station Headquarters, Mangapur, received a fire call from a local resident of Immambada. Station House Officer, Shri Gulab Tukaram Kavale, who was on duty immediately rushed to the scene of fire with fire tender and his crew. On arrival at the scene of fire Shri Kavale noticed that a grocery shop was on fire in a thickly populated area. The shop was surrounded on all the three sides by buildings. Shri Kavale quickly sized up the situation and came to the conclusion that the fire had to be contained to the shop, failing which the entire locality was in grave danger. In account of presence of large quantities of edible oil and kerosene in the shop, the entire area was covered by thick black smoke making it difficult to locate the exact seat of fire. Soon reinforcement of Banjipath and CMFU Fire Station with Station Officer Shri D.G. Karsolia and Assistant Station Officer Shri M.N. Vaidekar respectively arrived.

Shri Kavale immediately took up the position on one side in a very narrow space, which he considered as the only spot from where fire fighting operations were effective. Shri Kavale and his crew members relentlessly fought the fire for two and a half hours with appreciable results. Suddenly Shri Kavale saw the signs of caving-in of the wall and the roof towards him. He immediately alerted his crew and ordered them to withdraw. He waited behind till the last fireman was out of danger from the narrow lane. Exactly at the time when Shri Kavale was about to withdraw the wall along with burning portion of the roof collapsed on Shri Kavale and he got trapped.

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under debris. With great efforts he was removed from debris and was immediately rushed to the Medical College Hospital, Jaipur, with third degree burns. Shri Kowala succumbed to his injuries and burns.

2. In this operation Shri Kowala showed exceptional courage and conspicuous devotion to duty.

3. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the President’s Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Milk-Kantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
No. 51 – Pres./81 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1981, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

Shri Mahendra babu Arutla Trivedi, Station Officer, Municipal Corporation, Baroda, GANDHINAGAR (GUJARAT).

Shri Mohmedmiya Bhikhumiya Shaikh, Leading Fireman, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade, Municipal Corporation Ahmedabad, GANDHINAGAR (GUJARAT).

Shri Sambam Narasimha Naidu, Station Fire Officer, Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Koka Adinarayana, Leading Fireman, Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Manathanath Krishnan Padmanabhan, Divisional Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Vazhappilli Cheriyyath Joseph, Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

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Shri Ponnambarath Velayudhan,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

Shri Visuvasam Isreal,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (TAMIL NADU)

Shri Annamalai Velu,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (TAMIL NADU)

1. Shri Mitish Kumar Singh,
   Sub Officer,
   Tripura State Fire Service,
   AGARTALA (TRIPURA)

11. Shri Jitendra Kumar Majunder,
    Leading Fireman,
    Tripura State Fire Service,
    AGARTALA (TRIPURA)

12. Shri R. Ramaswamy,
    Head Constable No. 358,
    Andaman & Nicobar Police Fire Service,
    PORT BLAIR (ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS)

13. Shri Vankeua,
    Station Officer,
    Mizoram Fire Service,
    AIZAWL (MIZORAM)

13. Shri Joao Bonifacio Adolfo Valentine Ferrao,
    Station Fire Officer,
    Goa, Daman & Diu,
    PANJIM (GOA, DAMAN & DIU)

14. Shri Raminder Singh Sra,
    Assistant Fire Officer,
    Department of Civil Aviation,
    MINISTRY OF TOURISM & CIVIL AVIATION.

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Shri Sanarendra Narayan Chakrabortty,
Fire Officer,
Steel Authority of India Limited,
Bhilai Steel Plant, Bilai,
MINISTRY OF STEEL & MINES.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Malakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1982

No.1-Pres./82 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1982 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the under-mentioned persons:-

Name and rank of the Officer

Shri Nookala Sambasiva Rao,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 3rd June, 1981.)

On the 3rd June, 1981, at about 1350 hours a serious fire broke out at Ganapavaram village of Tadepalligudem Taluk in West Godavari District. In this devastating fire, 145 houses, 9 terraced buildings, 12 tiled houses, and 124 thatched houses, besides several hay-stacks and paddy granaries were gutted. The fire message was received at Tadepalligudem Fire Station at about 1355 hours and the units were turned out immediately and reached the scene of incident at 1415 hours. On seeing the seriousness of the situation, some more Fire Engines were requisitioned from Bhimavaram and Eluru Fire Stations and all the Seven Fire Engines were in operation for about 34 hours to extinguish the devastating fire. Fourteen persons, who sought shelter in pucca buildings lost their lives due to suffocation and burns. The entire village was engulfed in flames and dense smoke. Fireman Nookala Sambasiva Rao of Tadepalligudem Fire Station was working for the Fire Ground and extinguishing the fire with one jet of water. He heard the groans of some persons in one of the affected houses. Twenty-one persons, both male and female, had taken shelter in this building for safety as all the thatched huts and tiled houses in the area were burning. The windows and the back side doors of this building also caught fire and the entire premises within the building was full of smoke and was dark. There was only one passage and it was bolted from inside the building. Shri Rao risked his own life and rushed to the said building and kicked the door heavily and broke it open. He could not see the persons immediately on account of dense smoke and surrounding flames. He crawled and brought 21 persons one by one out of the house and saved their lives. All these persons were in a semi-conscious or unconscious state due to carbon monoxide poisoning and would have collapsed but for the timely rescue by Shri Rao.

\(\text{exceptional}\) In this action Shri Nookala Sambasiva Rao exhibited presence of mind, courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.
Name and Rank of the Officer

Shri Biren Chandra Baruah,
Fireman 349,
Nowgong Fire Station,
DISPUR (IS:IM)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 20th December, 1980.)

On the 20th December, 1980 at about 1900 hours, the Station Officer of Nowgong Fire Station was informed by the Officer-in-Charge of Nowgong Police Station over phone about the outbreak of fire at Dling Bus Syndicate of Nowgong town. On receipt of the information, the Station Officer immediately rushed to the spot with two water tender pumps along with their crew. But to the utter surprise and bewilderment of the fire crew, there was no fire. Instead, they saw a bomb placed underneath the chassis of a passenger bus the (thread) fuse of which was burning at a rapid pace. Seeing the fuse of the bomb burning rapidly the crowd consisting of persons of various age groups nearabout the Bus Syndicate started running in different directions and became absolutely panicky. For a few moments the fire crew stood motionless and got perplexed facing such an unforeseen contingency. Sensing the disastrous consequences that might have ensued causing damage to human life and property around the scene of the incident in the event of the blasting of the bomb, Fireman Shri Biren Chandra Baruah thought for a moment and then acted fast. Crawling under the chassis of the bus, he picked up the bomb and defused it by tearing off the fuse of the bomb with his teeth in complete disregard of his personal safety and thus prevented the explosion.

In this action Shri Biren Chandra Baruah exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the President's Fire Service Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective dates of the award.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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DATED SATURDAY THE 30TH JANUARY, 1982

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1982.

No. 2-Pres./82 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1982, to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry
to the under-mentioned persons:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Makram Ali Mazumdar,
Fireman No. 316,
Assam Fire Service,
Dispur (Assam)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 21st December, 1980)

On the 21st December, 1980 at about 2340 hours, the
Station Officer of Silchar Fire Station received a message about
the outbreak of fire at Chaklapatty of Silchar town. The
Station Officer immediately left for the scene of fire along with
the crew. The fire was a devastating one and the crew could see
the fire from a long distance galloping towards the roof of
several houses surging mushrooms of fire towards the sky. A
narrow lane which serves as the only entrance and exit for the
area was jam-packed with crowd which added to the hazards of the
situation. By the time the fire brigade reached the spot, parts
of the roofs of three houses fell to the ground. The screams of
the victims of the fire could be heard by all.

within seconds, the firemen took position and started
spraying water with a view to stopping the fire from reaching the
adjacent buildings of the market. As the crew was fighting hard
to suppress the fury of the fire, an anguished scream was heard
from inside of a house which was burning fiercely. Instinctively,
the Station Officer and three firemen rushed towards the burning
house and found from a distance a teenaged girl trapped in the
fire. The girl could be seen crouching under a partially burnt
wooden cot to protect herself from the fury of the flames
writhing round the frail wooden structure. The intense heat,
burning flames and deadly smoke added with heavy current of wind
made it impossible for anyone to make an attempt to enter the
house without wearing a fire-proof dress and there was hardly
any time for any of the members to go back for such a dress,
since the burning flames were almost grabbing the wooden cot
under which the girl was taking shelter. Suddenly Fireman
Makram Ali Mazumdar hit upon a desperate decision of rescuing

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the girl under cover of water from the delivery hoses and according,
ignoring the dangers that might lie ahead, he leapt into the
spray of water. This gallant action of his paid dividends and he
angry flames and poisonous smoke under cover of water.

Though there were no burn injuries on their bodies both
Fireman Makram Ali Mazumdar and the girl suffered from intense
dizziness and pain due to rush of super-heated air into their lungs.
Immediately after they came back to a safer distance, the
remaining portion of the roof of the house fell crashing on the
ground. This was instantaneous action and the rescue of the girl
was absolutely miraculous. The fire was extinguished after two
hours of strenuous fighting.

In this action Fireman Makram Ali Mazumdar exhibited
exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high
order at total disregard of his own personal safety.

Shri M. Kolappa (Pillai) Chidambaram (Pillai),
Leading Fireman 2315,
Nagercoil Fire Station,
NAVAR (TAMIL NADU)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 21st December, 1980)

On the 21st December, 1980, due to heavy torrential rains
in Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Ashwamankulam and Madankulam
at Vadeeswaran were flooded. As the rains continued, the road
between the two tanks breached for a length of about 20 feet.
The sixteen huts that stood on the bank of Ashwamankulam were
flooded and were in danger of being washed away by the fierce
refuge on the roofs of a few huts and some were precariously
hanging on to the tree tops, to save their lives. On receipt
of information, the Mobile Tank Unit of Nagercoil Fire Station
immediately turned out to the spot under the command of the
Station Fire Officer of that fire station. On arrival at the
spot Shri M. Kolappa (Pillai) Chidambaram (Pillai), Leading Fireman,
secured one end of a rope to a big tree and after tying the other
end around his waist, plunged into the fierce current, and after
strenuously battling with the swift currents, succeeded in reaching
the huts, which were 150 feet away from the road. Then he
brought the stranded people with the help of the rope one by one on
his shoulder to safety. The other men of the Station also joined
him in rescuing the stranded persons. Thus all the seventy-six
persons were saved without any loss of life. On the same day at
2135 hours, a message was received stating that the area of Kottar was
completely submerged and a girl aged 10 was caught under the debris
of a collapsed house and had to be rescued. The unit of Nagercoil
Fire Station turned out to the spot immediately.

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continuous rain there was little chance of clearing the debris and locating the victim. However, Shri Chidambaram, working diligently, succeeded in finding the spot where the girl was trapped under the debris. Then with the help of the other man, he cleared the debris, located the girl and rescued her without any injuries. She was then sent to the hospital.

Shri N. Kolappa(Pillai) Chidambaram(Pillai) thus displayed initiative, presence of mind, exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(S. Milakantant)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT  

NOTIFICATION  

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1982

No.3-Pres./82 — The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1982, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:—

1. Shri Rajendra Bora, Sub-Officer, Assam Fire Service, DISPUR (ASAM)

2. Shri Poiran Lakshmanan, Assistant Divisional Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

3. Shri Kuttan Balakrishnan, Station Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

4. Shri Puthan Parambil Kesavan Sadanandan, Station Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

5. Shri Malappanthodi Mull Kumaran Nair, Assistant Station Officer, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

6. Shri Kallalappil Balan, Leading Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

7. Shri Edayath Kuniyil Gopala Kurup, Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

8. Shri Kanakanthari Kumaran Nair, Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)

9. Shri Madhavan Pillai Gopalakrishna Pillai, Fireman, Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA)
10. Shri Gulam Dastagir Gudumian,
    Station Fire Officer,
    Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
    MADRAS (TAMIL NADU)

11. Shri Mera Mohideen Mohamed Hanifa,
    Fireman-Driver 2514,
    Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
    MADRAS (TAMIL NADU)

12. Shri Srinivasa Iyer Sankaran,
    Leading Fireman 2207,
    Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
    MADRAS (TAMIL NADU)

13. Shri Rajaratnam Kandasamy,
    Assistant Director,
    National Fire Service College, Nagpur,
    Ministry of Home Affairs,
    NEW DELHI

14. Shri Tulsi Das,
    Mechanic,
    National Fire Service College, Nagpur,
    Ministry of Home Affairs,
    NEW DELHI

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1982.

No.34-Pres./82 - The president is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1982, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Dilip Kumar Samanta,
Station Officer,
West Bengal Fire Service,
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri Rasiklal Bairagi,
Fire Operator,
West Bengal Fire Service,
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

(Effective date of the award - 27th June, 1981)

On the 27th June, 1981, at about 1045 hrs., a call was received through Police Control soliciting Fire Brigade help for rescuing a person from Howrah Bridge. Shri Dilip Kumar Samanta and Shri Rasiklal Bairagi reached the spot and started the rescue operation. This rescue work was worthy of special mention as a lunatic person was rescued from the apex of Howrah Bridge, which is 270 ft. high from the road level and is beyond the reach of any fire appliance. Shri Dilip Kumar Samanta and Shri Rasiklal Bairagi climbed up the height of the bridge, which was slippery due to rain, at the peril of their lives. They brought down the person safely with the help of a lowering line.

In this action Shri Dilip Kumar Samanta and Shri Rasiklal Bairagi exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Makanlal Mullick,
Divisional Fire officer,
West Bengal Fire Service,
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

(Effective date of the award - 4th September, 1980)

On the 4th September, 1980, at about 2100 hrs., E-Division Control received a fire call from Oblique Hotel reporting a fire near the Hotel. Immediately after receiving the call and losing
no time, Shri Mākhanlal Mullick, Divisional Fire Officer, D-Division, rushed to the accident spot. On reaching there, the fire brigade had to face a series of detonations of cooking gas cylinders, which were stored in the godown of H/s. Central Calcutta Supply Agency. There were 350 charged cylinders. The roof of the single storied godown had totally collapsed due to explosion and most of the cylinders went up to 40 to 50 ft. high in the air and landed in all the directions. Some of them landed at about 700 ft. away in some of the residential quarters. This caused a panic in the area. Shri Mullick took timely decision ignoring his personal safety and led his force with firm determination and courage to attack the fire. Under the command of Shri Mākhanlal Mullick the fire was brought under control.

In this action Shri Mākhanlal Mullick exhibited leadership, exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

2. These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(S. P. Jilakantān)
Deputy Secretary to the President
No. 35-Pres./82 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1982, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

Shri K. Krishna Reddy,
Driver Operator,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Mhd. Sikander Farooqui,
Engineer Sub-Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Ch. Pitchaih,
Leading Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Samudrala Ramchandar,
Engineer Sub-Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service, HYDERABAD (ANDHRA PRADESH).

Shri Syed Mohammed Askary Moosavi,
Deputy Director (Technical) & Commandant, Fire Force Training Institute, Karnataka State Fire Force, BANGALORE (KARNATAKA).

Shri Kunju Pillai Chakrapani Kuttappan Aan,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Narayanan Nair Sivasankaran Nair,
Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Velayudhan Pillai Sekharan Nair,
Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force, TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).
Shri Mohamedali Gulammohiddin Sirkhot,
Assistance Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MahaRASHTRA).

Shri Pandu Laxman Mahamunkar,
Fireman,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MahaRASHTRA).

Shri Ameer Sahib Abdul Aziz,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (Tamil NADu).

Shri Hariharan Subramanya (Nambiayar) Nallakannu,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (Tamil NADu).

Shri Syed Mohammad Taqi Zaidi,
Deputy Director (Technical),
Uttar Pradesh Fire Service,
LUCKNOW (Uttar Pradesh).

Shri Guishan Jaggi,
Assistant Divisional Officer (Fire),
Delhi Fire Service,
Municipal Corporation of Delhi, UT of Delhi,
NEW DELHI.

Shri Harbhajan Singh,
Supervisor Non-technical Grade I,
Petroleum Depot, Punjab,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, NEW DELHI.

Shri Kasturi Lal Bhatia,
Fire Supervisor Grade I,
Military Engineering Service,
(Carriison Engineer 574 Engineer park),
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, NEW DELHI.

Shri Rajendra Singh Parihar,
Fire Supervisor Grade 'A',
Indian Ordnance Factories,
Gun Carriage Factory, JBP,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, NEW DELHI.

Shri Paracattil Leo Sebastian,
Fire Officer,
Oil & Natural Gas Commission,
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS, NEW DELHI.
Shri Girhna Nand Chhardwaj,
AO (Fire), Northern Railway,
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.

Shri Joti Sarup Mehta,
Fire Officer,
Bharat Aluminium Company Limited,
Korba, Madhya Pradesh,
MINISTRY OF STEEL & MINES, NEW DELHI.

Shri Ambalavanan Mani,
Asstt. Fire Officer,
International Airports Authority of India,
Madras Airport,
MINISTRY OF TOURISM & CIVIL AVIATION, NEW DELHI.

Shri C.T. Kunjumethan,
Fire Officer,
VSSC Fire Services, Trivandrum,
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE, NEW DELHI.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT.

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1983.

No. 4-pres./83 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1983, to award the President's Fire Service Medal
for gallantry to the undermentioned person:

Name and rank of the Officer

Shri Karuppanna Servai Ramayya,
Fireman-Driver 1379,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Thallakulam Fire Station,
Madras (Tamil Nadu).

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 24th August, 1981)

On the 24th August, 1981, Shri Ettikara, a tourist from
Maharashtra, who climbed the mountain in Tirupparankunram,
slipped down into a cave in the mountain at a height of 300 ft.
Fire Service at Thallakulam was requisitioned. Fireman-Driver
1379 Shri Karuppanna Servai Ramayya volunteered immediately to
rescue the tourist without minding his own safety. He tied a
rope round his hip and with the help of others, he started to go
down the cave. He slowly and slowly worked his way into the
cave and found the man in a precarious condition. He very
cleverly approached the victim and after securing him round his
waist slowly climbed up the cave and brought him safely without
any injuries. But for the timely and courageous act of Shri
Ramayya, the life of the tourist could not have been saved.

In this action Shri Karuppanna Servai Ramayya exhibited
exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

2. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the
rules governing the award of the President's Fire Service Medal
and consequently carries with it the special allowance admissible
under rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Milakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the president
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1983.

No. 7-pre/83 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1983, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned Officers:

Shri Bishnupada Chakraborty,
Station Officer, Assam Fire Service,
GAUHATI (ASSAM).

Shri Faramroze Erachshaw Goswami,
Chief Officer,
Ahmedabad Fire Brigade,
AHMEDABAD (GUJARAT).

Shri Veleylil Padmajan Gopi,
Assistant Divisional Officer, Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Dattaram Dhaworgao Mahunkar,
Driver Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Raut Devidas Nagorao,
Fire Superintendent,
Solapur City Municipal Corporation,
SOLAPUR (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Venkatosh Balacharya Warikheidi,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Nabakishore Mohanty,
Assistant Station Officer, Orissa Fire Service,
CUTTACK (ORISSA).

Shri Palaniappa Gounder Thambanam,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (TAMIL NADU).

Shri Subramayalu (Naidu)purushothaman,
Driver-Mechanic 397,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
MADRAS (TAMIL NADU).
Shri Ashim Kumar Bose, 
Chief Instructor, 
Central Fire Service & Rescue Training School, 
West Bengal Fire Service, 
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri Bibhuti Bhusan Barua, 
Leader, 
West Bengal Fire Service, 
(Head Quarters Fire Station) 
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri William Charles, 
Chief Mobilising Officer, 
West Bengal Fire Service (Directorate Control), 
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri Amar Chand, 
Fireman Grade I, 
HQ Western Command Fire Brigade, 
Simla (Defence), 
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

Shri Karam Singh, 
Leading Hand (Fire), 
HQ Western Command Fire Brigade, 
Simla (Defence), 
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

Shri Partap Singh Negi, 
Leading Hand (Fire), 
HQ Western Command Fire Brigade, 
Simla (Defence), 
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

Shri Sanwari Lal, 
Head Rakshak (Fire), 
Northern Railway, 
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

Shri P. Krishna Rao, 
Asstt. Security Officer/Fire, 
South Central Railway, 
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

Shri Sardar Singh Nihal Singh, 
Inspector (Fire) Maintenance, 
Central Railway, 
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan) 
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1983.

No. 63-Pres./83 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of
Independence Day, 1983, to award the Fire Services Medal for
Gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Vasant Baburao Nikam,
Chief Fire Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983)

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours, fire broke out
in timber framed Veerami Mansion, a five storeyed building, off Israel
Mohalla off Yusuf Maherally Road in South Bombay, a highly congested
locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial
offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings
by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time.
Shri Vasant Baburao Nikam, Chief Fire Officer, arrived at the scene
of fire at 2113 hours. The entire building was enveloped in fire due
to explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building,
resulting in frequent collapse of portions of the building and many
people were screaming in extreme panic for help. The only wooden
staircase of the building was also rendered unserviceable.
Without losing time, Shri Nikam immediately undertook the rescue
operation on the second and third floors with the assistance of his
officers. He climbed up critically balanced ladder to enter the
third floor of the burning building and rescued nine trapped persons
on the third floor. Regardless of his age, Shri Nikam then entered
the second floor and saved seven persons.

2. In this action Shri Vasant Baburao Nikam exhibited
conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional
expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

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Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.
(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983.)

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours, fire broke out in timber framed Veerani Mansion, a five storied building off Israel Mohalla off Yusuf Maherally Road in South Bombay, a highly congested locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time. The building was served by a single wooden staircase, surrounded by a cluster of various other timber framed residential buildings. When Shri D.J. Kulkarni, Divisional Officer, arrived at the scene of fire at 2112 hours, the entire building was enveloped in fire. The only wooden staircase of the building was rendered unserviceable due to explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building. Shri Vasant Baburao Nikam, Chief Fire Officer, instructed Shri Kulkarni to rescue the trapped persons from the first two floors. Shri Kulkarni and fireman Shridhar Harbarao Shirke entered the second floor of the building with the help of a light alloy ladder followed by Shri Nikam. Shri Kulkarni rescued two persons in quick succession by Fireman’s lift. He assisted by Fireman Shirke, skillfully saved the lives of six persons who were on the verge of collapse.

In this operation Shri D.J. Kulkarni exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.
(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983.)

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours, fire broke out in timber framed Veerani Mansion, a five storied building, off Israel Mohalla off Yusuf Maherally Road in South Bombay, a highly congested
locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time. As Shri Sridhar Harbaraao Shirke, Fireman, arrived at the scene of fire at 2112 hours, the entire building was enveloped in fire due to explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building, resulting in frequent collapse of portions of the building. The only wooden staircase of the building was rendered unserviceable due to explosions. Shri Vaasant Baburaao Nikam, Chief Fire Officer, ordered Shri Shirke to undertake rescue operation on the first two floors. Shri Shirke and Shri D.J. Kulkami, Divisional Officer, climbed up the precariously balanced light alloy ladder and entered the second floor of the burning building. Shri Shirke, in the face of grave danger and risk to his life, rescued two persons in quick succession by fireman's lift. He then entered the first floor of the building by crawling over the improvised bridge from the roof of the adjoining building and with Shri Kulkami, brought six persons to safety by traversing the delicate improvised bridge.

2. In this operation Shri Sridhar Harbaraao Shirke exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer.

Shri Ganesh Narayan Savant,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

*(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983.)*

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours, fire broke out in timber framed Veerani Mansion, a five storeyed building, off Israel Mohalla off Yusuf Maherally Road in South Bombay, a highly congested locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time. As Shri Ganesh Narayan Savant, Assistant Divisional Officer, arrived at the scene of fire at 2111 hours, the entire building was enveloped in fire. The only wooden staircase of the building, having been blown off at places due to gas cylinder explosions and was ablaze in flames and was thus rendered unserviceable. Without losing time, Shri Savant accompanied by an Assistant Station Officer and Fireman climbed the ladder and entered the third floor of the burning building where nine persons were trapped. In the face of grave danger and risk to his life, he brought down an old lady, aged about 50 years, on his shoulders. Once again, Shri Savant went up the ladder and under his leadership six other persons were brought down to safety.

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2. During this operation Shri Ganesh Narayan Sawant exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Padmavkar Pandurang Sawant,
Assistant Station Officer, Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.
(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983.)

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours, fire broke out in timber framed Veerani Mansion, a five storeyed building, off Israel Mohalla off Yusuf Maheraly Road in South Bombay, a highly congested locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time. As Shri Padmakar Pandurang Sawant, Assistant Station Officer, arrived at the scene of fire at 2112 hours, the entire building was enveloped in fire. The only wooden staircase of the building, having been blown off at places due to gas cylinder explosions and was ablaze and was thus rendered unserviceable. Shri Sawant climbed up the light alloy ladder and entered the third floor of the burning building where nine persons were trapped. In the face of grave danger and threat to his life, Shri Sawant brought down a trapped person by carrying him on his shoulders. Thereafter with the joint efforts of Assistant Divisional Officer, Shri Ganesh Narayan Sawant and Fireman Suresh Ramchandra Kadam, he succeeded in the rescue of six more trapped persons from the third floor of the building.

2. During this operation Shri Padmakar Pandurang Sawant exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Suresh Ramchandra Kadam,
Fireman,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.
(effective date of the award 21st April, 1983.)

On the 21st April, 1983, at about 2106 hours fire broke out in timber framed Veerani Mansion, a five storeyed building, off Israel Mohalla off Yusuf Haerally Road in South Bombay, a highly
congested locality. The building was being used for godowns and commercial offices at the ground floor and upper floors were used as dwellings by nearly 300 persons, who were present in the building at that time. As Shri Suresh Ramchandra Kadam, Fireman, arrived at the scene of fire at 2111 hours, the entire building was enveloped in fire due to explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building. The only wooden staircase of the building was also rendered unserviceable due to explosions. Shri Kadam was ordered to take the rescue operation on the third floor. Without losing time, Shri Kadam climbed the light alloy ladder and entered the third floor of the burning building, where nine persons were trapped. In the face of grave danger and threat to his life, Shri Kadam brought down a trapped person on his shoulders. With the joint efforts of the Assistant Divisional Officer, Shri Ganesh Narayan Sawant and Assistant Station Officer, Shri Padmakar Pandurang Sawant, he succeeded in rescue of six more trapped persons from the third floor of the building.

2. During this operation Shri Suresh Ramchandra Kadam exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Ghulam Nabi Shagoo,
Mechanic Driver No. 108,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Services,
Srinagar,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 14th April, 1982.)

On the 14th April, 1982, Shri Ghulam Nabi Shagoo, Mechanic Driver No. 108, on his way to attend a fire at M.A. Road, Srinagar, faced a rowdy and riotous mob near the old KMD Bus stand. The three water tenders and a towing tender despatched to attend the fire were intercepted and brought to a stand-still by the irrate mob. He received serious head injuries by a barrage of brick bats hurled by the riotous mob. Dauntlessly, he continued to proceed to the scene of fire. On his way, he was again attacked by the hooligans near Capital Hotel Crossing, Srinagar. On arrival at the scene of fire, he immediately started rescue operation. While he and other crew members were being chased by the mob, Shri Shagoo made several attempts to save himself and continued the fire fighting operations. Meanwhile the irate mob set ablaze a towing tender with petrol. Shri Shagoo, without losing time engaged himself in putting out the fire and succeeded in a short time. Thereafter, he fell unconscious and was removed to Hospital.

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2. In this operation Shri Ghulam Nabi Shagoo exhibited conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, presence of mind and devotion to duty of a very high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under rule 5 from the effective dates of the award.

(S. Nallakanth)  
Deputy Secretary to the President.
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1983.

No. 64—Pres./83—The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1983, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Chennabatiny Nagaiah,
Leading Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri S. Srinivasa Rao,
Leading Fireman, Anantapur,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Syed Zulfiqar Hussain,
Leading Fireman,
Panjagutta Fire Station,
Andhra Pradesh Fire Service,
Hyderabad,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Shri Sarbananda Deka,
Leading Fireman,
Gauhati Fire Station,
Assam State Fire Service,
Gauhati,
ASSAM.

Shri Pulikkal Vasu Raveendran,
Assistant Station Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
Kerala.

Shri Velayudhan Pillai Krishna Nair,
Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
Trivandrum,
KERALA.

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Shri Shashikumar Sumitra Amolik,
Divisional Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Bombay,
MAHARASHTRA.

Shri Madar Saheb Mohamed Usman,
Station Fire Officer,
Tondiarpet Fire Station,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Nataraja Naicker Thirunavukkarasu,
Leading Fireman, 261,
Guindy Fire Station,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Vavusaha Rowther Sheik Dawood,
Driver-Mechanic, 1543,
Tallahallem Fire Station,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
Madras,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Kumud Ranjan Math,
Leading Fireman,
Mizoram Fire Service,
Aizawl,
MIZORAM.

Shri Ralhranga,
Leading Fireman,
Mizoram Fire Service,
Aizawl,
MIZORAM.

Shri Padur Raghavelunaidu Opparaswamy,
Civilian Fire Master, PA No.14540,
No.23, Equipment Depot Air Force Station,
Avadi, Madras-600055,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, NEW DELHI.

Shri Saroop Singh,
Foreman (Fire Brigade),
Vehicle Factory, Jabalpur,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, NEW DELHI.

Shri J.P. Holder,
Assistant Security Officer (Fire),
Eastern Railway, Calcutta,
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.
Shri Sultan Karim Khan,
Inspector/Fire,
North-Eastern Railway, Gorakhpur,
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1984.

No.2-Pres./84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1984, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned person:—

Name and rank of the officer.

Shri Kishori Singh
Station Officer
Delhi Fire Service,
Delhi, UT OF DELHI

(Posthumous)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

(Effective date of the award - 6th June, 1983)

On the 6th June, 1983, at 11.47 hrs., a devastating fire occurred in Gopalal Towers, a multi-storeyed building at 25, Rajendra Place, New Delhi. Being a serious fire, all senior officers of the Delhi Fire Service responded to the scene of the fire. The main staircase and the fire escape staircase of the building were rendered unserviceable due to smoke and heat and about 500 people were stranded on the terrace as well as on the top floors. About 30 persons, who were trapped on the upper floors, were rescued by fire service personnel, using tall ladders. However, a large number of people were still stranded on the terrace of the building.

On instructions from the Chief Fire Officer, a party of officers and men from the Fire Service were sent up to the roof of the building to rescue the persons on the roof-top. Shri Kishori Singh, Station Officer, was guiding the evacuation operations on the staircase of the 12th floor, assisting the people who were making use of the staircase for going down. Simultaneously, persons on the roof-top were being rescued through an improvised bridge also.

Soon after the helicopter rescue from the roof-top was done, there was a flash over and there was a sudden shooting up of flames and clouds of thick smoke from the upper floors. No one was aware of the fate of Shri Kishori Singh, who staked his post on the 12th floor in his mission of assisting in evacuation of the trapped persons, quite unmindful of his own personal safety. In this action, Station Officer Shri Kishori Singh was overcome by the sudden flare-up of flames and smoke and sacrificed his life in the discharge of his duties.

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Shri Kishori Singh, thus, exhibited exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the President's Fire Service Medal and consequently carries with it the special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1984

No. 4-Pres./84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1984, to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned persons:

**Names and rank of the officers**

Shri Periyappa Soundararajan,  
Leading Fireman 2324,  
Tamil Nadu Fire Service  
NADRS (Tamil Nadu)

Shri Krishnan Kamraj,  
Fireman 4031,  
Tamil Nadu Fire Service  
NADRS (Tamil Nadu)

**Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded**  
(Effective date of the award - 11th February, 1981)

On the 11th February, 1981, there was a major railway accident involving Yercaud & Trivandrum Express trains and a goods train near Vaniyambadi in Katpadi and Jolarpettai Section of Southern Railway. The units of Vaniyambadi Fire Station along with other units of adjacent Fire Stations were also called in for rescue and fire-fighting operations. Leading Fireman 2324 Shri Periyappa Soundararajan detailed Fireman 403 Krishnan Kamraj to cool down the engine of the Trivandrum Express and engaged himself in rescuing the victims from twisted train compartments. At the moment, the two Firemen saw thick smoke and flames shooting towards one of the two nearby engines. Leading Fireman P. Soundararajan was giving further instructions when he heard shouts of help from the Divisional Fire Officer who was supervising the fire-fighting and rescue operations. The Leading Fireman P. Soundararajan immediately started fire-fighting operations of the burning compartment and directed Fireman K. Kamraj to save the Divisional Fire Officer. Unmindful of the personal risk, both the Fireman rescued the Divisional Fire Officer alive. After this rescue operations, they again stuck to their posts and averted further damage to Trivandrum Express and its compartments.

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In this action, Leading Fireman Periyappa Soundararajan and Fireman Krishnan Kamari exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Subodh Chandra Sen.
Fire Operator.
Siliguri Fire Station.
WBFL BENG.L.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 29th April, 1983)

On the 29th April, 1983, it was reported at about 12.10 P.M., at Siliguri Fire Station, that a man was hanging precariously from the coronation bridge, Sevak Road, over the Teesta river. When the Fire Brigade reached the spot of incidence, they found that the man was trapped at the extreme corner of the last pillar of the bridge at about 200 ft. below from the bridge level and 150 ft. above the water level. It was a rainy day with gusty winds and the turbulent Teesta was flowing below with all its fury. The only way open was to go down with the help of rope and then to slide in the right hand direction. Shri Subodh Chandra Sen came forward to rescue the man and was lowered down from the bridge by some unusual knots. He courageously overcame the difficulties, got down, rescued the man by chair knots, while other members brought the man over the bridge. The man was taken to Siliguri Hospital where he was declared dead.

In this action Fire Operator Shri Subodh Chandra Sen exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

(S. Milakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
Notification

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1984.

No.3 -Pres./84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1984, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:

Shri Jayant L. Bhatt,
Chief Fire Officer,
Surat Fire Brigade,
GUJARAT.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the Rule governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.

(S. Nillakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1984.

No. 5-Pres./84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1984, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious
Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Augustine Hugh Mascarenhas,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Koothampazhathu Nadham Raya Kamath Dinakara Kamath,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Paulose Stanly,
Fireman,
Kerala Fire Force,
TRIVANDRUM (KERALA).

Shri Babu Shankar Gaikwad,
Driver-Operator,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Ganpat Nilkanth Shetgiri,
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Narayan Devji Tawde,
Sub-Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
BOMBAY (MAHARASHTRA).

Shri Nameirakpam Mani Singa,
Station Officer,
Manipur Fire Service,
MANIPUR.

Shri Ghulam Ahmad Dar,
Leading Fireman,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
SRINAGAR (JAMMU & KASHMIR).

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Shri Gnanamani Nadar Devaraj,
Station Officer (Transport),
Palayakkottai Fire Station,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Shanmugham Thirugnanam,
Fireman 1815,
Tanjavur Fire Station,
Tamil Nadu Fire Service,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Dhirendra Nath Battacharjee,
Fire Engine Operator-cum-Driver (Training School),
West Bengal Fire Service,
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri Hiralal Banerjee,
Sub-Officer,
West Bengal Fire Service,
CALCUTTA (WEST BENGAL).

Shri Gampala Venkata Subba Rao,
Assistant Security Officer (Fire),
Southern Railway
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.

Shri P.K. Chakravarty,
Assistant Security Officer (Fire),
Bombay (Central Railway),
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.

Shri R. Subba Rao,
Inspector/RPF (Fire),
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, NEW DELHI.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1984

No. 90-Pres/84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1984, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officers:-

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Shishir Kumar Vishnu Sonak,
Chief Fire Officer,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

(Effective date of the award - 27th October, 1983)

On the 27th October, 1983, Shri Shishir Kumar Vishnu Sonak, Chief Fire Officer of the Nagpur Fire Brigade, was away with the Vigilance Officer in connection with the investigation of a murder case of two corporation employees. While he was at Chosnuiapura, he noticed smoke and heard sounds of cracker explosions. He immediately contacted the Control Room and came to know about the fire at Itwara Shahid Chowk. He, at once, made a Fire Brigade call and reached the fire spot at about 1607 hours and took command of the fire ground. While he was directing the fire-fighting operations, some civilians came and informed him that one person was caught in the leaping flames. He rushed to rescue the victim asking the branch-man to follow him giving protection by water spray. Suddenly a water jet hit him causing an injury in his left eye. Unmindful of his injury and at a great risk of his life, he rescued the victim and removed him to hospital. Shri Sonak, though badly injured, continued to command the entire fire-fighting operation till he lost his vision and was evacuated to the hospital. It is thus the planning of fire-fighting strategy and presence of mind of Shri Sonak that the fire in the most congested commercial area of the city could be controlled and thereby several lives and property worth several crores of rupees were saved.

In this operation, Shri Shishir Kumar Vishnu Sonak exhibited exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a high order.

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Names and rank of the officers

Shri Devisingh Motisingh Chandel,
Station Officer,
MAHARASHTRA.

Shri Suresh C. Taluker,
Fireman,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 27th October, 1983)

On the 27th October, 1983, Shri Devisingh Motisingh Chandel, Station Officer, Lakadajj Fire Station, observed huge clouds of smoke and heard the sound of bursting crackers. Presuming that the fire must have broken out somewhere, he collected his crew and kept the appliances ready. As soon as the call was received that the fire had broken out at Shahid Chowk, Ituari, Shri Chandel rushed to the spot. On arrival there, he started fire-fighting operations and also passed the message for reinforcements as the leaping flames threatened the whole Ituari area which is the heart of the commercial activities of the city. Shri Chandel paid his attention to prevent the spread of fire towards the most vulnerable area in the east. Since availability of sufficient water for tackling such a situation poses a great problem, he, however, overcame the same by placing portable pumps on a domestic well. He not only concentrated his action on fire-fighting but also engaged himself in the activities of rescuing human life from the leaping flames. On an enquiry from the public, he came to know that one person was trapped inside the building. Shri Chandel at once took Shri Suresh C. Taluker, Fireman of Lakadajj Fire Station, with him to rescue the trapped person. Without caring for their own lives, they entered the ablazed building and were successful in bringing out the victim and removing him to the hospital. Inspite of their grievous injuries, they continued to fight the fire till it was finally extinguished the next day.

In this action Shri Devisingh Motisingh Chandel, Station Officer and Shri Suresh C. Taluker, Fireman, exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Bibhuti Bhusan Sarkar,
Fire Operator,
WEST BENGAL.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award - 6th April, 1984)

On the 6th April, 1984, at 1400 hours, a devastating fire broke out at the 'Eagle House', a high-rise building. Fire Brigade and his crew reached the spot in no time. The
affected 8th floor of the building was full of dense black smoke and fire was leaping out through the windows. A man took shelter on the parapet of the window of the affected room. The doors of the 7th floor were forced open and attempt was made to reach the affected room with a large line of hose. But unfortunately, the supply of water ran short and the operation had to be abandoned as the room in the 8th floor including the entrance was totally engulfed with flames. An extension ladder was brought to the 7th floor through the window with the help of a line. A running bowline was handed over to Shri Sarkar who scaled the ladder with great personal risk and reached the trapped person. He skilfully passed the running bow-line to the trapped person and brought him to safety.

In this action Shri Bibhuti Bhusan Sarkar exhibited exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Om Prakash Datta,
Senior Fire Officer,
ASSAM.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

(Effective date of the award – 14th February, 1983)

On the 14th February, 1983, at 0930 hours, a fire was reported at Nahorkatiya Well No.103 located near Madhubing Nanyagora, close to a Nepalese Basti, in Nahorkatiya Oilfield of Oil India Limited, Assam. Shri Om Prakash Datta, Senior Fire Officer, arrived at the scene of fire and found the well fully ablazed. The flame of 3000 p.s.i. gas rose up to a height of 12 metres. The well had equipment fittings and the adjacent plinth area were at very high temperature. In the course of fire-fighting, flash-back occurred several times. Despite such adverse circumstances and at a great risk to his life, Shri Datta fought and extinguished the fire within 15 minutes and closed the L.D. Control Valve of the casing. This courageous and timely action by Shri Datta had saved the Company and the surrounding habitation from considerable damage of property and loss of life.

In this action Shri Om Prakash Datta, Senior Fire Officer, exhibited exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

These awards are made for Gallantry under rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the monetary allowance admissible under rule 5(a).

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
No.89-Pres/84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1984, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:-

Shri Kalyan Kumar Dasgupta,
Director,
West Bengal Fire Services,
WEST BENGAL.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1984

No.91-Pres./84 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1984, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Tapan Kumar Ghosh,
Divisional Fire Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Dilip Samanta,
Station Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Narayana Pillai Ramachandran Pillai,
Station Officer,
KERALA.

Shri Sivasankara Pillai Viswambharan Nair,
Leading Fireman,
KERALA.

Shri Anil Kumar Kar,
Station Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Paresh Chandra Dey,
Station Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Sakti Kumar Ghose,
Station Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Ashit Ranjan Gupta,
Leading Fireman,
NIZAM.

Shri Vedagiri Kannabiran,
Station Fire Officer,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Chelliah Konar Ramiah,
Station Fire Officer,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Sahdeo Singh,
Driver,
BIHAR.
Shri Satguru Prasad,
State Fire Officer,
BIHAR.

Shri Haro Krushna Dwari,
Assistant Fire Officer,
ORISSA.

Shri Trilochan Singh,
Assistant Station Officer,
ORISSA.

Shri Bhaskar Singh,
Leading Fireman,
ORISSA.

Shri Surendra Satapathy,
Driver Havildar,
ORISSA.

Shri Kasinath Rana,
Fireman No. 132,
ORISSA.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1985.

No. 10-Pres./85 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1985, to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

Name and rank of the officer

Shri K. Kumaraswamy,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

(Effective date of the award - 2nd March, 1984)

On the 2nd March, 1984, at about 1430 hours, a rescue call was received at Kuzhithurai Fire Station and the unit was turned out. On reaching the spot, it was found that there was a landslide in the newly dug well and two persons were trapped under it. To rescue them, two other workers had got into the well, but unfortunately there was another landslide and these two also got trapped under the landslide; out of the four, one person somehow escaped. Immediately on arrival, Fireman Kumaraswamy, despite great risk to his own life got into the well with the help of a rope and rescued Shri/ Ambrose, one of the three trapped persons. Shri Ambrose was rushed to the hospital, but he died on the way. Shri K. Kumaraswamy was very tired after this operation and was lifted out from the well. Another Fireman was sent in, but he was not able to remove the sand and rescue anyone. Hence Shri Kumaraswamy was sent in again for the rescue operations, while he was engaged in the rescue operations, unfortunately there was another landslide and Shri Kumaraswamy also got trapped in it. However, he was lifted out with the help of rope and rushed to the hospital.

In this action Fireman K. Kumaraswamy exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Service Medal and consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible under rule 3(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Pillakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
NEW DELHI, the 26th January, 1985.

No.11-Pres./85 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1985, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Amulya Chandra Mahanta,
Station Officer,
Assam.

Shri Chennabatini Satyanarayana,
Engineer—Sub Officer,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Pakki Narasimha Rao,
Station Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Rosh, Yousufuddin,
Leaui, Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Pandab Sahu,
Assistant Fire Officer,
Brisa.

Shri Harajah Samantray,
Leading Fireman,
Brisa.

Shri Tula Ram,
Fireman,
Himachal Pradesh.

Shri Pichamuthu Ramaswamy,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Manikkam pillai Vadivelu,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Gopai Balaraman,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Chinnappan Natarajan,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.
Shri Kadumbadi Elumalai, Driver Mechanic, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Anthony Sourimuthu, Fireman Driver, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Harutha Pillai Sengamalam, Fireman, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Santharam Williams, Fireman, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Maliva Pathazhapurayil Kunhi Kannan Hambi, Assistant Station Officer, Kerala.

Shri Madhavan Purushothaman, Leading Fireman, Kerala.

Shri Geavarghese John, Fireman Driver-cum-Pump Operator, Kerala.

These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1985

No. 82-Pres/85 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1985, to award the Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undementioned officers:

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Rajbir Singh,
Constable,
Central Industrial Security Force,
Madya Pradesh.

(Posthumous)

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 1st March, 1985).

On the 1st March, 1985, a serious fire occured in Indo-Ruma Petroleum Complex, a public sector undertaking, located near Korba, Madya Pradesh. On receiving the request for help from this undertaking, the fire fighting team of Central Industrial Security Force (Fire Wing) was sent to the scene. Shri Rajbir Singh was not included in the team. But on learning that the fire was serious Shri Rajbir Singh could not stop himself and he volunteered to go for this task. The fire had become more violent since it involved high explosives. Shri Rajbir Singh fought the fire courageously saving life and public property but in the process he got exposed to a sudden gush of products of combustions/noxious gases resulting in his death due to asphyxia.

In this action, Shri Rajbir Singh, Constable, exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a high order.

Name and rank of the officer

Shri Sher Singh Thapa,
Sub-Fire Officer, Fire Station, Mandi,
Himachal Pradesh.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 1st November, 1984).

On the 1st November, 1984 at 19.10 hours, Fire Station Mandi was informed by Assistant Commissioner, Mandi about the outbreak of a devastating fire at Ner-Chowk Mandi. Shri Sher Singh Thapa, Sub-Fire Officer along with his contingent rushed to the place of incidence without losing any time. After reaching on the spot Shri Sher Singh Thapa found that four buildings were on fire. In one of the buildings he observed that a family of six persons trapped inside. The staircase leading to the second
storey, where the persons had been trapped, was totally in flames. He tried to bring down the flames. In utter disregard to his personal safety Shri Thapa along with some Firemen reached the second storey of the building and managed to rescue them alive.

In this action, Shri Sher Singh Thapa, Sub-Fire Officer, exhibited exemplary courage, leadership and devotion to duty of a high order.

Name and rank of the officer:
Shri Nital Chand Sarkar,
A.F.O.
Ministry of Tourism & Civil Aviation,
New Delhi.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 8th February, 1985).

On the 8th February, 1985, Indian Airlines aircraft Boeing 737 on a flight from Kathmandu to Calcutta with 107 passengers and 7 crew members on board met with an accident after landing. Both the aircraft engines had caught fire and would have resulted in a serious accident involving loss of human lives. Shri Nital Chand Sarkar acted with remarkable sense of alertness, leadership, command and skill in fire fighting rescue operation at great risk to his personal safety and saved the valuable human lives and property.

In this action Shri Nital Chand Sarkar, A.F.O., exhibited exemplary courage, professional skill and devotion to duty of a high order.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1985

No. 01-Pres./85 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of
the Independence Day, 1985, to award the President's Fire
Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned
officers:

Shri Kochukrishna Pillai Viswanathan Nair,
Director of Fire Force (Technical),
Trivandrum,
KERALA.

Shri Vasant Baburao Nikam,
Chief Fire Officer,
Bombay Fire Brigade,
Maharashtra.

Shri Devidas Damodar Purandare,
Deputy Inspector General (Fire),
Central Industrial Security Force.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules
governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1985.

No. 83-Pres/85 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day 1985, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Ganti Krishna Murthy,
Station Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri S. Pochaiah,
Leading Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Puppala Seetharamanjaneyulu,
Driver Operator,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Sirivuri Kanna Raju,
Driver Operator,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri G. Yohan,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Shaik Mastan,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri P. Dastagiri Khan,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Chellappan Pillai Maniyar Nair,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri Pandan Kuzhil Iyrose Kunju,
Abdul Rahim Kunju,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala.

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Shri Kakkodiyil Govinda Pillai,
Balakrishnan Nair,
Driver Mechanic,
Kerala.

Shri Gulab Domaji Ganvir,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri Narasa Gounda Bhima Gounda Patil,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri Mahadeo Jiwaji Bhosle,
Driver Operator,
Maharashtra.

Shri Vijayakumar Pandharinath Chitre,
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri Vaman Lalu Gangurde,
Station Officer (Fire)
Maharashtra.

Shri Ramachandra Keshav Kadam,
Leading Fireman,
Maharashtra.

Shri Savari Muthu Pillai Dawson,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Arunachalam Ragawathi Perumal,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Venu Naidu Boorasamy,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri David Balan,
Fireman-Driver,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Ponnaiah Gandhi,
Fireman-Driver,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Moockan Karuppiah,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

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Shri Arokiam Pillai Pichai,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Sanga Thevar Chinnasamy,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Bonbehari Pathak,
Deputy Director(Fire)
West Bengal.

Shri Kumaresh Das Gupta,
Deputy Director(Fire),
West Bengal.

Shri Dipak Kumar Roy,
Leading Fireman(Instructor),
West Bengal.

Shri Apurba Krishna Paul,
Fire Engine Operator-cum-Driver,
West Bengal.

Shri Ram Krishan Bhardwaj,
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,
Union Territory of Delhi.

Shri Amrit Paul,
Assistant Divisional Officer(Fire),
Union Territory of Delhi.

Shri Devi Singh Ristt
Station Officer(Fire),
Union Territory of Delhi.

Shri Mohinder Singh,
Leading Fireman,
Union Territory of Delhi.

Shri Ram Mehar,
Driver,
Union Territory of Delhi.

Shri Sivalingam Vaithianathan,
Assistant Divisional Fire Officer,
Union Territory of Pondicherry.

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Shri Harbanslal Bhakhri,  
Junior Instructor (Fire),  
Ministry of Defence.

Shri Raman Bihari Das,  
Assistant Security Officer (Fire),  
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Gurupadam Pachinatha Doss,  
Inspector,  
Railway Protection Force (Fire),  
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Raghunath Singh,  
Sub-Inspector (Fire),  
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Jadeja Ramesh Chhaganji,  
Additional Chief Officer,  
(Fire Brigade),  
Gujarat.

Shri Ramji Jamnadas Maganlal,  
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,  
Gujarat.

Shri Surendra Nath Satpathy,  
Leading Fireman,  
Orissa.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service.

(S. Nilakantan)  
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1986.

No.1-Pres/86 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1986, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

Name and Rank of the Officer

Shri Natabar Biswal,
Station Officer,
Orissa.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 23rd February, 1985)

On the 23rd February, 1985, at about 16.35 hours, information about the serious outbreak of fire at village Rutgarh, was received at Athagarh Fire Station. On receipt of the message, Shri Natabar Biswal, along with his unit and crew, rushed to the spot. The thatched houses and haystacks were burning severely.

The fire fighters, under the charge of Shri Biswal, found it difficult to combat the fire but Shri Biswal did not lose hope and inspired them to carry out the task courageously. During this time, some of the villagers informed Shri Biswal that three persons were trapped inside a room which was on fire. Shri Biswal immediately rushed to rescue the victims, but unfortunately the door of the house was bolted from inside. He broke open the door with the help of crow-bars and ordered the Water Jet to pour into the room. As the room was filled with thick smoke, he had to search for the victims and rescued a lady, aged 50 years. Without caring for his own life, Shri Biswal again entered into the room and rescued another lady, aged 20 years.

During the operation, Shri Biswal had also to rescue Shri Raghu Nath Swain, one of his team-mates, who became unconscious due to heat and thick smoke. All the injured persons survived after rendering necessary medical help except a lady, aged 50 years, who succumbed to her injuries. The commendable courage and devotion to duty exhibited by Shri Natabar Biswal in saving human lives, was highly applauded by the local people, press and other high officials.

In this action Shri Natabar Biswal, Station Officer, exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.
This award is made under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1986.

No. 2-Pres./86 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1986, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Shadi Lal, Fire Supervisor Grade I, Ministry of Defence.

Shri Sukh Chain Prasad, Foreman, Ministry of Defence.

Shri Saradindu Shekhar Bhattacharjee, Assistant Director, National Fire Service College, Nagpur.

Shri Puran Bahadur, Leading Fireman, National Fire Service College, Nagpur.

Shri Gavireddi Laxman Rao, Fireman, Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Kotti Nageswar Rao, Driver-Operator, Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Shaik Mahaboob, Fireman, Andhra Pradesh.

Shri G. Rama Murthy, Driver-Operator, Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Vadavoor Neelakantan Marar Divakara Marar, Station Officer, Kerala.

Shri Kollaparambil Narayanan Palani, Leading Fireman, Kerala.

Shri Kane Madathil Kumara Panicker Ravindra Panicker, Fireman, Kerala.

Shri Mohammed Kunju Asan Abdul Gafoor, Fireman-Operator, Kerala.
Shri Ghata Vasudev Laxman, Fire Brigade Officer, Maharashtra.

Shri Daji Shankar Parab, Sub-Officer, Maharashtra.

Shri Bishwa Nath Singh, Fire Station Officer, Meghalaya.

Shri Durga Charan Pradhan, Leading Fireman, Orissa.

Shri M.K. Joy, Station Fire Officer, Tamil Nadu.

Shri K. Savarimuthu Gabriel, Leading Fireman, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Muthiah Thevar Perumal, Driver-Mechanic, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Thaila Konar Ponnusamy, Fireman, Tamil Nadu.

Shri Sudhindra Nath Roy Choudhury, Fire Protection Officer(Special), West Bengal.

Shri Suman Sen Gupta, Station Officer, West Bengal.

Shri Stanira Gounder Pavadai, Leading Fireman, Union Territory of Pondicherry.

Shri Manohar Lal Dang, Inspector(Fire), Department of Railways, Ministry of Transport.

Shri Eusebius Consalves, Assistant Commandant(Fire), Department of Railways, Ministry of Transport.
Shri Kolluri Bhujanga Rao,
Assistant Commandant (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri Prem Singh Nihal Singh Panchal,
Assistant Inspector General (Fire),
Central Industrial Security Force.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Milakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
President's Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1986

No. 62-PreS/86 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1986, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

Name and Rank of the officer

Shri Ganga Singh, (Posthumous)
Fireman,
Ministry of Defence.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 25th March, 1985)

On the 25th March, 1985, at about 1505-hours, MES-8464224 Shri Ganga Singh, Fireman Grade I, was detailed along with the fire crew of Garrison Engineer, Engineer Park, Bhatinda Cantt to extinguish fire, which broke out around the periphery of the furniture yard of Garrison Engineer, Bhatinda. Shri Ganga Singh, without caring for his own safety and keeping the highest traditions of Defence Fire Services, took keen interest in his hazardous job to extinguish the fire, which was threatening to engulf the furniture yard of Garrison Engineer, Bhatinda. Due to his valour and selfless work, the fire was brought under control and no loss of Government property occurred. While Shri Ganga Singh was engrossed in his work, he collapsed suddenly and expired.

In this action, Shri Ganga Singh, Fireman, exhibited exemplary courage, professional skill and devotion to duty of a high order.

Name and Rank of the officer

Shri C. Sundaran,
Leading Fireman,
Department of Space.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 17th January, 1986)

On the 17th January, 1986, while engaged in pumping out water by using portable pump from one of the drinking water cells at PSLV Project, Vallamala, one of the Firemen Shri U. Gopalakrishnan and two casual labourers Shri Sasidaran and Shri Prabhakaran, were suffocated by CO/CO2 gas. Shri C. Sundaran, Leading Fireman, who was standing outside the well, immediately went into the well through the ladder and brought them out risking his life.

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Shri Sundaran and the other three personnel were, however, affected by the poisonous gas and were removed to Medical College Hospital for treatment. But for the timely action of Shri Sundaran, the lives of Shri Gopalakrishnan, Fireman and the two casual labourers, would have been in danger.

In this action, Shri C. Sundaran, Leading Fireman, exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a high order.

These awards are made under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carry with them the monetary allowance admissible under rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1986

No.63-Pres/86 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1986, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers :-

Shri Sudarshan Kumar Prabhakar,
CAFM,
Ministry of Defence.

Shri Govindan Krishnan,
Assistant Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri Digambar Sitaram Mulye,
Divisional Officer (Fire),
Maharashtra.

Shri Prabhakar Maruti Sawant,
Sub-Officer (Fire),
Maharashtra.

Shri Gajanan Sadashiv Thakur,
Foreman,
Maharashtra.

Shri Philman Bage,
Assistant Station Officer,
Orissa.

Shri Budhia Behera,
Leading Fireman,
Orissa.

Shri Kalipillai Murugesan,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Mohamed Yakup Khān Mohamed Abdul Rahim,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Sowrimuthu John Peter,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri R. Singaravelu,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Narayanan Madurai Muthu,
Driver Mechanic,
Tamil Nadu.
Shri Kumaravel Rajagopal,
Fireman Driver,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Ayyagounder Ponnusamy,
Fireman Driver,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Mariamuthu Kalia Perumal,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Vardhan Nallamuthu,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Bhagawati Charan Dixit,
Fire Station Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Ranjit Sarkar,
Station Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri James Trinite,
Station Officer,
Union Territory of Pondicherry.

Shri P. Paranthaman,
Fireman Driver,
Union Territory of Pondicherry.

Shri Kishan Chand,
Junior Instructor (DIFR),
Ministry of Defence.

Shri Pulimoottil Kattil Kochummen John,
Chief Instructor (DIFR),
Ministry of Defence.

Shri Barun Kumar Chakraborty,
Sub-Inspector (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri Panchanan Das,
Inspector (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri Gopal Krishnan,
Head Constable (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri Pal Singh,
Head Constable (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.
Shri Terence Eustace James,
Inspector Grade II (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri A. Maria Sowrirajan,
Sub-Inspector (Fire),
Department of Railways,
Ministry of Transport.

Shri Durgaprasad Raghunathssao Makelkar,
Assistant Director,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Ganga Prasad,
Junior Demonstrator,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Banwari Singh Samwanshi,
Leading Fireman,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Kunal Roy,
Director,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Khushwant Singh,
Assistant Inspector General (Fire),
Central Industrial Security Force.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President.
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1987.

No. 10-pres/87 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1987, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri Zadi Narayana,
Driver-Operator,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Vasava Saty Nookaraju,
Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Somaswar Saha,
Station Officer,
Assam.

Shri Chellappan Pillai Sankara Pillai,
Assistant Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri Gula Narayan Kaksud,
Sub Fire Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri Sitaras Baburao Shinde,
Driver-Operator,
Maharashtra.

Shri Arun Kumar Das,
Station Officer,
Meghalaya.

Shri K. Appa Rao,
Driver-Havildar,
Orissa.

Shri K. Nayandi Thavar Osha Thavar,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Govinda Subramani,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Kandasamy Dharmalingam,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Prayag Chandra Hallick,
Divisional Fire Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri Manish Chandra Chakraborty,
Chief Mobilising Officer,
West Bengal.
Shri Parimal Kumar Saha,
Leader (LFD),
West Bengal.

Shri Gopal Singh,
Driver,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Sarwan Ram,
Driver,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Keshav Chintaman Gaiki,
Carpenter,
National Fire Service College,
Nagpur.

Shri Dilip Kumar Khasnawis,
Inspector (Fire),
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Anil Kumar Choudhury,
Lance Naik (Fire Deptt.),
Ministry of Steel and Mines.

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1987

No. 57-Pres/87.- The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1987, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person :-

Shri Sulakhan Singh,
Civilian Assistant Fire Master,
Ministry of Defence.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA
DATED SATURDAY, THE 22ND AUGUST, 1987

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1987

No. 58-Pres/87.- The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1987, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undementioned officers:

Shri Nirmal Dass Gulati,
Supervisor(Fire) Grade I,
Ministry of Defence.

Shri Gangadharan Rajendran,
Leading Fireman,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Chandroth Amadan,
Station Officer,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Nottiyath Kumaran Nair,
Fireman,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Panampukatt Veettil Poovanchan Sreendran,
Assistant Station Officer,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Shankar Padoji Gaikwad,
Driver Operator,
Government of Maharashtra.

Shri Shantaram Amrit Dalvi,
Leading Fireman,
Government of Maharashtra.

Shri Rohit Chandra Borah,
Inspector, Fire Service,
Government of Meghalaya.

Shri Srinivasan Kannaiyan,
Leading Fireman,
Government of Tamilnadu.

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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1987

No. 57-Pres/87.- The President is pleased, on the occasion of
the Independence Day, 1987, to award the President's Fire
Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned
person:--

Shri Sulakhan Singh,
Civilian Assistant Fire Master,
Ministry of Defence.

2. This award is made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules
governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1988

No. 4-Pres/88 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1988, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry
to the undermentioned officer:

Name and rank of the Officer

Shri Ashok Vasant Mane,
Fireman,
Maharashtra.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 20th April, 1987)

On the 20th April, 1987 a fierce fire occurred in the
Acetic Acid Plant in Kolhapur Sugar Mills. Shri Ashok Vasant
Mane entered the fire without any hesitation and tried to
put it out. In the process he was fully burnt due to sudden
outburst of the gas from the pipeline. He later succumbed to
his injuries. Due to the quick decision and action of
Shri Mane, further explosion of two other Acid Plants and
loss of thousand of people in the surrounding area could be
avoided.

Shri Ashok Vasant Mane thus exhibited exemplary courage,
initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the
rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and
consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible
under Rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(Gopalkrishna Gandhi)
Joint Secretary to the President.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1988.

No.3-Press/88- The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1988, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person:

Shri Pratik Kumar Chatterjee,
Deputy Director (Scientist 'E'),
Ministry of Defence.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

[Signature]
Joint Secretary to the President.
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 6TH FEBRUARY, 1988

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1988

No.5-Press/88 – The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1988, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Velu Divakaran,
Fireman Driver-cum-pump Operator,
Kerala

Shri Govindan Asari Krishnan Asari,
Fireman,
Kerala

Shri Thazhath Parackal Thulasidas,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala

Shri Ganesh Narayan Sawant,
Divisional Officer,
Maharashtra

Shri Puran Chand Samal,
Deputy Fire Officer,
Orissa

Shri Nirode Kumar Seal,
Station Officer,
West Bengal

Shri Rathindra Nath Dutta,
Leader,
West Bengal

Shri D. Boopalan,
Leading Fireman,
Pondicherry

Shri R. Ramesh
Fireman,
Pondicherry

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(Gopalkrishna Gandhi)
Joint Secretary to the President
No.92-Prs/88 – The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1988, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person :-

Shri Vijay Vasant Vaidya,
Chief Fire Officer,
Government of Maharashtra.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Milakantan)
Director
No. 93-Pres/88 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1988, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Rana Jannadas Maganlal,
Deputy Chief Fire Officer,
Government of Gujarat.

Shri Thampuran Kandy Karunakaran,
Station Officer,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Kalatharakkal Malat Gopalakrishnan,
Fireman,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Kunjan Pillai Sreekantan Nair,
Leading Fireman,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Madaswamy Subbaiah,
Station Officer,
Government of Kerala.

Shri Rangapillai Arumugam,
Leading Fireman,
Government of Tamil Nadu.

Shri Jacob Victor Franklin,
Driver-Mechanic,
Government of Tamil Nadu.

Shri Kochaseeman Venugopal,
Driver-Mechanic,
Government of Tamil Nadu.

Shri Shahul Hameed Marakayar Kasali Marakayar,
Fireman,
Government of Tamil Nadu.

Shri Hari Nath Mitra,
Fire Engine Operator-cum-Driver,
Government of West Bengal.
Shri Arun Kumar Cuha Thakurta,  
Leader,  
Government of West Bengal.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing 
the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakanta)  
Director
No. 14-Pres/89 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1989, to award the Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

Name and rank of the Officer
Shri Chavada Ratnabhai Bhanabhai,
Driver,
Gujarat.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded
(Effective date of the award: 6th August, 1988)

On the 6th August, 1988, there was a heavy flood in the Shedi and Vatrak rivers of Kaira District and due to this devastating flood water rushed in several villages of Kaira district. On receiving message for rescue operation from Collector of Kaira District, Nadiad, Municipal Fire Brigade Staff rushed for rescue operation at Kaira in devastating flood water. Driver Chavada Ratnabhai Bhanabhai was one of them. Undeterred of danger to his life he plunged into the stormy flood water and after swimming up to a distance of about 8 Kilometres rescued nine persons, out of whom four were police wireless operators.

Shri Chavada Ratnabhai Bhanabhai, Driver, thus exhibited exemplary courage, initiative and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of the Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the monetary allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) from the effective date of the award.

(S. Nalakantam)
Director.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT  

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1989

No. 13-Pres/89 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1989, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person:

Shri Nisar Ahmed Abdul Kadir Khatib, 
Chief Fire Officer, 
Maharashtra.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)  
Director,
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1989

No.15-Pres/89 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1989, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers: -

Shri K.R. Rao,
Assistant Sub-Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Bekal Devadas,
Assistant Sub-Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Yerur Devarajulu,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

Shri Arkula Ismail,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

Shri Govindan Karunakaran,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri P. Chandran,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri Damodaran Vidhyadharan,
Fireman Driver-cum-Pump Operator,
Kerala.

Shri H.V. Girkar,
Driver Operator,
Maharashtra.

Shri S. Sakhawtulla,
Leading Fireman,
Maharashtra.

Shri V.A. Muthuramalingam,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri G.D. Koodalingam,
Fireman Driver,
Tamil Nadu.
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1989

No. 69-Pres/89 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of
the Independence Day, 1989, to award the President's Fire
Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned
officer:-

Shri Banbhari Pathak,
Director,
Fire Services,
West Bengal.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules
governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantha)
Director.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1989

No. 70 - Pres/89 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Independence Day, 1989, to award the Fire Services Medal for
Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri S.K. Mukherjee,
Deputy Fire Adviser,
Ministry of Home Affairs.

Shri Kavin Thazha Balan,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri Puthiyavanan Veettil Appu,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri Abdul Razack Abdul Hameed,
Fireman Driver-cum-Pump Operator,
Kerala.

Shri Madhavan Pillai Neelakantan Nair,
Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri Moiez Ahmed,
Instructor,
Karnataka.

Shri Ganiga Kandaswamy,
Assistant Sub-Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Rayadurgada Palagara Narasimhaswamy,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

Shri Pasasurama Reddy Gangadhar Reddy,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

Shri Ramamurthy Vaidyanathan,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

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Shri Mugalipatti Sundararaju Srinivasa,  
Station Fire Officer,  
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Chidambaram Sethuraman,  
Station Fire Officer,  
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Marimuthu Muthiah,  
Station Fire Officer,  
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Palden Lama,  
Station Officer,  
West Bengal.

Shri Haripada Saha,  
Leader,  
West Bengal.

Shri Sailendra Kishore Bhatt,  
Fire Engine Operator-cum-Driver,  
West Bengal.

Shri Ashtit Kumar Saha,  
Fire Operator,  
West Bengal.

Shri Krishan Lal,  
Civilian Assistant Fire Master,  
Ministry of Defence.

Shri C.P.A. Padayachi,  
Sub-Inspector/fire,  
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Kasim Mahaboob,  
Fire Station Officer,  
Ministry of Railways.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(S. Nilakantan)  
Director.
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1990

No. 4 - Pres/90 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1990, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:

Shri B. Mrutyunjaya Rao,
Station Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri S. Madamuni,
Leading Fireman,
Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Parameswaran Nair Karunakaran Nair,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri Kesavan Pillai Gopalan Nair,
Leading Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri Krishna Pillai Sasidharan Nair,
Fireman,
Kerala.

Shri Keshava Jarappa Suvarna,
Engineering Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Thimmappa Moolya,
Assistant Sub Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Tlaram Govindram Mankani,
Divisional Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri Gopal Ladoo Morye,
Sub-Officer,
Maharashtra.
Shri Ganpat Dhondu Kokate,
Driver Operator,
Maharashtra.

Shri Golak Chandra Pattanaik,
Leading Fireman,
Orissa.

Shri Narayan Singh Gurung,
Leading Fireman,
Sikkim.

Shri Arunugam Ramadoss,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Ponnaiyan Ayyavoo,
Station Fire Officer,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Palani Kandan,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Dipen Kumar Ghosh,
Equipment Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri Biswanath Mukherjee,
Station Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri P. Jayavel,
Constable (Fireman),
Union Territory of Andaman &
Nicobar Islands.

Shri Jagjit Singh Yadav,
Inspector (Fire),
Ministry of Railways.

Shri Puspa Borah,
Station Officer,
Assam.

Shri Velayudan Sasitharan Nair,
Sub-Officer,
Department of Atomic Energy.

Shri Kamal Kumar Agarwal,
Fire Station Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.
Shri Kumudanand,
Leading Fireman,
Uttar Pradesh.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.

(Rajiv Mehrishi)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1990

No. 66-Pres/90. - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1990, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:

Shri Satish Kumar Dheri,
Chief Fire Officer,
DELHI.

2. This award is made under Rule 3 (ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.

(A K Upadhyay
Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1990

No. 67-Pres/90 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of
the Independence Day, 1990, to award the Fire Service Medal for
Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri Dal Bihadur Rana,
Leading Fireman,
ASSAM.

Shri Krishnamachari Sreekumaran Nair,
Assistant Divisional Officer,
KERALA.

Shri Kunju Pillai Sreenivasan,
Leading Fireman,
KERALA.

Shri Velayudhan Kanakappan,
Leading Fireman,
KERALA.

Shri Gangadharan Sacheendran,
Leading Fireman,
KERALA.

Shri Rama Chandra Babura,
Driver Havildar,
ODISHA.

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Shri Kusadeb Kandy,
Fireman,
ORISSA.

Shri G. Govindaasamy,
Station Officer,
PONDICHERRY.

Shri S. Pekkirisamy,
Leading Fireman,
PONDICHERRY.

Shri P. Muthayyan,
Station Fire Officer,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri M. Sankaranarayanan,
Driver Mechanic,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri M. Sudalaimuthu,
Fireman Driver,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri M. Gumathinayagan,
Fireman,
TAMIL NADU.

Shri Dasudev Sharma,
Leading Fireman,
UPPER PRADISH.

Shri Mrityunjoy Banerjee,
Station Officer,
WEST BENGAL.
Shri Tarunangshu Dey,
Mobilising Officer,
WEST BENGAL.

Shri Kshitish Chandra Sarkar,
Leader,
WEST BENGAL.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1991

No.7-Pres/91 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of
the Republic Day, 1991, to award the President's Fire Service
Medal for Distinguished Service to the undersigned officer:-

Shri G.V. Subba Rao,
Assistant Inspector General, RPF (Fire),
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules
governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay)
DIRECTOR
PRESIDENT'S SECRERATIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1991

No.6-Pres/91 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1991, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undersigned officers:

Shri B.C. Das,
Station Officer,
ASSAM.

Shri J.D. Singh,
Assistant Fire Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri P. Choudhury,
Assistant Commandant,
Central Industrial Security Force,
Ministry of Home Affairs.

Shri R.H. Patel,
Divisional Officer (Fire),
Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation,
Gujarat.

Shri B.G. Changpara,
Divisional Fire Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri Purushothama,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

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Shri Siddaraju,
Leading Fireman,
Rajasthan.

Sri Mohd. Safar Ali,
Leading Fireman,
M.P.

Sri R. J. Gadse, 
Leading Fireman,
GUJARAT.

Shri K. K. Sharma, 
Fire Station Officer, RPF, 
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

Shri B. N. Patil, 
Head Constable, RPF (Fire), 
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

Shri S. V. Gaurav, 
Station Fire Officer, 
U.P. & A.D.

Shri R. Swariraj, 
Fireman Driver, 
U.P. & A.D.

Shri P. R. Krishnamoorthy, 
Leading Fireman, 
Karnataka.

Shri K. C. Bhattacharjee, 
Leader West Bengal Fire Services, 
WEST BENGAL.

Shri S. Ballick, 
Station Officer, 
West Bengal Fire Services, 
WEST BENGAL.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.

(A. K. Upadhyay)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1991

No. 80-pres/91 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1991, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri S.T. Raman
Hom. Fire Adviser
Maharashtra

Shri P.N. Panchal
Dy. Inspector General (Fire)
C.I.S.F.

2. These awards is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिन्वणा

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 1991

लॉ 81-प्रे/91 - राष्ट्रपति, 1991 के स्वतंत्रता दिवस के अंतर्गत पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी सराहनीय सेवा के लिए अम्बायोग सेवा पदक सहर्ष पुरस्कार करते हैं:

श्री एम.ए. घोष,
डिवीजनल अफिसर,
असम।

श्री बी. ओबना,
लीडिंग फायरमैन,
कनाटक।

श्री सैयद बेरी,
असिस्टेंट सब-अफिसर,
कनाटक।

श्री तीपना,
फायरमैन,
कनाटक।

श्री जी-सी. नायक,
लीडिंग फायरमैन,
उड़ीसा।

श्री एन.सी. धन,
स्टेटन अफिसर,
उड़ीसा।

श्री दीना तरियमान,
फायरमैन ट्राइवर,
पानिंडवेरी।

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श्री आर एके पारीक,
सहायक अनिल अधिकारी,
राजस्थान।

श्री आई सोकंदराजन,
द्राइजर मेकैनिक,
तमिल नाडु।

श्री की कृष्ण,
लीडिंग फायरमैन,
तमिल नाडु।

श्री एंड सी पाठक,
सहायक कमान्डेट,
सी आई एस एफ।

श्री एस एके दत्ता,
सहायक कमान्डेट,
सी आई एस एफ।

2. ये पदक राष्ट्रपति अमिताभ नेता पदक नियमावली के नियम 38।।। के अधीन प्रदान किया जाता है।

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निदेशक
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 9TH NOVEMBER, 1991

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 22 October, 1991

No.112-Pres/91 – The President is pleased to award Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers of the Central Industrial Security Force:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICERS

Shri A.M.P. Singh, Head Constable (Posthumous)

Shri A.P. Sabu, Head Constable/Driver (Posthumous)

Shri J.A. Dattu, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri Z.B. Singh, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri W.T. Chaware, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri Pushpender Singh, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri P.K. Naik, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri Panchanan Behera, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri R.S. Yadav, Constable (Posthumous)

Shri Dalip Singh Thakur, Sub-Inspector

Shri J.K. Bedia, Sub-Inspector

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Shri K.R. Bhaih,  
Constable

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded

On the 5th November, 1990 at about 1900 hours the gas cracker plant at the Central Industrial Security Force Unit, MCCU, Nagothane was surrounded with a gas cloud of highly inflammable hydrocarbon gas resulting in violent explosion followed by a devastating fire which covered the entire gas cracker plant. The act of gallantry exhibited by the above mentioned officials is mentioned below:

Shri A.N.P. Singh, Head Constable

On the day of incident Head Constable A.N.P. Singh was detailed for night duty at the above mentioned Central Industrial Security Force Unit. At about 1906 hours he found a fire tender of his unit moving towards the gas cracker plant. Sensing trouble he rushed to the spot. On reaching the site he found a cloud of highly inflammable gas enveloped the entire area. Undaunted by the hazards Head Constable A.N.P. Singh was able to reach the fire crew who was trying to energize the fire tender to combat the gas leak and also attempted to repair the ruptured pipe from where the inflammable gas was leaking. As he attempted to contain the accident, the whole area was subjected to a violent explosion followed by devastating fire. Head Constable A.N.P. Singh stood his post enveloped completely in the fire and laid down his life. This supreme sacrifice and extraordinary courage set an example of the highest order for dedication to duty.

Shri A.P. Sabu, Head Constable/Driver

Head Constable A.P. Sabu was deputed for `B' shift duty on the day of incident. At about 1906 hours he found a fire tender moving towards the gas cracker plant. Sensing trouble he rushed to the spot he found the gas cracker plant surrounded with a gas cloud of highly inflammable hydro carbon. Undauntedly Head Constable A.P. Sabu joined the other fire crew members in trying to isolate the leakage in a pipe. Suddenly an extremely violent explosion occurred at the same spot followed by a devastating fire which covered the entire cracker plant. Head Constable A.P. Sabu was enveloped entirely in the flames and died on the spot lying down his life while undertaking his duties.

Shri J.A. Dattu, Constable

On the day of incident Constable J.A. Dattu was put on `B' shift duty in the Central Industrial Security Force Unit. At about 1906 hours he noticed a fire tender of his unit rushing towards the gas cracker plant. Sensing an emergency he ran toward the gas cracker plant. Arriving at the spot he noticed a cloud of highly inflammable hydro carbon gas that enveloped the entire area and gas was escaping from a ruptured pipe. While he was in the process of undertaking the
rescue operation along with his colleagues, a violent explosion occurred followed by devastating fire which engulfed the entire area. Constable J.A. Dattu was burnt to death while manning his duty. The dedication to duty shown by Constable J.A. Dattu resulted in saving countless lives in the industrial plant.

Shri Z.B. Singh, Constable

On the day of incident Constable Z.B. Singh was detailed for 'B' shift duty at the Central Industrial Security Force Fire Station. Around 1905 hours he received information of a gas leak near the gas cracker plant. He got on to the firetender and rushed to the scene. On reaching the site he began to undertake the drill for combating the gas leak. Suddenly there was a big explosion followed by a huge fire which engulfed the entire area. Constable Z.B. Singh was burnt to death in this fire. In lying down his life in supreme sacrifice he saved hundreds of lives in the industrial plant.

Shri W.T. Chaware, Constable

On the date of incident Constable W.T. Chaware was assigned 'B' shift duty at the Fire Station of Central Industrial Security Force Unit. At about 1905 hours receiving information of a gas leak, Constable W.T. Chaware took post on the fire tender which was ordered to move to the gas cracker plant. On arriving at the spot he found the entire area enveloped in a cloud of highly inflammable gas. Constable Chaware began to commission the fire tender to contain the gas leak from one of the ruptured parts of the plant. Undauntedly Constable Chaware began emergency drill unmindful of the danger when suddenly there was a violent explosion followed by devastating fire in the area. Constable Chaware was burnt to death in the flames of fire while he was manning his post. Constable Chaware in his supreme sacrifice exhibited gallant action and high sense of devotion to duty.

Shri Pushpendre Singh, Constable

Constable Pushpendre Singh was detailed for 'B' shift duty at the Central Industrial Security Force Unit Fire Station on the date of incident. At about 1905 hours the Central Room received information of a gas leak and Constable Pushpendre Singh along with the fire crew rushed to the gas cracker plant with the fire tender. On reaching the spot he found the area enveloped in a cloud of highly inflammable gas. Unmindful of the extreme danger he began to commission the fire tender. Suddenly there was a loud explosion followed by devastating fire. Constable Pushpendre Singh was burnt to death while performing his duties. His attempt to close the gas leak helped in preventing a major industrial catastrophe and saved lives of persons working in the plant. In his supreme sacrifice Constable Pushpendre Singh showed a flourish tradition of dedication to duty.
Shri P.K. Nayak, Constable

Constable P.K. Nayak was detailed for 'B' shift duty in the Central Industrial Security Force Unit on the date of incident. At about 1906 hours he saw the fire tender of the CISF moving towards the gas cracker plant. Sensing emergency he rushed in that direction. On arriving at the site he joined hands with the fire crew in undertaking operation, a violent explosion occurred followed by a devastating fire. Constable Nayak was burnt to death immediately. He laid down his life in attempting to control a major disaster which could have resulted in the death of hundreds of employees of the plant.

Shri R.B. Yadav, Constable

Constable R.B. Yadav was posted on duty at the Fire Station of the Central Industrial Security Force Unit on the date of incident. At about 1906 hours information was received in the Central Room of the Fire Station of a gas leak in the gas cracker plant. Constable Yadav joined his group and took the fire tender to the site of the incident. On reaching the site he noticed a cloud of highly inflammable gas surrounding the area. Unmindful of the extreme danger Constable Yadav joined his colleagues in commandeering the fire tender. During this emergency operation a violent explosion occurred followed by a devastating fire which engulfed the entire area. Constable R.B. Yadav was burnt to death while manning his assigned duty. Constable Yadav sacrificed his life while undertaking rescue operation and thus displayed the highest sense of devotion to duty.

Shri Dalip Singh Thakur and Shri J.K. Balia, Sub-Inspectors

Shri Dalip Singh Thakur and Shri J.K. Balia, Sub-Inspectors were on duty at the Central Room of the Central Industrial Security Force Unit on the date of incident. Around 1906 hours both of them heard a loud explosion from the plant side and when they came out of the building, they saw a ball of fire rising out of the area of the gas cracker plant. Sensing emergency they called for a general
alert asking the colleagues to rush for duty. Both of them organised the CISF staff on duty to combat the flames. While they were on the job they suddenly noticed flames of fire emerging from the top of the ethylene storage tank. The two officers, pulled out the protective clothing from the store of the fire tender and ran towards the ethylene storage tank. They ran up the ladder of the tank attempting to reach the flames were in fact debris which had been thrown on the tank following violent explosion. Completely uninterested in own safety both of them reached the flaming debris and pulled the debris away from the top of the tank and finally from the site. The act of Shri D.S. Thakur and Shri J.K. Balia in taking risk involved certain deaths if the explosion had taken place on the tank. This was an act of calculated bravery and dedication to duty. The officers showed presence of mind in hazardous condition and saved hundreds of lives by single act of courage.

Shri K.R. Bai, Constable

Shri K.R. Bai was on duty in the Control Room of Central Industrial Security Force Unit on the date of incident when information was received at 19.05 hours regarding gas leak in the gas cracker plant. On receiving the information Constable K.R. Bai moved the fire tender along with his fire crew and reached the scene of incident. Unmindful of the danger he went about the emergency operation coordinating with his colleagues and tried to tackle the gas leak. Suddenly there was a loud explosion followed by a devastating fire which engulfed the entire area. The explosion threw Shri K.R. Bai shaken by the explosion again got up to move into the same area to combat the catastrophe but fell down unconscious. Constable K.R. Bai showed exemplary courage and determination exhibiting a rare dedication to duty under extremely hazardous condition of work.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for gallantry and consequently carry with them the special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) of the rules with effect from the 5th November, 1990.

J.K. Upadhayay
Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1992.

No.11-PreS/92: The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1992, to award the President's Fire Service Medal
for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

Shri P.P.R. Pillai,
Director (Technical)
Kerala.

Shri D.J. Kulkarni,
Chief Fire Officer,
Maharashtra.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules
governing the granting of the President's Fire Service medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay)  
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1992.

No.12-Pres/92: The President is pleased, on the occasion of the
Republic Day, 1992, to award the Fire Service Medal for
Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

Shri S. Appanna,
Assistant Sub-Inspector,
Andaman & Nicobar islands.

Shri D. Aditya,
Station Officer,
Assam.

Shri N.K. Barua,
Leading Fireman,
Assam.

Shri Hari Kishan,
Fireman,
New Delhi.

Shri Kishan Singh,
Driver,
Delhi.

Shri O.P. Gupta,
Leading Fireman,
Delhi.

Shri B. Shantharam,
Sub-Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri B. Arjun,
Leading Fireman,
Karnataka.

Shri R.P.T. Pillai,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri K.C. Ayyappan,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

Shri C.M. Kuttappan,
Station Officer,
Kerala.

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Shri V.G. Sawant,
Divisional Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri D.M. Mahadik,
Sub-Officer,
Maharashtra.

Shri N.V. Dhotre,
Driver Operator,
Maharashtra.

Shri K.S. Singh,
Station Officer,
Manipur.

Shri P.N.N. Tiwari,
Station Officer,
Meghalaya.

Shri L. Sahao,
Driver Havildar,
Orissa.

Shri R. Khan,
Fireman,
Orissa.

Shri M. Gangadharan,
Driver Mechanic,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri V.R. Pillai,
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri A. Somasundaram,
Leading Fireman,
Tamil Nadu.

Shri Dhir Singh,
Fire Station Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri B.B. Srivastava,
Fire Station Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri R.P. Gupta,
Fire Station Officer,
Uttar Pradesh.
Shri S. Roy,
Deputy Director,
West Bengal.

Shri S.K. Mukherjee,
Station Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri P.N. Thakur,
Sub-Officer,
West Bengal.

Shri S.L. Nagarkar,
Assistant Commandant,
Central Industrial Security Force,
Ministry of Home.

Shri D.S. Rawat,
Assistant Commandant,
Central Industrial Security Force,
Ministry of Home.

Shri S.L. Bhatnagar,
Assistant Commandant,
Central Industrial Security Force,
Ministry of Home.

Shri K.L. Bhasin,
Head Constable (Fire),
Railway Protection Force,
Ministry of Railways.

Shri M.K. Rao,
Assistant Security Commissioner,
Railway Protection Force,
Ministry of Railways.

Shri P.T. Kandasamy,
Head Constable,
Railway Protection Force,
Ministry of Railways.

Shri V. Dayalan,
Head Constable (Fire),
Railway Protection Force,
Ministry of Railways.

2. Those awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Service Medal.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1992

No. 97-Pres/92 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1992 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person:-

Shri M.L. Dang,
Assistant Security Commissioner, 
Ministry of Railways.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(11) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay) 
Director
No.98-Pres/92 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1992, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:–

Shri B.S. Naick
Regional Fire Officer,
Andhra Pradesh

Shri R.C. Prasad
Fire Station Officer
Bihar

Shri Luxmi Narain
Sub-Officer
Bihar.

Shri Ramash Chandra
Station Fire Officer
Bihar.

Shri T.L. Verma
Fire Officer
Haryana.

Shri M. Shettigar
Sub-Officer
Karnataka.

Shri A.K. Haldur
Leading Fireman
Karnataka.

Shri D. Hanumanthu
Divisional Fire Officer,
Karnataka.

Shri M.R.N.S. Pillai
Assistant Divisional Officer
Kerala.

Shri P. Harikrishnan
Assistant Divisional Officer
Kerala.
Shri S.H. Singh
Leading Fireman
Manipur.

Shri N. Barik
Driver Havildar
Orissa.

Shri B. Panigrah
Fireman
Orissa.

Shri L. Mahanta
Assistant Station Officer
Orissa.

Shri R. Ramanay
Fireman Driver
Tamil Nadu.

Shri D.F. Dalasda
Fireman Driver
Tamil Nadu.

Shri S. Vaeramani
Station Fire Officer
Tamil Nadu.

Shri C. Chakraborty
Divisional Fire Officer
Tripura.

Shri R.S. Pal
Fire Station Officer
Uttar Pradesh.

Shri L.N. Pandey
Fire Engine Operator-cum-Driver,
West Bengal.

Shri R.L. Ghosh
Station Officer
West Bengal.

Shri B.C. Ghosh
Leader
West Bengal.

Shri A.K. Gupta
Inspector
Central Industrial Security Force
New Delhi.
Shri K.N. Mathur
Inspector
Central Industrial Security Force
New Delhi.

Shri Harbans Singh
Fire Station Officer
Ministry of Railways
New Delhi.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(II) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

(A.K. Upadhyay)
Director
No.5-Press/93 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1993, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:

Shri B. Ramrao
Station Fire Officer
Andhra Pradesh

Shri S.C. Majumdar
Station Officer
Arunachal Pradesh

Shri R.G. Mathur
Divisional Officer
Delhi

Shri Mahinder Singh
Leading Fireman
Delhi

Shri S.M. Rishi
Station Officer
Delhi

Shri A.S. Verma
Chief Fire Officer(Offg.)
Himachal Pradesh

Shri R.R. Jetty
Assistant Sub-Officer
Karnataka

Shri T. D'Mello
Sub-Officer
Karnataka

Shri S.M. Saheb
Assistant Sub-Officer
Karnataka

Shri D.S. Kivadasannavar
Divisional Fire Officer
Karnataka
Shri C.V. Kunhikrishnan
Leading Fireman
Kerala

Shri K.P. Bhardwaj
Fire Officer
Maharashtra

Shri J. S. Wangkhem
Sub-Officer
Manipur

Shri R.C. Samal
Leading Fireman
Orissa

Shri H.K. Sahoo
Assistant Station Officer
Orissa

Shri D.K. Parija
Fireman
Orissa

Shri V. Ramasamy
Driver Mechanic
Tamil Nadu

Shri K. Selvaraj
Fireman
Tamil Nadu

Shri K. Veerasamy
Fireman Driver
Tamil Nadu

Shri N.S. Sultan
Fireman Driver
Tamil Nadu

Shri M.K. Paul
Divisional Fire Officer
Tripura

Shri S. Ali
FSSO
Uttar Pradesh

Shri B. Singh
Fire Station Officer
Uttar Pradesh
Shri D.F. Shukla  
Fire Station Officer  
Uttar Pradesh

Shri R.P.S. Tyagi  
Fire Station Officer  
Uttar Pradesh

Shri P.B. Roy  
Chief Mobilising Officer  
West Bengal

Shri P.K. Biswas  
Station Officer  
West Bengal

Shri B.M. Sen  
Divisional Fire Officer  
West Bengal

Shri N.S. Bindra  
C A F M  
Ministry of Defence

Shri Prem Lal  
F E D  
Ministry of Defence

Shri Puran Chand  
L H (F)  
Ministry of Defence

Shri B. Nath  
Fire Supervisor  
Ministry of Defence

Shri S. Ramaswamy  
SI/RPF  
Ministry of Railways

Shri R.M. Ghoshal  
Assistant Commandant  
CISF

Shri G.R.C. Rao  
Assistant Commandant  
CISF

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Shri V. Somanathan
Head Constable
CISF

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing
the grant of President's Fire Service Medal.

[Signature]
(G.B. Pradhan)
Director

No.73-Pres/93:- The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1993, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:-

Shri G. Subrahmanyan
Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri S.N. Ahammed
Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri D. Ramulu
Station Fire Officer
Andhra Pradesh

Shri S. Khader
Leading Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri A.K. Nath
Station Fire Officer
Arunachal Pradesh

Shri H. Upadhye
Leading Fireman
Assam

Shri H.C. Sarma
Leading Fireman
Assam

Shri T.M. Panchaksharamiah
Assistant Sub Officer
Karnataka

Shri G. Siddalingappa
Fireman Driver
Karnataka

Shri S. Bhandari
Leading Fireman
Karnataka

Shri M. Venkataramappa
Fireman
Karnataka

Shri V.K. Nair
Station Officer
Kerala

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Shri M.V. Krishnan
Leading Fireman
Kerala

Shri P.V. Asokan
Assistant Divisional Officer
Kerala

Shri K.S. Alevi
Divisional Officer
Kerala

Shri B.S. Torgar
Chief Superintendent (Fire)
Madhya Pradesh

Shri T. Singh
Leading Fireman
Manipur

Shri P. Periðe
Leading Fireman
Orissa

Shri B. Gouç
Fireman
Orissa

Shri K.C. Rath
Assistant Station Officer
Orissa

Shri B.S. Sidhu
Fire Station Officer
Punjab

Shri H.S. Bhullar
Fire Station Officer
Punjab

Shri B. Singh
Fire Station Officer
Punjab

Shri V. Anbalagan
Leading Fireman
Tamilnadu

Shri V. Vijayakumar
Assistant Divisional Fire Officer
Tamilnadu

Shri U.R. Char
Inspector/Fire
Ministry of Railways

Shri S. Santharappan
Inspector/Fire
Ministry of Railways

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Shri T. Singh  
Assistant Commandant  
C.I.S.F.  
Ministry of Home Affairs

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of the Fire Services Medal.

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 26th January, 1994.

No.3-Pres/94 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Republic Day, 1994, to award the President's Fire Services Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned person:-

Shri K.K. Kalia
Manager (Fire & Safety)
Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas

2. This award is made under Rule 3(iv) of the rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Services Medal.

[G.B. Pradhan]
DIRECTOR

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT.

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 26th January, 1994.

No.4-Pres/94 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day 1994, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:-

Shri K.R.R. Nair
Chief Fire Officer
Andaman & Nicobar Islands

Shri S. Alajangi
Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri G.S. Rao
Driver Operator
Andhra Pradesh

Shri M.N. Rao
Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri C. Chandraiah
Station Fire Officer
Andhra Pradesh

Shri S. Das
Sub-Officer
Assam

Shri P.S. Chakraborty
Leading Fireman
Assam

Shri N.S. Yadav
Fire Station Officer
Bihar

Shri C.D. Tiwary
Fire Station Officer
Bihar

Shri S. Yadav
Leading Fireman
Bihar

Shri Ram Niwas
Driver
Delhi
Shri Ram Pher
Driver
Delhi

Shri Ram Awtar
Leading Fireman
Delhi

Shri K.S. Dahiya
Assistant Divisional Officer
Delhi

Shri S. Rangaswamy
Leading Fireman
Karnataka

Shri T.B. Ramaiah
Leading Fireman
Karnataka

Shri R. Krishna
Fireman
Karnataka

Shri P.T.K. Nair
Leading Fireman
Kerala

Shri A.S. Sawant
Driver Operator
Maharashtra

Shri C.J. Waradkar
Foreman
Maharashtra

Shri I.M. Mahamad
Sub-Officer
Manipur

Shri P.C. Das
Fireman
Orissa

Shri K.P. Rao
Station Officer
Orissa

Shri G.C. Dhar
Leading Fireman
Orissa

Shri P. Ganeshan
Leading Fireman
Tamil Nadu

Shri K. Elumalai
Fireman,
Tamil Nadu
Shri M.M. Pattis
Divisional Fire Officer
Tamil Nadu

Shri G. Perumal
Fireman Driver
Tamil Nadu

Shri Budh Singh
Fire Station Second Officer
Uttar Pradesh

Shri B.K. Mallick
Fire Operator
West Bengal

Shri D.K. Bose
Station Officer
West Bengal

Shri B. Goral
ASI/Exe
Central Industrial Security Force

Shri S.A. Naeem
Assistant Commandant/Exe
Central Industrial Security Force

Shri D.R. Yadav
Inspector/Exe
Central Industrial Security Force

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Services Medal.

(G.B. Pradhan)
DIRECTOR
No.137-Pres/94 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day, 1994, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
BIHAR

SHRI RADHEY SHYAM,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER (FIRE),
DELHI.

SHRI CHANDER PAL,
FIREFMAN,
DELHI.

SHRI N. NAMASIVAYAM,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR, FIRE SERVICES,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI P. MURUKESAN,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI D. BHAKTAN,
SECTION FIRE OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI RAVINDRA KUMAR SINGH,
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(iv) of the Rules governing the grant of the President's Fire Service Medal.  

(G.B. Pradhan)
DIRECTOR
No. 138-Pres/94 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of Independence Day 1994, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI T. RAJANNA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI G. PANCHALAIH,
FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI MIR ISHAQ ALI,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI M. SEETARAMAIH,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI SAHADEO ROY,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI DIPAK KUMAR BISWAS,
FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI UMED SINGH CHHILLAR,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
DELHI.

SHRI GURUPAL SINGH,
DRIVER,
DELHI.

SHRI U. LAXMANA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI P.R. NEELAKANTA GOUD,
STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI B.C. OBALESH,
FIREMAN DRIVER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI N. DAMODARA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KARNATAKA.
SHRI B.K. HAMPPAGOL,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI M.C. NADAR,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI V. GANGADHARAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI O.K. HARIDASAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI A.R. SALIM,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
KERALA.

SHRI MOOSA KHALID,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI GAINGAMLUNG K.K.,
STATION OFFICER,
MANIPUR.

SHRI D.K. GARAIAK,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI S. SAMAL,
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI K.B. JENA,
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI MOOL CHAND SHARMA,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
RAJASTHAN.

SHRI B. ALAGARSAMY,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI C. MURUGESAN,
FIREMAN,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI R. KRISHNAMOORTHY,
FIREMAN DRIVER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI T. NATARAJAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
TAMIL NADU.

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2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(G.B. Pradhan)
DIRECTOR
No. 84-Pres/95 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1995, to award the Fire Services Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:

SHRI B.Z. KHAN,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI M.O. ALI,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI K.M. CHANDRA MOULI,
FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI G.P. REDDY,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI T.K. MEDHI,
FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI R.K. BHATTACHARJEE,
SUB-OFFICER,
ASSAM.

SHRI C.B. SONER,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI A.K. SAUKIA,
STATION OFFICER,
ASSAM.

SHRI D. SINGH,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
BIHAR.

SHRI R. SHARMA,
SUB-OFFICER,
BIHAR.

SHRI S.P. SINHA,
FIRE STATION SUB-OFFICER,
BIHAR.

SHRI A.K. BHATNAGAR,
STATION OFFICER (FIRE),
DELHI.

...p/2...
SHRI H. DASS,
LEADING FIREMAN,
DELHI.

SHRI P.K. SHARMA,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
DELHI.

SHRI B.C. JADEJA,
DIVISIONAL OFFICER FIRE;
GUJARAT.

SHRI K.B. KRISHNA,
FIREMAN,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI A. LOKESH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI S. SHETTY,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI C.G. CHOODAIAH,
STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI V. HANUMANTHAIAH,
SUB-OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI K. GOPINATHAN,
STATION OFFICER,
KERALA.

SHRI A.T. JOHN,
FIREMAN DRIVER-CUM-PUMP OPERATOR,
KERALA.

SHRI M.T. KUMARAN,
FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI N.K. SREEDHARAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI L.N. RAUT,
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI A.S. LAIKHRACKPAM,
SUB-OFFICER,
MANIPUR.

......P/3.
SHRI M. JAGGA RAO,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI P.K. GANTAYAT,
FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI S.N. NAYAK,
DRIVER HAVILDAR,
ORISSA.

SHRI D. SAMAL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI M. BARAL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI G. BEURA,
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI A.K. TIWARI,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
PUNJAB.

SHRI T. KOTHANDAPANI,
LEADING FIREMAN,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI K.A. JEEVANANDAM,
DRIVER MECHANIC,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI K. MANOHARAN,
FIREMAN,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI C. RATHINAVEL,
FIREMAN,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI C.P. SAMIKKANNU,
FIREMAN DRIVER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI S. MASANAM,
FIREMAN DRIVER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI A. PARASURAMAN,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

....P/4.
SHRI R.V. SINGH,
FIRE STATION SECOND OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI M.C. DEB,
FIRE ENGINEER OPERATOR-CUM-DRIVER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI K.G. DESHRATAN,
JUNIOR DEMONSTRATOR,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI A. RAMA RAO,
ASSISTANT SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE),
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI S. SARKAR,
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE),
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI S.R. RAMASWAMY,
ASSISTANT COMMANDANT,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI KAMAL SINGH,
CIVILIAN ASSISTANT FIRE MASTER,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI K.R. DHOBLEY,
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
BAEHA ATOMIC RESEARCH CENTRE,
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

SHRI R.K. KESHI,
JUNIOR MANAGER (FIRE),
MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIES.

SHRI G. SANKARALINGAM,
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE),
RAILWAY PROTECTION FORCE,
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.

3. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Services Medal.

(SUDHIR NATH)
Joint Secretary to the President.
No. 172-Pres/95 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1995 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for distinguished service to the undermentioned person:-

SHRI A.C. MAHANTA
SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(G.B. Pradhan)
Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1995

No.173-Pres/95 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1995, to award the Fire Service Medal for meritorious service to the undermentioned persons:-

SHRI MOHD. AHAULLAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI N. BALAIH
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI MOHD. H.A. KHAN
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI D. PRABHAKARA REDDY
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI Y.V.S. SAISTRY
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI S.S. PUJARI
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI J.C. BARMAN
SUB-OFFICER
ARUNACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI D.K. CHAKRAHORY
FIRE PREVENTION OFFICER
ASSAM.

SHRI V. KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR.

SHRI S. PRASAD
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR.
SHRI C. FLORIAN
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR.

SHRI B.R. SAXENA
SUB-OFFICER
DELHI.

SHRI TIKAM SINGH
SUB-OFFICER
DELHI.

SHRI N.K. BHAWAKAR
DIVISIONAL OFFICER (FIRE)
DELHI.

SHRI C.L. SHARMA
STATION OFFICER
DELHI.

SHRI VISHNU DUTT
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI.

SHRI V. KALAPPA
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA.

SHRI P. SHAMANNA
ASSISTANT SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA.

SHRI MOHAMMED TAJUDDIN
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA.

SHRI B.C. KRISHNAPPA
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA.

SHRI K. PRABHAKARAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI K. KUMARAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI T. GANGADHARAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI R.A. BABAR
LEADING FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA.

.....P.3/-
SHRI B.B. SURVE
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI L.S. SOIBAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANPUR.

SHRI S.C. NATH
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI M.S. SWAIN
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA.

SHRI B.C. MOHAPATRA
FIREMAN
ORISSA.

SHRI R.K. SHARMA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
PUNJAB.

SHRI G. GURUSAMY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI V.P. GOVINDARAJ
STATION OFFICER (TRANSPORT)
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI V.N. SRINIVASAN
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI M.K. RAJAGOPAL
STATION FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI M. ARULAPPAN
STATION FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI D. DEVENDRAN
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI V. RAMACHANDRAN
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(G.B. Pradhan)
Director
Notification

New Delhi, the 19th September, 1995.

No.186-Pres/95 - The President is pleased to award the President's Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned Officers:-

Name and Rank of the Officers

Shri M.S. Dar,
Director,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri S.N. Sofi,
Assistant Director,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri L.A. Khan,
Assistant Director,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri M.I. Lone,
Driver,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.

In the intervening night of 8th and 9th May, 1995, there was a devastating fire in the town of Charer-i-Sherief in Jammu & Kashmir. On receipt of a fire emergency call at 0050 hrs, Shri M.S. Dar, Director of Fire Service with his Assistant Directors rushed for the site of incident after despatching all fire fighting recourses. At about 0230 hours, the response party was stranded at the Hospital crossing due to constant cross firing between the militants and the security forces which made the site of fire incident completely inaccessible. Shri M.S. Dar and his team of fire fighters lead to physically crawl on the ground to reach the site of fire amidst heavy firing, inspite of some bullets hitting the appliances. The officers made a thorough recce of the situation and the surroundings and found the Shrine and the adjacent wooden structure of Khankah Mosque as the site of conflagration. Shri Dar, Director of Fire Service, Jammu & Kashmir, then took full operational command of the situation and made meticulous planning for operation. Shri Sofi, Assistant Director was entrusted to the laying of charged hose pipes from the posterior side of the Shrine and Shri L.A. Khan was made responsible for ensuring continuous supply of water. Shri Lone, Driver doubtlessly drove his fire appliances through such cross firing and arrived at the site of fire and effectively set the portable pumps into operation which continued for 80 long hours, under such adverse operational conditions. The indefatigable efforts of Shri Dar and his motivated and dedicated team of fire fighters saved the Shrine and its adjoining structures to the extent possible for more than 48 hours under such warlike conditions ignoring their personal
In this incident Shri M.S. Dar, Director, Shri S.N. Soni, Assistant Director, Shri L.A. Khan, Assistant Director and Shri I. Lone, Driver displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the rules governing the award of President's Fire Service medal and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from 8th May, 1995.

(G.B. Pradhan)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th September, 1995

No. 187-Pres. 95 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers -

Name and Rank of the Officers

Shri K. G. Sodhi,
Assistant Director,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri B. A. Alaie,
Sub-Officer,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri G. M. Badoo,
Leading Fireman,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri A. A. Bhat,
Fireman,
Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded.

In the intervening night of 8th and 9th May, 1995, when continuous cross firing between the militants and the security forces were going on, a fire emergency call was received from Charar-i-Sherif in Jammu & Kashmir informing a major devastating fire in the town. The fire response team headed by the Director of Fire Service rushed to the spot of incident and were stranded at the hospital crossing of the town because of hostile operational condition due to continuous firing made the site of incident completely inaccessible. Ignoring the difficulties and their personal safety, Shri B. A. Alaie, Sub-Officer accompanied by Shri G. M. Badoo, Leading Fireman and Shri A. A. Bhat, Fireman were the first to arrive at the site of the incident for the effective control of the fire which then engulfed the Shrine and its adjacent wooden Khankah Mosque. Amidst such hostile operational conditions, the aforesaid fire fighting team of Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service doughtlessly fought the fire for 36 long hours to save the Shrine and its surrounding structures. Shri R. S. Sodhi, Assistant Director at that time took over the charge of fire control room and effectively coordinated all fire fighting manoeuvres for the success of the operation.

In this incident S/ Shri R. S. Sodhi, Assistant Director, B. A. Alaie, Sub-Officer, G. M. Badoo, Leading Fireman and A. A. Bhat, Fireman displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule -3 (1) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal and consequently carry with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from 8th May, 1995.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th September, 1995

No.188-Pres/95 - The President is pleased to award Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:-

Name and Rank of the Officers

Shri S. Dhanapathy,
Fire Officer and Assistant Safety Officer,
Madras Port Trust,
Ministry of Surface Transport.

Shri A. Varadarajan,
Fireman,
Madras Port Trust,
Ministry of Surface Transport.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On the early hours of 31st October, 1994, there was a major fire with sporadic explosions in the Steel Authority of India Plt of Marshalling Yard of Madras Port Trust. Some hazardous chemicals stock piled in the yard was water-reactant. Due to incessant rain, the water reactant chemicals was set ablaze which also caused explosions. At about 0205 hours of 31.10.94, on receipt of distress call, Shri S. Dhanapathy, Fire Officer and Assistant Safety Officer with fire crews of Madras Port Trust reached the site immediately, and found 5 of the 20 Ft. containers were on fire emanating poisonous smoke spreading towards the adjoining Central Industrial Security Forces Barracks and Sathyanagar Butments nearby.

Shri Dhanapathy assisted by Fireman Varadarajan immediately responded to the crisis without losing time and broke open one container on fire and extinguished the fire with special Dry Power chemicals. In the meantime, fire spreaded to the surroundings by the explosion of some chemical drums, but that did not deter S/Shri Dhanapathy and Varadarajan to raise to the occasion. Ardously with praying water to the surroundings and using Foams, they controlled the fire and thus saved 32 other containers even working in such poisonous gas filled environment for such a long time risking their own life. In the process, both of them received severe burns for which they later on treated in the Hospital for a long time.

In this incident Shri S. Dhanapathy, Fire Officer and Assistant Safety Officer and Shri A. Varadarajan, Fireman displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule - 3(i) of the Rules governing the awards of Fire Service Medal and consequently carry with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from 31st October, 1994.

(G.B. Pradhan)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th Jan., 96

No. 3-Pres/96 — The President is pleased, on the occasion of Republic Day, 1996 to award President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned persons:

SHRI P.N. MAZUMDER
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM.

DR. F.K. JOHN
DIRECTOR, FIRE SERVICES
SCA.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

G.B. Pradhan
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 66

No. 4-Fire/66 - The President is pleased on the occasion of
Republic Day, 1966 to award Fire Service Medal for Meritorious
service to the undermentioned persons: -

1. Shri S. Malla Rao
   Fireman
   Andhra Pradesh

2. Shri I. Ismail
   Driver, Generator
   Andhra Pradesh

3. Shri K. K. Rao
   Leading Fireman
   Andhra Pradesh

4. Shri M. Ali
   Leading Fireman
   Andhra Pradesh

5. Shri B. Baig
   Leading Fireman
   Andhra Pradesh

6. Shri A. Baig
   Driver, Generator
   Andhra Pradesh

7. Shri T. Muthiah
   Leading Fireman
   Andhra Pradesh

8. Shri N. Phukan
   Fireman
   Assam

9. Shri N. K. Singh
   Leading Fireman
   Bihar
SHRI S.K. RAI
LEADING FIREMAN
GUJRAT.

SHRI M.T. MITHO
FIREMAN
GUJRAT.

SHRI D.F. MANGELA
JAI (LEADING FIREMAN)
GUJRAT.

SHRI S.B. MANGELA
FIREMAN
GUJRAT.

SHRI H.R. MANGELA
FIREMAN
GUJRAT.

SHRI M.M. CHACELA
FIREMAN
GUJRAT.

SHRI G.U. UJJA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
GUJRAT.

SHRI A.K. GEOR
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI R.S. SIRKHLA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI V.J. ANNA
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA.

SHRI M. GANDHARA
ASSISTANT SCU-C FIRE
KARNATAKA.

SHRI SHIVALINGAM K.
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA.

SHRI S.P. VELRAJ
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA.

SHRI J.B. DI'SCOZA
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA.

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SHRI P. BHASKARAN
STATION OFFICER
KERAVALA.

SHRI F. V. NARAYANAN
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA.

SHRI S.S. MESHRAM
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI S.S. KAJIKOMAR
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR.

SHRI T.P. SAML
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR.

SHRI S. N. KALITA
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI K.C. DEKA
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI A.C. KATH
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI S. SABAR,
LEADING FIREMAN
CRISSA.

SHRI J.K. PATTANAYAK
STATION OFFICER
CRISSA.

SHRI L. SENAFATI
DRIVER HAVILDAR
CRISLA.

SHRI C. SAMANNAI
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI F. KATHAMUTHU
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 1654
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI N. KAMRAJ
FIREMAN NO. 1877
TAMIL NADU.
SHRI N. P. R. G. MECHANIC NO. 27,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI P. G. MECHANIC NO. 1924,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI G. K. S. FIREMAN NO. 1270
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI T. S. LEADING FIREMAN NO. 1972
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI A. K. CH. OFFICER
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI R. K. SRIMAN
LEADER L-857
W. BENGAL.

SHRI F. K. STATION OFFICER
W. BENGAL.

SHRI H. S. KAPLAN
SCIENTIFIC DIRECTOR
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI A. K. SURI
ADJUDICATING DIRECTOR
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI U. P. DHAWAN
SCIENTISTS - E
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI S. K. JUNA
HEAD CONSTABLE - CISF
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI R. S. NATH
SR. FIRE & SAFETY OFFICER
MINISTRY OF PETROLOM & NATURAL GAS.

SHRI T. K. MANJUL
ASSISTANT SECURITY COMMISSIONER (RAF)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAILWAY BOARD).

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules
governing the grant of Fire Service Medals.

(G.B. Pradhan)
Director
No.13-Pres/96 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

**NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER**

SHRI B.S. TONGAR,
CHIEF SUPDT.,
POLICE FIRE BRIGADE,
INDORE,
M.P.

**Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded**

On 7th May, 1994, while manual digging of sewage line was going on in the Palsikar Colony of Indore at a depth of 28 ft., the side wall of the trench caved in, burying 5 labourers under earth and debris. On getting a distress call, the Fire Service personnel of Indore under the leadership of Shri B.S. Tongar, Chief Supdt., Police Fire Brigade, Indore arrived at the spot immediately. After due survey of the area and the situation, Shri Tongar with his team immediately sprang into action and entered the trench from one of the un-affected side wall which caused further collapse of the earth and a rolling stone struck Shri Tongar causing physical injury to him. But unmindful of his personal safety, Shri Tongar made his way to the site of accident with the help of his rescue party members by physically removing the debris and ultimately succeeded in extricating 4 trapped persons alive within half an hour and recovered the dead body of the fifth labourer.

2. In this incident Shri B.S. Tongar, Chief Supdt., Police Fire Brigade, Indore, M.P. displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule-3(i) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 7th May, 1994.

(G.B. Pradhan)
DIRECTOR
No. G-3/96- The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICERS

Shri P.K. Rao
Chief Fire Officer,
U.P., Fire Service,
Fazal Ganj,
Kanpur, U.P.

Shri P.P. Avasthy,
Station Fire Officer,
U.P. Fire Service,
Fazal Ganj Fire Station,
Kanpur, U.P.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Rubber washer and level indicator of toxic Liquid ammonia receiver tank in the cold storage of M/s Sabharwal Ice and Cold Storage Pvt. Ltd. in Kanpur suddenly exploded at 21.56 hours on 24th April, 1995 resulting uncontrolled release of dangerous ammonia gas in the form of a cloud which enmeshed about 1/2 Km radius from the site of accident. Residents of affected zone had irritation, choking and suffocating effect and there was utter confusion and panic.

On getting a distress call, C.F.O. P.K. Rao and S.F.O. P.P. Avasthy reached the spot with their team without losing any time. Equipped only with B.A. sets, and having no specific ammonia protective suits, they entered the gas filled machine room where visibility was almost zero. In absence of any local person/guide, it took longer time on their part to locate the damaged site, but without losing morale, they tried and tried again in that abnoxious hostile atmosphere to locate the defect and ultimately succeeded in plugging off the damaged portion and thus saving many lives and properties.

Sarvashri Rao and Avasthy showed exemplary courage, conspicuous, gallantry and displayed devotion to duty of very high order even risking their own personal safety.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule -3(1) of the rules governing the awards of Fire Service Medal and consequently carry with special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 24th April, 1995.

( S.B. Pradhan)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th August, 1996.

No. 85-Pers/96- The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICERS

Shri K.K. Agarwal,
Fire Station Officer,
U.P Fire Service,
Noida Fire Station,
Noida, U.P.

Shri N. Singh,
Leading Fireman,
U.P. Fire Service,
Noida Fire Station,
Noida, U.P.

Shri A.K. Tyagi,
Fireman,
U.P. Fire Service,
Noida Fire Station,
Noida, U.P.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 27th May, 1995 evening at 1700 hours, the outlet valve of a 4 metric tonne capacity toxic ammonia storage tank of M/s Hindustan Refrigeration Factory at NOIDA developed some snag and thick cloud of dangerous ammonia gas gushed out of the factory premises over-musking 3 to 4 kms radius from the site of incident, causing irritation, choking and suffocation of the residents within affected zone and creating utter confusion and panic.

FSO K.K. Agarwal with his 19 member team immediately rushed to the site on getting an emergency call, but found the factory gate locked through which obnoxious ammonia gas was gushing out.

Having no proper protective suits, Shri Agarwal approached the factory gate under the curtain of water spray from the back and advised Sarvashri N. Singh and A.K. Tyagi to follow him after putting B.A. sets. The trio then broke open the factory gate, entered the factory premises in such gas filled hazardous environment which made visibility almost zero, located the damaged out let valve and struggled for 3 hours in the hostile environment to plug the leakage.

Sarvashri K.K. Agarwal, Station Fire Officer, N. Singh, Leading Fireman and A.K. Tyagi, Fireman displayed exemplary devotion to duty, extreme courage and conspicuous gallantry even risking their personal safety.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule-3(1) of the rules governing Fire Service Gallantry Medal and consequently carry with it special allowances admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27th May, 1995.

(Signature)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1996

No. 76-Pres/96 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 1996 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:-

SHRI M.K. ALI KHAN
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI RAMULU
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI CH. SADANANDAM
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI S.N. SHARMAH
STATION OFFICER
ARUNACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI P. RAM
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BIHAR.

SHRI B. RAM
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR.

SHRI N.P. SINHA
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
BIHAR.

SHRI G.S. PRASAD
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
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SHRI H.S. PANWAR
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI.
SHRI S. DUTT
STATION OFFICER
DELHI.

SHRI HARI SHANKER
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI.

SHRI I.S. SHARMA
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI.

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KARNATAKA.

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MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI C.B. GHOSALKAR
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MAHARASHTRA.

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DIVISIONAL OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA.

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MANIPUR.

SHRI L. MALLICK
DRIVER HAVILDAR
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SHRI B.K. MOHAPATRA
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
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SHRI U. PARRY
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI R.P. KANDASAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI V. BEEMAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI R.G. JAYAGANDAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI S.N. HUSAIN
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI B.R. PAL
LEADING FIREMAN
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SHRI S.K. MITTRA
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL.
SHRI C.R. SARKAR
LEADER
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI P.K. GUHA
CHIEF SAFETY OFFICER
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI D.S. THAKUR
CHARGE MAN
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI M. LAL
FIRE ENGINE DRIVER
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

SHRI Y.T. GAUSUNDARE
JUNIOR DEMONSTRATOR, N.F.S.C.
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI N.M. SELOKAR
JUNIOR DEMONSTRATOR, N.F.S.C.
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI H.N. BHARNE
SENIOR DEMOISTRATOR, N.F.S.C.
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI K. MOHAMMED
SUB-INSPECTOR/FIRE
C.I.S.F.,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI P.T. THOMAS
ASSTT. SUB-INSPECTOR/FIRE
C.I.S.F.,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI J. EKKA
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
C.I.S.F.,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

SHRI B. SINGH
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
C.I.S.F.,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI D.N. SAH
HEAD CONSTABLE/TPO-
CUM-DRIVER/GR.II
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS.
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the Grant of Fire Service Medals.

(G.B. Pradhan)
DIRECTOR
New Delhi, dated the 26th January, 1997

No.4-Pres/97 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officers:

NAME & RANK OF THE OFFICER

Shri N.N. Salokhe
Fireman
Kolhapur
Maharashtra

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 24.12.1995 evening a furious stray tiger entered in the sub urban areas of the Kolhapur town and attacked a teenaged girl who later succumbed to serious injury. This caused panic amongst the residents of the town. A search party comprising of Fire Service and Police personnel were deployed by the competent authority to locate the tiger in which Shri Salokhe was a member.

2. Suddenly, the search party came across the tiger in an isolated place. The tiger from his hideout silently charged the group when Shri Salokhe without giving second thought dashed in and tried to push away the tiger, to save his companions. The tiger mauled very badly, but still he went of fighting bare handed. To save his life, Police personnel shoot the tiger on the post.

3. Shri N.N. Salokhe, Fireman Kolhapur Municipal Corporation displayed exemplary devotion to duty, extreme courage and conspicuous gallantry in shooting and fighting out a angry tiger bare-handed to save the life of his companions and public in general even risking his own personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing Fire Service gallantry medals and consequently carries with it special allowances admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from 24.12.1995.

(C.B. Pradhan)
Joint Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1997

No.5-Pres/97 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

NAME & RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI S.B. ZANZAN
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
AURANGABAD
MAHARASHTRA

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 9.12.1995 at 4.45 hours, there was a sudden blast resulting in a serious major fire in Garware Polyester & Plastic Factory at M.I.D.C., Chikalthana Industrial Area, Aurangabad, Maharashtra. Due to the explosion the aforesaid factory building completely collapsed trapping 43 inmates. Because of the nature of chemicals used in the factory which highly inflammable petro-chemicals, the fire was spreading very fast and went beyond control with repeated explosions.

2. On receiving the distress call, Shri Zanzan immediately rushed to the incident site with his response team and engaged a part of the team to control the fire and simultaneously attempted to rescue the 43 trapped persons in such hazardous situation and ultimately succeeded in extracting all of them to a place of safety. In addition, he also helped in the evacuation of 32 other seriously injured employees of the factory from the site of damage and arranged for their hospitalisation.

3. Shri S.B. Zanzan, Chief Fire Officer, Aurangabad, Maharashtra displayed exemplary devotion to duty, extreme presence of mind and courage and conspicuous gallantry even risking his own personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under rule 3(i) of the rules governing Fire Service Medal for gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) with effect from 9.12.1995.

(G.B. PRADHAN)
JOINT SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1997

No.2-Pres/97 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1997, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned persons:

SHRI V.P. GOPI,
DIRECTOR (TECH),
Kerala

SHRI N.M. SINGH
DIVL. OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI V.V. RAO
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI K.K. AGARWAL
FIRE STN. OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI P. CHOUDHURY
DY. COMDT.
CISF, MHA

2. These are made under “Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medals.

(G.B. PRADHAN)
JOINT SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT
To be published in part I, section 1 of the Gazette of India dated saturday the 15th February, 1997

President's secretariat

Notification

No.3-Pres/97 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 1997, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned persons:

Shri V. Sagar
Stn. Fire Officer
Andhra Pradesh

Shri M.G.A. Baig
Stn. Fire Officer
Andhra Pradesh

Shri K. Veeraiyah
Leading Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri K. Vithal
Fireman
Andhra Pradesh

Shri Md. Habeef Ali
Driver Operator
Andhra Pradesh

Shri T. Math
Stn. Officer
Assam

Shri S.C. Kakati
Leading Fireman
Assam

Shri R.S. Rohit
Fireman
Gujarat

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SHRI D.A. PATEL  
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
GUJARAT

SHRI P. GOPINATHAN  
FIRE OFFICER  
GUJARAT

SHRI R. MARSALIN  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA

SHRI P.L. VARGHESE  
FIREMAN  
KERALA

SHRI T.R. BALAKRISHNAN  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA

SHRI ANTONY VELIATH  
ASSTT. DIVNL. OFFICER  
KERALA

SHRI N. MURALEEDHARAN  
ASSTT. DIVSNDL. OFFICER  
KERALA

SHRI R.A. GAJKWAD  
LEADING FIREMAN  
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI R.K. PASTE  
DRIVER OPERATOR  
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI K.P. RAUT  
SUB-OFFICER  
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI G.G. BHARTI  
SUB-OFFICER  
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI A.G. WANJALE  
LEADING FIREMAN  
MAHARASHTRA
SHRI C.Y. UMRAKAR
STATION DUTY OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI S.S. CHINGAKHAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI I.S. LAISHRAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI A.S. AHMED
FIRE STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

SHRI U.N. NAIK
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI S.K. PANDA
FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI G.G. PATTANAIK
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI A.K. JENA
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA

SHRI H.S. DHILLON
FIRE STN. OFFICER
PUNJAB

SHRI R. MURUGAN
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI V. AYYAGARY
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI R.S. JAILABDEEN
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.
2nd Floor, Excess Building, BS3 Marg,
New Delhi - 110 002 Dated 30 April, 1998

The Deputy Master of Mint,
India Government Mint,
Alipore, Calcutta - 700 053.


I am directed to send herewith two copies of the following Notification issued by the President's Secretariat for award of medals mentioned below:-

1. President's Secretariat Notification No. 79-Pres/97 and 76-Pres/97 dated 6th September, 1997 containing the name of one person each in abbreviated form who had been awarded President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry. The Medals may be despatched to the consignee in Appendix 'A' to this letter.

2. President's Secretariat Notification No. 76-Pres/98 and 77-Pres/97 dated 26th January, 1998 containing the name of one person each in abbreviated form who had been awarded Fire Service Medal for Gallantry. The Medals may be despatched to the consignee in Appendix 'B' to this letter.

3. President's Secretariat Notification No. 69-Pres/97 dated 15th August, 1997 containing the name of one person in abbreviated form who had been awarded President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service. The Medals may be despatched to the consignee in Appendix 'C' to this letter.

4. President's Secretariat Notification No. 70-Pres/97 dated 15th August, 1997 containing the name of 29 persons in abbreviated form, who had been awarded Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service. The Medals may be despatched to the consignee in Appendix 'C' to this letter.

It is requested that the above mentioned medals may please be minted expeditiously and despatched to the consignee as per Appendix 'A', 'B' and 'C' for Fire Service at the earliest. Copies of the despatch note/letters addressed to each consignee may please be addressed to this Ministry for record.

Receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

Fire Officer
1021/6(MINT)/98-DGCD(F) New Delhi, Dated April, 1998.

A copy forwarded for information and necessary action with the following request.

As per revised procedure, all medals are now directly consigned by the Govt. of India Mint, Alipore, Calcutta - 700053 to the respective authorities of the State Govt./Union Territory Administrations/Deptt./Ministry of Govt. of India as per consignment instructions enclosed herewith in Appendix 'A', 'B' and 'C' of this letter. In view of this, all concerned are requested to please remain in touch with the Mint authorities in Calcutta instead of writing to this Ministry, after quoting the reference of this Ministry's firm demand as above for non-receipt of medals after waiting for reasonable time. Generally Mint authorities take six to eight months for the fabrication and despatch of medals.

As per custom, the medal so received by the consignees from India Govt. Mint, Calcutta may be awarded to the concerned awardees in a befitting ceremony either on Republic Day or Independence Day in December or during Republic Day/Independence Day ceremony depending upon the circumstances convenient to the State Govt./U.T. Admns/Deptt/Ministry of Govt. of India.

Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh
Home (SC.B) Department,
Hyderabad 500 001, A.P.

Secretary, Govt. of NCT Delhi
Home (III) Department,
5, Shantinath Marg, Delhi

Secretary, Govt. of Kerala
Home (SS.B) Department,
Thiruvanathapuram 695 001 KERALA
MADHYA-PRADESH

Secretary, Govt. of Orissa
Home (CD) Department,
Bhubaneswar - 751 001
ORISSA

Secretary, Govt. of Tamil Nadu
Home (S.C.) Department,
Secretariat, Chennai 600 009
TAMIL NADU

Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal
Department of Municipal Affairs
 Writers' Building, Calcutta
WEST BENGAL

Director General,
Central Industrial Security Force
MHA, Block No. 13, CGO Complex
Lochri Road, New Delhi 110 003

2. Secretary, Govt. of Bihar
Home Guards Department,
Panta, BIHAR

4. Secretary, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Home Department
Simla - 171 001
HIMACHAL PRADESH

6. Secretary, Govt. of Maharashtra
Home Department (Special)
Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400 032
MAHARASHTRA

8. Secretary, Govt. of Manipur
Home Department,
Imphal - 795 001, MANIPUR

10. Secretary, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh
Home (CD) Department,
Sachivalaya, Lucknow 226 001
UTTAR PRADESH

12. Joint Director, RPF
Railway Board, Civil Engg. I,
Rail Bhawan, Rafi Marg,
New Delhi - 110 001

14. Secretary, Ministry of Defence
Govt. of India
South Block, New Delhi 110 011
...́s of Fire Service, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, Patna, Bihar - Himachal Pradesh, Simla, -Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, -Maharashtra, Mumbai, -Orissa, Bhubaneswar, -Tamil Nadu, Chennai, - Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow, -West Bengal, Calcutta

(On Prakash)
Fire Adviser
APPENDIX-A TO MHA
FIRM DEMAND
NO. VI-11021/M(MINT)/98-DDCD(F)
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**SHRI S.S. LAIRENWAYUM**  
**LEADING FIREMAN**  
**MANIPUR**

**SHRI Y.A. MUHAMAD**  
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**DRIVER MECHANIC**  
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**SHRI M.A. KHAN**  
**STATION FIRE OFFICER**  
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**SHRI K. PURUSHOTHAMAN**  
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**SHRI R. RATHIARAM**  
**STATION OFFICER (TRANSPORT)**  
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**SHRI S.N. SHUKLA**  
**LEADING FIREMAN**  
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**Urban Development Department**  
**Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400 032**  
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**Home Department,**  
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New Delhi, 26th January, 1998

No. 7 -Pres/98 - The President is pleased to award the President's Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI R.P.S. TYAGI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
JHANSI
U.P.

Statement of service for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 19.11.96 at about 0930 hrs a major fire broke in the Oil Depot of Indian Oil Corporation at Shivpuri Road, Sipri Bazar, Jhansi (U.P) engulfing 8 oil reservoirs containing more than 1.60 crores litres of highly inflammable
petroleum products. In addition many fully loaded oil tankers were parked within close proximity of the fire site. The risk involved damage to the property worth several crores of rupees and the unmanageable situation could have caused innumerable casualties within the vicinity of the Oil Depot.

3. While fire fighting operation was continuing, F.S.O. Shri R.P.S. Tyagi regardless of any considerations for his personal safety, assessed the situation immediately and entered the blazing depot campus and started rescue operation. He personally drove out the red hot tankers from the proximity of the fire. He also, endangering his own life, saved the life of three persons who were trapped inside the flames. In action Shri Tyagi had received severe burn injuries in his body, ignoring which he continued to fight the fire till the same was brought under control.

4. Shri R.P.S. Tyagi, Fire Station Officer, Jhansi displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty and extreme presence of mind of a very high exemplary order for saving the lives of trapped persons and properties.

4. This award is made under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the Fire Service Medal for gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowances admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from the date of incident i.e. 10.11.96.

(S.K. SHERIFF)
JOINT SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT
New Delhi, the 26th January, 1998.

No. 6 -Pres/98 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day 1998 to award the Fire Service Medal for gallantry to the under mentioned officer:

**NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER**

SHRI P.K. THAPALIYAL
SUB INSPECTOR (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

Statement of service for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 2.4.96 at 2345 hrs a major fire broke out in the turbine No. 2 of Bokaro Thermal Power Station in Bihar. Immediate response was provided by CISF Fire Unit. But considering gravity of the situation, CISF Fire Personnel from the site asked for reinforcement. Shri P.K. Thapaliyal who was off duty, rushed to the site with all available ........2/-
facilities on hearing the alarm and with utter disregard for his personal safety advanced into the fire with foam tenders along with his crews in a condition full of deadly dense smoke causing asphyxiation. While fighting fire in this hostile condition he sustained head injury. In spite of that he led and continued the fire fighting operation till it was extinguished at 0230 hrs of 3.4.96.

2. Shri P.K. Thapaliyal, Sub Inspector (Fire), Central Industrial Security Force, Ministry of Home Affairs displayed exemplary courage, devotion to duty, extreme presence of mind and conspicuous gallantry to save many lives and national properties worth crores of rupees.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing Fire Service Gallantry Medal and consequently carried with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from the date of incident i.e. 2.4.96.

(S.K. SHERIFF)
JOINT SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT
No. 4-Pres/98 – The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1998 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI M. AHMED
Sr. Instructor
Karnataka

SHRI K. J. SUVARNA
Chief Engineer Officer
Karnataka

SHRI S. H. SALAH
Sub Officer
Manipur

2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of President's Fire Service Medal.

(S.K. Sheriff)
Joint Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF
INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 14TH FEBRUARY, 1998

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1998

No. 5-Pres/98 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1998 to award the Fire Service Medal for meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI A.J.P. RAO
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M.V. KAINAM
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI G. SINGH
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S.P. REDDY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI B.A. NANDU
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S.V. CHOWDARY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI N.P. ALI
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI H.B. GASPURKAYASTHA
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI S.S. SODA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

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SHRI S.S. THAPA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI P. LAL
SUL. FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI D. RASHEED
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI S. SINGH
STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI M. SAD
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI S. SINGH
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI NARASIMHAiah
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI T. CHANDRAN
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI P.K. KISHAN
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI C. JANARDHAN
FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI H.S. SONGWANS
FIRE SUPERINTENDENT
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI S.N. MOREN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI B.S. NINGTHOUJAH
FIREMAN DRIVER
MANIPUR

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2. These awards are made under rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(S.K. Sheriff)
Joint Secretary to the President
The Deputy Master of Mint, 
India Government Mint, 
Alipore, 
Calcutta - 700 053.

Subject : Manufacture and supply of Fire Service Medals 

Sir,

I am directed to send herewith two copies of 
the following Notifications issued by the President’
secretariat for award of medals mentioned below :-

a) President's Secretariat Notification No.97-
Pres/98, No.98-Pres/98, No.99-Pres/98 and No. 100-
Pres/98 dated 15th August, 1998 containing the name of 
one person each in abbreviated form who had been 
awarded Fire Service Medal for Gallantry. The Medals 
may be despatched to the Consignee in Appendix 'A' to 
this letter.

b) President's Secretariat Notification No. 94-
Pres/98 dated 15th August, 1998 containing the name of 
28 persons in abbreviated form, who had been awarded 
Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service. The Medals 
may be despatched to the Consignee in Appendix 'B' to 
this letter.

2. It is requested that the above mentioned 
medals may please be minted expeditiously and 
despached to the consignee as per Appendix 'A' and 
'B' for Fire Service at the earliest. Copies of the 
despach note/letters addressed to such consignee may 
please be addressed to this Ministry for record.

Receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

( OM PARKASH )
FIRE ADVISER
Copy forwarded for information and necessary action with the following request to:

a) As per revised procedure, all medals are now directly consigned by the Government of India Mint, Alipore, Calcutta - 700053 to the respective recommending/forwarding authority of the State Government/Union Territory Administrations/Deptt./Ministry of Govt. of India as per consignment instructions enclosed herewith in Appendix 'A' and 'B' of this latter. In view of this, all concerned are requested to please remain in touch with the Mint authorities in Calcutta instead of writing to this Ministry, after quoting the relevant reference of this Ministry's firm demand as above for non-receipt of medals after waiting for reasonable time. Generally Mint authorities take six to eight months for the fabrication and despatch of medals.

b) As per custom, the medal so received by the consignees from India Government Mint, Calcutta may be awarded to the concerned awardees in a befitting ceremony on Fire Service Day/Week in April or during Republic Day/Independence Day ceremony depending upon the circumstances convenient to the State Government/U.T. Administrations/Deptt./Ministry of Govt. of India.

1. Administrator,
   Andaman & Nicobar Islands,
   Port Blair.

2. Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Home (SC.B.) Deptt.,
   Hyderabad - 500 001, A.P.

3. Secretary, Govt. of NCT Delhi,
   Home - III Deptt.,
   5, Sham Nath Marg, Delhi-54.

4. Secretary, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Home Deptt.,
   Shimla - 171002.

5. Secretary, Govt. of J & K,
   Home Deptt., Srinagar,
   Jammu & Kashmir.

6. Secretary, Govt. of Kerala,
   Home (SC.B.) Deptt.,
   Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.

7. Secretary, Govt. of Maharashtra,
   Urban Development Department,
   Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400032.

8. Secretary,
   Govt. of Assam,
   Home (B) Deptt.,
   Dispur, Assam.

9. Secretary,
   Govt. of Manipur,
   Home Deptt., Imphal.

10. Secretary,
    Govt. of Orissa,
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    Bhubaneswar, Orissa.

11. Secretary,
    Govt. of Tamil Nadu,
    Home (SC) Deptt.,
    Chennai - 9, T.N.

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| Secretary, Govt. of NCT, Delhi, Home-III Deptt., 5, Shom Nath Marg, Delhi-54 |
15916/SS.84/98/Home
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Kerala.

SHRI Y. SREENIVASAN
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Secretary to the Govt. of
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SHRI S.S. ELANGBAM
FIREMAN,
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Secretary to the Govt. of
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Bhubaneswar, Orissa.

SHRI R.C. MOKAPATRA
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI S.C. MOHANTY
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI L.D. PRADHAN
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI S. GHANAPRAKASAN
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI M. RAGHURAM
LEADING FIREMAN B51,
TAMIL NADU.

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LEADING FIREMAN 2172,
TAMIL NADU.

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DRIVER MECHANIC 2016,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI R. KRISHNAMOORTHY
FIREMAN DRIVER 2103,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI H. DURAIKAN
FIREMAN 2082,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI SHAMIM
DEPUTY DIRECTOR, NFSC,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI S.K. DANIEL,
RADIO MECHANIC, NFSC,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI B.K. GAHANE
JUNIOR DEMONSTRATOR, NFSC,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI C. KRISHNAN
SUB/DEP. CISEF,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

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GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 13TH
FEBRUARY, 1999.

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1999.

No. 3-Pres/99 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1999 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned Officers:-

SHRI K.R.R. NAIR
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

SHRI M.G. SIRKHOT
JOINT CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the grant of President's Fire Service Medal.

Barun Mitra
Deputy Secretary to the President
Presidential's Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 26th January, 1999.

No. 4-Prs/99 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 1999 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned Officers:

SHRI YESU RATNAM
HEAD CONSTABLE/405
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI K LAKSHMAIAH
ADDL. DIRECTOR OF FIRE SERVICES
ANDHRA PRADESH

MD. JAHANGIR
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M.R. RATNAM
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI G.S. RAMULU
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M. VENKATAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI K.S. RAYUDU
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI A. CHUTIA
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM
SHRI G.K. CHATTOPADHYAY
MOBILISING OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI BESIDA RAMULU
INSPECTOR (EXE)
CISF/MHA

SHRI SHYAM BIHARI
ASI (FIRE)
CISF/MHA

SHRI BALRAM MAJUMDER
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
CISF/MHA

SHRI J.P. AHIRWAL
INSPECTOR, FIRE
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (11) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 4TH SEPTEMBER, 1999

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1999

No.101-Pres/99 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officers:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICERS

SHRI U. NAGAMANI
LEADING FIREMAN-4750
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI K. GANDHIMANI
FIREMAN - 5118
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

[POSTHUMOUS]

Statement of services for which the decoration had been awarded:

1. On 9.11.97 at Thanjavur District, Pattukottai Taluk due to heavy flood in Pambini River, the villages of Thambikkottai, Keelakadu and Sembadavankadu were inundated with water and the villagers were helpless. At once Pattukottai Fire Service crew rushed to the spot. Leading Fireman No.4750 Thiru U. Nagamani, and Fireman No.5118 Thiru K. Gandhimani (since expired) jumped into the Pambini River which had water to a depth of 30'. There they found that there was heavy blockage at shutter No.13 and the stock of grass, hayricks and forest plants. They struggled in the water current at a depth of 30' not bothering about the grave risk to lives, and with the help of cutting weapons, they cut and removed all the blockage from the shutters. After that, the water level gradually reduced from all the three villages. Then they rescued all the people who were marooned, to the nearest safe shelter.

2. In this incident Shri U. Nagamani, Leading Fireman No.4750 and Shri K. Gandhimani Fireman No.5118, Tamil Nadu Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(11) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) with effect from 9th November, 1997.

(Barun Mitra)
Secretary to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 15th August, 1999

No.99-Pres/99 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 1999 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned Officers:-

SHRI B.G. CHANGAPPA
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (TECH)
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI SAMIR KUMAR DUTTA
COMMANDANT
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 1999

No. 100-Pres/99 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 1999 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned Officers:

SHRI P.M. REDDY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH FIRE SERVICE

SHRI B.G. SANKAR
LEADING FIREFRAN
ANDHRA PRADESH FIRE SERVICE

SHRI L. RAMA RAO
LEADING FIREFRAN
ANDHRA PRADESH FIRE SERVICE

SHRI M. PAUL
LEADING FIREFRAN
ANDHRA PRADESH FIRE SERVICE

SHRI SHAIK KHASIM ALI
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH FIRE SERVICE

SHRI J.N. BHUYAN
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM FIRE SERVICE

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LEADING FIREFRAN
ASSAM FIRE SERVICE

SHRI N.U. EARAPPA
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI P.G. RAJU
STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE
SHRI N. SHASHIDHARA
STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI S.K. KRISHNAPPA
SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI K. NAKAYANSWAMY
SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI PRABHU
ASSISTANT SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI G. RUDRAPPA
ASSISTANT SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI MOHAMMED ALI
LEADING FIREMAN - 58
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI B. HALOJI
LEADING FIREMAN - 61
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI T. THIMMAIAH
DRIVER MECHANIC
KARNATAKA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI V. RAGHAVAN
FIREMAN - 2179
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI K. SUDHAKARAN
FIREMAN - 2366
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI K.A. SIDHARTHAN
FIREMAN DRIVER-CUM-PUMP-OPERATOR
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI B.A. RATNAKARAN
FIREMAN
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI B.B. DAS
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE
SHRI B.D. MOHAPATRA
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI P.K. NAYAK
LEADING FIREFMAN
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI D.K. PARIJA
FIREFMAN
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

SHRI BALLA KRISTAYYA
STATION OFFICER
PONDICHERY FIRE SERVICE

SHRI T. DAVID VINCENT DEVADASS
ADDITIONAL D.F.O.
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI N.R. DURAISSAMY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI S. CHINNATHAMBI
LEADING FIREFMAN - 2275
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI M. BALAN
DRIVER MECHANIC - 2209
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI M. MARUDHACHALAM
FIREFMAN DRIVER - 2267
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI M. PONNUSAMY
FIREFMAN - 2271
TAMIL NADU FIRE SERVICE

SHRI D.K. MITRA
CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
WEST BENGAL FIRE SERVICE

SHRI M.K. CHAKRABORTY
FIREF OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL FIRE SERVICE
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the Rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 19TH FEBRUARY, 2000

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2000

No.5-Pres/2000 - The President is pleased to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer of J&K:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M.S. QAZI
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
J & K FIRE SERVICE.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 19.2.1999 at 1435 hrs a major fire broke out in an office complex of the Forest Department situated at Lal Bagh Chowk, Srinagar. In no time, the fire turned serious and was about to go beyond control. Divisional Fire Officer incharge of the aforesaid operation Shri M.S. Qazi while gallantly fighting the fire suddenly came across one victim lying unconscious inside the building due to asphyxia in that towering inferno. Shri Qazi ignoring his personal safety jumped inside the burning building and lifted the unconscious victim on his shoulder and took him to a place of safety out of the leaping flames and thus saved a valuable life.

In this case Shri M.S. Qazi, Divisional Fire Officer displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal and consequently carried with it the special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) with effect from 19th February, 1999.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART 1 SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 26th January, 2000.

No.3-Pres/2000 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day 2000 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer :-

SHRI G.K. KAMEI
STATION OFFICER
MANIPUR FIRE SERVICE

2. This award is made under Rule 3 (ii) of the Rules governing the grant of President's Fire Service Medal.

[Signature]
(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2000

सं 4-पृष्ट/2000 - राष्ट्रपति, गणतन्त्र दिखल 2000 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी सहजता सेवा के लिए अभिनंदन पदक सहर्ष पुरस्कार करते हैं:-

श्री जी.आर. राव
सहायक मण्डलीय अभिनंदन अधिकारी
अन्ध्र प्रदेश अभिनंदन सेवा।

श्री तमीजुल्लौन
लीडिंग फायरमैन
आन्ध्र प्रदेश अभिनंदन सेवा।

श्री डी.वन्नार
लीडिंग फायरमैन
आन्ध्र प्रदेश अभिनंदन सेवा।

श्री मलेश्वर
फायरमैन
आन्ध्र प्रदेश अभिनंदन सेवा।

श्री लीलेको ऊड़ा
फायरमैन
असम अभिनंदन सेवा।

श्री प.प.मिश्र
उप-अधिकारी
बिहार अभिनंदन सेवा।

...2/-
श्री एकमध्यें ठाकुर
अधिनियम निवारण अधिकारी
हिमाचल प्रदेश अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री नीलकंठ भट
निदेशक
जम्मू और कश्मीर अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री डरम्बूर्ण मलिक
सहायक निदेशक
जम्मू और कश्मीर अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री आर.टी. रिश्ते
सहायक निदेशक
जम्मू और कश्मीर अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री एकसिंह राजमुखा रैली
राजस्थान अभिनेत्रामन अधिकारी
कन्नड अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री के.पी. गंगाधर
मुख्य निदेशक
कन्नड अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री पी. रामभट्टा
निदेशक
कन्नड अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री हनुमधुला एका बेदन्ते,
स्टेशन अधिकारी
कन्नड अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।

श्री अनंत गोड़ा
स्टेशन अधिकारी
कन्नड अभिनेत्रामन सेवा।
श्री वीर सत्यनारायण राव
उप-अधिकारी
कनाटिक अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री पं नारायण
सहायक उप-अधिकारी
कनाटिक अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री किरदारपाणा
लीलिग फायरमैन-410
कनाटिक अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री इकट्ठराजु
फायरमैन
कनाटिक अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री जय सिंह
फायरमैन
कनाटिक अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री पी. प्रभाकरण
स्टेशन अधिकारी
केरल अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री आर.बाबू बुधेर
उप-अधिकारी
यमराण्डू अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री डी.के. गोलमे
फायरमैन ड्राइवर
मणिपुर अभिभाषन सेवा।

श्री डी.पे. पुसाम
फायरमैन
मणिपुर अभिभाषन सेवा।
श्री एकसौ वाग्मी भाषण मणिपुर अभिमान ने वा।

श्री आराधना लोकमण्डल भाषण मणिपुर अभिमान ने वा।

श्री एकसौ सहित भाषण अभिकारी उद्धीशा अभिमान ने वा।

श्री एकसौ बहेरा स्टेशन अभिकारी उद्धीशा अभिमान ने वा।

श्री एकसौ कार्य और शिक्षण भाषण उद्धीशा अभिमान ने वा।

श्री एकसौ नायक भाषण हृदयार उद्धीशा अभिमान ने वा।

श्री अष्टको दास भाषण आपित उद्धीशा अभिमान ने वा।

श्री वीरेन्द्र सिंह प्रधान भाषण भाषण केन्द्रीय औबीसिका सुबंध बन गृह मंत्रालय।

श्री एकसौ स्वामिनाथन निरीक्षक भाषण रेल मंत्रालय।
श्री राजकुमार
फायर मास्टर
खाता संभाला।

श्री हेम राज
सीनियर फायरमैन "बी"
खाता संभाला।

श्री भृगु प्रकाश
अभिन सहायक,
डीसीजीसीसीडी, गृह संभाला।

2. ये पदक, अभिन्नान पदक को अक्षयसित करने वाले नियमों के नियम या 26 के अन्तगत प्रदान किये जाते हैं।

ललित गिरि
उप-मिद्दायक
राजदूतपति का उप-अचिव
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 20

No. 98 - Pres/2000 - The President is pleased to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI P.J. SINGH,
MECHANIC DRIVER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Following the exchange of fire between the Security Forces and militants, a major fire was reported at 18.48 hours on 10.01.2000 at main bazar Paltan in Jammu & Kashmir, involving 16 commercial buildings, 2 residential houses and 74 shops. Local fire service from Sopore reinforced with Fire Service of adjoining areas turned out for the site of incident in spite of constant cross firing by militants and security forces. Mechanic Driver Shri P.J. Singh of Magam Fire Station along with crew cautiously moved towards the site of fire in spite of caution given by the Security Forces. But ignoring all dangers, with highest degree of alacrity, and professional acumen, he maneuvered his fire appliance nearest to the site of fire incident. While doing so, he was caught into cross fire and received bullet shots in his left arm. But that did not deter him to discharge his duties and he drove straight to the firing range and operated the pump with his injured left hand and constantly encouraged his fellow crew members to extinguish the fire. His actions helped to save public and private property worth several crores of rupees.

2. In this incident, Shri P.J. Singh, Mechanic Driver, J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule (1) of the Rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 10.01.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 2000

No. 99 - Pres/2000 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI S.U. BHAT,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 425,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Cross firing between Security Forces and militants was going on in Pattan Main Market area in Jammu & Kashmir throughout the night on 20.03.2000. The sentinel on duty of Pattan Fire Station suddenly observed a fire in the market at about 05.00 A.M. on that day and raised an alarm. Leading Fireman no. 425 Shri S.U. Bhat immediately rushed to the site of fire ignoring cross-firing with his appliances and made an attempt to control fire in such hostile situation. In the process, he was badly hit by volley of bullets which resulted grievous injuries to his left thigh. In spite of that, Leading Fireman Shri S.U. Bhat continued fire fighting till the fire was brought under control and thus saved the main market of Pattan from devastation.

2. In this Incident, Shri S.U. BHAT, Leading Fireman No. 425 J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 20.03.2000.

Barun Mitra
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 2000

No.100 – Pres/2000 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer :-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI H.U. WANI,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 399,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Following the exchange of fire between the security forces and militants, a major fire was reported at 18.48 hours on 10.01.2000 at main bazar Pattan in Jammu & Kashmir involving 16 commercial buildings, 2 residential houses and 74 shops. Local fire service of Sopore reinforced with Fire Services of adjoining areas turned out for the site of incident in spite of constant cross firing by militants and security forces. Shri H.U. Wani, Leading Fireman No. 399 of Magam Fire Station along with crew cautiously moved towards the site of fire in spite of caution given by the Security Forces. But ignoring all dangers, with highest degree of alacrity and professional acumen, he took the position along with one of the charged lines drawn from the fire appliances near to the site of fire incident. While doing so, he was caught into cross fire and received some bullet shots in his left eye brow thus rendering him severely injured with profuse bleeding. Bravely, he continued fire fighting operations till he fell unconscious on the spot. His actions helped to save property worth crores of rupees.

2. In this incident, Shri H.U. Wani, Fireman No 399 of J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 10.01.2000.

(Brun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATERDAY THE 16TH SEPTEMBER, 2000

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 20

No. 101 - Pres/2000 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI A. R. WANI,
FIREMAN NO. 538,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Following the exchange of fire between the Security Forces and militants, a major fire was reported at 18.48 hours on 10.01.2000 at main bazar Pattan in J & K involving commercial buildings, 2 residential houses and 74 shops. Local fire service of Sopore reinforced with Fire Service of adjoining areas turned out for the site of incident in spite of constant cross firing by militants and security forces. Sh. A.R. Wani, Fireman No. 538 of Magam Fire Station along with crew cautiously moved towards the site of fire in spite of caution given by the Security Forces. But ignoring all dangers, with highest degree of alacrity and professional acumen, he took the position along with one of the charged lines drawn from the fire appliances near to this site of fire incident. While doing so, he was caught into cross fire and received some bullet injuries in his left leg. But that did not deter him to discharge his duties in the firing range and continue fire fighting operations. Thus, he helped in saving many lives and property in worth several crores of rupees.

2. In this incident, Shri A. R. Wani, Fireman No. 538 J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 10.01.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 2000

No. 102 – Pres/2000 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M.A. KHAN,
FIREMAN NO. 19,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Following the exchange of fire between the Security Forces and militants, a major fire was reported at 18.48 hours on 10.01.2000 at main bazar Pattan in Jammu & Kashmir involving 16 commercial buildings, 2 residential houses and 74 shops. Local fire service of Sopore reinforced with Fire Service of adjoining areas turned out for the site of incident in spite of constant cross firing by militants and security forces. Sh.M.A. Khan, Fireman No. 19 of Magam Fire Station along with crew cautiously moved towards the site of fire in spite of caution given by the Security Forces. But ignoring all dangers, with highest degree of alacrity and professional acumen, he took the position along with one of the charged lines drawn from the fire appliances near to this site of fire incident. While falling with fires he was caught in the crossfire and received bullet injuries in his right leg thus rendering him severely injured with profuse bleeding. He was taken out from the firing range by his companions to safety, and removed to Hospital where the timely medical attendance saved his life.

2. In this incident, Shri M. A. Khan, Fireman No. 19 J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 10.01.2000.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August 2000

No. 103/Pres/2000 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. MUZAFFAR,
FIREMAN NO. 1046,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:

Following the exchange of fire between the Security Forces and militants, a major fire was reported at 18:48 hours on 10.01.2000 at market bazaar Pattan in Jammu & Kashmir involving 1 commercial building, 2 residential houses and 74 shops. Local fire service of Sopore reinforced with Fire Service of adjoining areas turned out for the site of incident in spite of constant cross firing by militants and security forces. Sh.M. Muzafar, Fireman No. 1046 of Magam Fire Station along with crew cautiously moved towards the site of fire in spite of caution given by the Security Forces. But ignoring all dangers, with highest degree of alacrity and professional acumen, he took the position along with one of the charged lines drawn from the fire appliances near to this site of fire incident. While fighting fire bravely, was caught into cross fire and received some bullet injuries on his left hand thus rendering him severely injured with profuse bleeding. Ignoring all, he continued fire fighting till he fell unconscious on the spot. His actions helped to save public and private property worth several crores of rupees.

2. In this incident, Shri M. Muzafar, Fireman No. 1046 J & K Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 w.e.f. 10.01.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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President's Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2000.

No. 104-Pres/2000- The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

Name and Rank of the Officer

Shri N.H. Barik,
Leading Fireman,
Orissa Fire Service.

Statement of the Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 07.06.1999, a call was received at Puri Fire Station stating that two persons have been drowned in a deep and narrow well at Dolamandap Sahi, Puri. Without losing time, Assistant Station Officer, Puri Fire Station rushed to the spot along with crew. Nobody from the crew dared to get into the well due to deficient oxygen inside the well. Shri N.H. Barik, Leading Fireman, realising the gravity of the situation, jumped into the well to rescue the drowned person. He failed and came out suffocating. Once again he dared to enter the well with a wet towel covering his face and successfully brought out Shri Kedarnath Pradhan alive from the well by means of an improvised rope ladder. Had he delayed his action for a few minutes, valuable life of Shri Kedarnath would have been lost in deep well. The exemplary courageous act of Shri N.H. Barik was not only highly appreciated by the press and public but also earned wide appreciation of dignitaries.

2. In this incident Shri N.H. Barik, Leading Fireman, Orissa Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 7th June, 1999.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

NEW DELHI, the 15th August, 2000

No. 105 -Pres/2000- The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI T.R. MOHANTA,
FIREMAN NO.1573,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE.

Statement of the Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 07.06.1999, a call was received at Puri Fire Station stating that two persons have been drowned in a deep and narrow well at Dolamandap Sahi, Puri. Without losing time, Assistant Station Officer, Puri Fire Station rushed to the spot along with crew. Nobody from the crew dared to get into the well due to deficient oxygen inside the well. Shri T.R. Mohanta, Fireman No. 1573, realising the gravity of the situation, jumped into the well to rescue the drowned person. He failed and came out suffocating. Once again he dared to enter the well with a wet towel covering his face and successfully brought out Shri Surendranath Mishra alive from the well by means of an improvised rope ladder. Had he delayed his action for a few minutes, valuable life of Shri Surendranath Mishra would have been lost in deep well. The exemplary courageous act of Shri T.R. Mohanta was not only highly appreciated by the press and public but also earned wide appreciation of dignitaries.

2. In this incident Shri T.R. Mohanta, Fireman No. 1573, Orissa Fire Service displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 07.06.1999.
NO. 106-PRES/2000- The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.C. MANUHAR,
SR. FIRE SERVICE MANAGER,
H/O CHEMICAL & FERTILIZERS.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 05.02.1999 a major fire broke out in a godown storing highly flammable materials such as paints and several petroleum products at a shopping-cum-residential complex Bajuwa town in the outskirts of Vadodara city. As per obligation towards local contingency plans, the fire service vehicles and crew from IPCL and other industrial units rushed to the spot to help the local fire services. During fire fighting operations, in the initial strategy adopted by Shri G.C. Manuhar, Sr. Fire Service Manager working in IPCL, Vadodara, gained success in containing fire. Some of the firemen sustained burn injuries in the initial stages due to sudden spruts of fire from inside the building. When he was engaged in assessing the exact seat of fire and also attempting to take entry to cool down the hot zone to minimise the risk, there was a sudden flash over involving unburned containers. Thus, fighting with fire he become victim of severe burn injuries on both arms and face to the extent of 45 percent.

2. In this incident Shri G.C. Manuhar, Sr. Fire Service Manager working in IPCL Vadodara displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(4) w.e.f. 5th February, 2000.
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2000.

No. 94-Pres/99 - The President is pleased on the
occasion of Independence Day 2000 to award the
President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished
Service to the under-mentioned Officers:-

SHRI T.S. ATHOKPAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI KEDAR NATH MATHUR
ASSTT COMMANDANT (FIRE)
CISF
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii)
of the rules governing the grant of President’s
Fire Service Medal.

Barun Mitra
(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2000.

No. 95-Pres/99 - The President is pleased on the
occasion of Independence Day 2000 to award the
Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the
under-mentioned Officers :-

SHRI R.K. DEKA
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI I.M. SUTHAR
STATION OFFICER
GUJARAT

SHRI M.B. SALUNKE
DRIVER
GUJARAT

SHRI R.S. SODHI
JOINT DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI R.K. HAK
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI A.M. DARI
SUB-OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI P. KARUNAKARAN
ASSTT STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI V. SIVANKUTTY CHETTIYAR
FIREMAN NO. 2251
KERALA

SHRI D.V. DHAGE
LEADING FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI B.S. KHOMDRAM
FIREMAN DRIVER
MANIPUR

SHRI S.C. BEHERA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA
2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I, SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 17TH FEBRUARY, 2001

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 9 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI D.S. MULYE,
DEPUTY CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

At 19.37 hours on 3.11.1999 a call was received in Fire Service Control Room, regarding out break of fire in Fatima Manzil, 4, Musafirkhana road, Mumbai. The 75 years old building was made of brick and wooden frames. On arrival, the first responding officer saw that the flames were shooting out from the windows on third and fourth floor posing risk to the property and lives of the trapped persons. Presence of Senior Officer was requisitioned.

On arrival Sh. D.S. Mulye, Deputy Chief Fire Officer observed that the entire second, third and fourth floor of the building was on fire and huge flame were shooting out endangering lives of around 180 person stranded on upper floors. Besides, loud explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building continued to occur.

Sh. D.S. Mulye, Deputy Chief Fire Officer endangering his personnel life entered the building and encouraged his officers and men to place water jets on the strategic locations inside the building and motivated the rescue team members to save the lives of stranded/trapped persons. As the fire fighting and rescue operations were in progress, the central portion of the building suddenly caved in. Undoubtedly by the threatening situation and growing risk to his life Shri Mulye continued to supervise the fire fighting and rescue operation. With his gallant efforts, personal involvement and skillful leadership, about 180 persons were rescued. In all 279, persons were rescued from the building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (4) w.e.f. 03.11.1999.

(B arun Mitra)
No. 12– Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI KIRAN ANANT KADAM
ASSTT. DIV. FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

At 19.37 hours on 3.11.1999 a call was received in Fire Service Control Room, regarding out break of fire in Fatima Manzil, 4, Musafirkhama road, Mumbai. The 75 years old building was made of brick and wooden frames. On arrival, the first responding officer saw that the flames were shooting out from the windows on second, third and fourth floor posing risk to the property and lives of the trapped persons. Presence of Senior Officer was requisitioned.

On arrival Shri Kadam, Assistant Divisional Fire Officer observed that the entire second, third and fourth floor of the building was on fire and huge flames were shooting out endangering lives of several persons stranded on upper floors. Loud explosions of domestic gas cylinders continued to occur in the building.

Shri Kiran Anant Kadam, Assistant Divisional Fire Officer unmindful about the danger to his life entered the building and encouraged his officers and men to place water jets on the strategic locations in side the building at 2nd Floor. He also motivated the rescue team members to save the lives of trapped persons. As the fire fighting and rescue operations were on, the central portion of the building caved in. In this threatening situation and growing risk to his life Shri Kadam continued to supervise the fire fighting and rescue operation on 2nd floor. With his gallant efforts, personal involvement and skillful leadership several persons were rescued. In all 279, persons were rescued from the building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 03.11.1999.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 10 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI P.S. RAHANGADALE,
STATION OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

At 19.37 hours on 3.11.1999 a call was received in Fire Service Control Room, regarding out break of fire in Fatima Manzil, 4, Musafirkhana road, Mumbai. The 75 years old building was made of brick and wooden frames. On arrival, the first responding officer saw that the flames were shooting out from the windows on Second, third and fourth floor posing risk to the property and lives of the trapped persons. Presence of Senior Officer was requisitioned.

On arrival Sh. P.S. Rahangadale, Station Officer observed that the second, third and fourth floor of the building was on fire and huge flames were shooting out endangering number of persons stranded on upper floors. Some of them were jumping on the roof of the shops on ground floors. Loud explosions of domestic gas cylinders continued to occur in the building.

Sh. P.S. Rahangadale, Station Officer endangering his personnel life climbed upto the second floor from outside and started rescuing people and brought them safely up to the roof of the shops. He further unmindful of the heat, smoke and panic situation entered the building with the charged line and reached upto the second floor from the inside and saved the property and lives. He also encouraged his officers and men to place water jets on the strategic locations in side the building. As the fire fighting and rescue operations were in progress, the central portion of the building suddenly caved in. In this threatening situation and growing risk to his life Shri Rahangadale continued to supervise the fire fighting and rescue operation. With his gallant efforts, personal involvement and skillful leadership, several persons were rescued. In all 279, persons were rescued from the building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 03.11.1999.

Barun Mitra
Deputy Secretary to the President.
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 11 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI N. R. ITHAPE,
LEADING FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

At 19.37 hours on 3.11.1999 a call was received in Fire Service Control Room, regarding out break of fire in Fatima Manzil, 4, Musafirkhama road, Mumbai. The 75 years old building was made of brick and wooden frames. On arrival, the first responding officer saw that the flames were shooting out from the windows on the second, third and fourth floor posing risk to the property and lives of the trapped persons. People were jumping on the roof of the shops on ground floors. Besides, loud explosions of domestic gas cylinders within the building continued to occur. Presence of senior officer was requisitioned.

Shri N.R. Ithape endangering his personal life prepared the water jets with the assistance of his crew and started fire fighting operation. He climbed up to the second floor from outside and started rescuing people and brought them safely up to the roof of the shops. He further unmindful of the heat, smoke and panic situation entered the building with the charged line and reached up to the second floor from the inside and saved the property and lives. As the fire fighting and rescue operations were in progress, the central portion of the building suddenly caved in. Undoubtedly by the threatening situation and growing risk to his life Shri Ithape continued fighting fire and rescue operation. With his gallant efforts, personal involvement several persons were rescued. In all 279, persons were rescued from the building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 03.11.1999.

Barun Mitra
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 15 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.SIAM P. HAUJEL
LEADING FIREMAN,
MANIPUR

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

On 23rd of May, 1999, at around 9.45 a.m. Mr. Omega Ilmar a resident of Rengkai Veng, Churachandpur climbed down a ring well located within his compound to effect some repairs on the newly constructed well whereupon due to the presence of toxic gases, he was rendered unconscious. In an effort to rescue him, five other relatives and neighbors who descended the well were also rendered unconscious. At this juncture, Shri H. Ginkhansiam, Leading Fireman posted at Fire Sub-station, Churachandpur who happened to be passing by learnt of the incident and rushed there. On arrival he appreciated the situation immediately and cautioned others from venturing down the well and despite the knowledge that doing so would gravely imperil his life, he himself went down the well and managed to rescue one who was still alive. At this juncture, a party from the Fire Sub-station arrived at the scene with B.A. sets and other rescue equipment and fished out the remaining persons who were unfortunately already dead.

2. During the rescue operation, Shri H.Ginkhansiam stayed in the well unmindful of the toxic hazards and actively participated. In this rescue operation, Shri H. Ginkhansiam, Leading Fireman displayed exemplary acts of gallantry and a sense of selfless duty.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 23.05.1999.

Barun Mitra
Deputy Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 14 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI S. CH. SAHU
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

On 30.10.99 the day after super-cyclone hit coastal districts of Orissa, there was a high flood in river Sono on the bank of which the township of Udala is situated. Flood water over-flew the banks and submerged the entire area. A large number of houses collapsed and were washed away. Udala Fire Station received a rescue call to the effect that Shri Dalmohan Soren, was trapped on a date palm tree in the midst of flood water flowing with strong and violent currents. Reaching the spot Shri S. Ch. Sahu noticed a boy helplessly clinging to a date palm tree which was about to be submerged and washed away in the violent currents of the flood water. There was no boat available with the fire staff. Sh. Sahu swam up to the tree with the help of the lifebuoy taking care to go diagonally so as to reach the spot. He managed to retrieve the marooned boy from the tree to his lifebuoy and swam back to the shore with great courage and skill. He was able to reach the shore after covering a distance of about 2 K.M. He was thus able to save the life of the boy at considerable risk of his own life. A few hours after the rescue, the date palm tree was uprooted and washed away as the level of flood water was increasing.

2. Shri S. Ch. Sahu displayed great courage, skill and valour in saving the life of a young boy from the jaws of sure death. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 30.10.99

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26 January, 2001

No. 13 – Pres/2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:–

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. NARAYANAN,
FIREMAN – 6245,
TAMIL NADU

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded

On 1.1.2000 during the opening ceremony of Ayyan Thiruvalluvar Statue at Kanyakumari, a man by name of Shri M. Loganathan, aged about 35 to 40 years who was seeing the function from a rock in the sea, known as “Death Rock” slipped into the sea and was taken away by the giant waves up to 200 feet into the sea. He struggled for his life miserably and was face to face with death. Gathering of people could only hear his desperate cries for help only as a spectator. Thiru. M. Narayanan of Cheranmahadevi Fire Station who was on duty in the Special Rescue Team plunged into the sea, without any hesitation. Unmindful of risk to his own life, with courage and devotion to duty he swam across the roaring sea waves saved the life of Thiru. Loganathan.

2. Shri M. Narayanan, Fireman displayed great courage, skill and valour in saving the life of the person from the sea. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 01.01.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2001

No. 5-Pres/2001 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2001 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officer:

SHRI L.S. SOIBAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR

2. This award is made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules President's Fire Service Medal.

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(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
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DATED SATURDAY THE 17TH FEBRUARY, 2001

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2001

No.6-Pres/2001 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2001 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI S. KHAJAIAH
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDhra PRADeSH

SHRI B.V. RAMANA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDhra PRADeSH

SHRI MD. IBRAHIM
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDhra PRADeSH

SHRI T. NARASIMHA RAO
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDhra PRADeSH

SHRI M. NAND BHATT
LEADING FIREMAN
DELhi

SHRI OM PRAKASH
LEADING FIREMAN
DELhi

SHRI N.K. BISHNOI
DEPUTY DIRECTOR(FIRE)
GUJARAT ELECTRICITY BOARD
GUJARAT

SHRI ZAHIDKHAN ABUBKAR YUSUFJAI
STATION OFFICER
RAJKOT MUNICIPAL CORPN
GUJARAT

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SHRI G. PHILLIP,
STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI N. SHIVANUDRAPPAA
SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI C.R. MUDDARANGAIH
SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI M.P. PRAKASAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI K.P. THOMAS
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI R.S. NINGTHOIJAM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR

SHRI CH. S. LAISHANGBAM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR

SHRI T. SAHU
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI G. NAIK
DRIVER-HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI R. VERRAPPAN
FIREMAN/DRIVER NO.23
PONDICHERRY

SHRI GOPI CHAND SHARMA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
RAJASTHAN

SHRI S. DIVYANATHAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU
2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Deputy Secretary to the President
No.107-Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.N. SOFI,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out at 1300 hrs. on 19.01.2001 in the 710 bedded Shri Maharaja Hari Singh Hospital at Srinagar. In addition to indoor wards, hospital also accommodated biochemistry and pathology labs, X-ray plants, ultrasound, T.M.T., Cat-scan ECO, Operation Theatre, General Stores, Drug stores, etc. The fire started spreading along the main 250 feet long corridor of the hospital very fast leaving no scope for evacuation of the entrapped patients and staff members. Shri G.N. Sofi, Assistant Director of J & K Fire Service Department risking his own life saved the trapped inmates from such towering inferno and gallantly fought the fire and thus saving properties worth more than 20 crores of rupees.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and presence of mind, leadership, professional acumen and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 19.01.2001.

(Signature)
(Barun Mitra)
Director
No.108 –Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI Z.A. SHAH,
STATION OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out at 1300 hrs. on 19.01.2001 in the 710 bedded Shri Maharaja Hari Singh Hospital at Srinagar. In addition to indoor wards, hospital also accommodated biochemistry and pathology labs, X-ray plants, ultrasound, T.M.T., Cat-scan ECO, Operation Theatre, General Stores, Drug stores, etc. The fire started spreading along the main 250 feet long corridor of the hospital very fast leaving no scope for evacuation of the entrapped patients and staff members. Shri Z.A. Shah, Station Officer of J & K Fire Service Department risking his own life saved the trapped inmates from such towering inferno and gallantly fought the fire and thus saving properties worth more than 20 crores of rupees.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and presence of mind, leadership, professional acumen and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 19.01.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION


No109 – Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI V.H. NAIK,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 12.07.2000 at 1633 hrs. a land slide occurred in the Hill no. 4, Azad Nagar opposite Akbar Lala Compound, L.B.S. Marg, Ghatkopar (W), Mumbai. The rolling boulders badly hit the tenements town below and thus burying 50 to 60 persons underneath the debris. Some of the boulders were hanging precariously and any movement might have caused second land slide. With this constant threat of life, the rescuers headed by Assistant Divisional Fire Officer, Shri V.H. Naik were pressed into service in a place where access was very limited. The firemen lead by Shri Naik initially started removing the debris manually hand by hand to make a safer environment and entered the damaged buildings through some makeshift passage and thus endangering his own life rescued 51 trapped persons to safety.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.07.2000.

[Signature]
(Barun Mitra)
Director
No.110-Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI S.J. BHOSLE,
LEADING-FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 12.07.2000 at 1633 hrs. a land slide occurred in the Hill no. 4, Azad Nagar opposite Akbar Lala Compound, L.B.S. Marg, Ghatkopar (W), Mumbai. The rolling boulders badly hit the tenements town below and thus burying 50 to 60 persons underneath the debris. Some of the boulders were hanging precariously and any movement might have caused second land slide. With this constant threat of life, Leading Fireman, Shri S.J. Bhosle with other crew members pressed into service in a place where access was very limited. Shri Bhosle lead by Shri Naik initially started removing the debris manually hand by hand to make a safer environment and entered the damaged buildings through some makeshift passage and thus endangering his own life rescued 51 trapped persons to safety.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.07.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15 Jan. 2001.

No.111-Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.A. THARWAL,
FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 12.07.2000 at 1633 hrs. a land slide occurred in the Hill no. 4, Azad Nagar opposite Akbar Lala Compound, L.B.S. Marg, Ghatkopar (W), Mumbai. The rolling boulders badly hit the tenements town below and thus burying 50 to 60 persons underneath the debris. Some of the boulders were hanging precariously and any movement might have caused second land slide. With this constant threat of life, Fireman, Shri G.A. Tharwal with other crew members pressed into service in a place where access was very limited. Shri G.A. Tharwal lead by Shri Naik initially started removing the debris manually hand by hand to make a safer environment and entered the damaged buildings through some makeshift passage and thus endangering his own safety rescued 51 trapped persons to safety.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.07.2000.

Barun Mitra
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15 Aug., 2001.

No 112-Pres/2001 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI A. MINJ,
FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 07.07.2000 at about 1005 hrs. two persons were trapped in a narrow gas filled well in the village -Nuagarh near Biramaharajpur in Orissa and became unconscious. On receipt of the call, fireman Shri Anthony Minj of Biramaharajpur Fire Station rushed to the spot with other crew members. Having no appliances or gas mask available with him, he placed a napkin on his nose and at a grave risk of his own life entered the well and tied both the unconscious victims and the other crew members pulled them out. In the process, Shri Minj himself got affected by the poisonous gas. But he managed to come out of the well in a semi-conscious state.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 07.07.2000.

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(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15 Aug, 2001.

No.113-Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer posthumously :-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

LATE SHRI M.K. BALASINGH
SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE),
C.I.S.F./MHA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded :

A major fire broke out on 25.09.2000 on 1508 hrs in Battery-01 end bench of CO&CCP Visakhapatnam Steel Plant. Sub-Inspector (Fire) late Shri M.K. Balasingh who was on duty rushed to the spot of fire and found that refractory powder KTM3 along with its activators (S-1000 and-14000) kept in an enclosure of Iron Sheet measuring about 20x12 ft. fabricated at 5 mtrs. height in Battery-01 was burning violently. Sub-Inspector Balasingh led his fire fighting team himself being in the forefront to boost up the morale of the crew started fighting fire valiantly. Suddenly, at about 1630 hrs, temperature induced flash along with intense heat flared out from the open door and engulfed the entire fire fighting crew. In spite of knowing fully well the dangers of the chemical fire, he gallantly went on fighting fire himself and thus making safe escape for his team mates by exposing himself to high degree of heat receiving 80% burns injuries.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 25.09.2000

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(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 114-Pres./2001 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer posthumously:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

LATE SHRI Y.V. SHETTY,
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE),
C.I.S.F./MlHA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out on 25.09.2000 on 1508 hrs. in Battery-01 end bench of CQ&CCP Visakhapatnam Steel Plant. Head Constable (Fire), late Shri Y.V. Shetty who was on duty rushed to the spot of fire and found that refractory powder KTM3 along with its activators (S-1000 and-14000) kept in an enclosure of Iron Sheet measuring about 20x12 ft. fabricated at 5 mtrs. height in Battery-01 was burning violently. Head Constable Shri Shetty with his fire fighting team himself being in the forefront to boost up the morale of the crew started fighting fire valiantly. Suddenly, at about 1630 hrs. temperature induced flash along with intense heat flared out from the open door and engulfed the entire fire fighting crew. In spite of knowing fully well the dangers of the chemical fire, he gallantly went on fighting fire along with his team mates and got exposed to high degree of heat causing 85% burns injuries.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage and leadership and devotion to duty of very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rule governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 25.09.2000.

Barun Mitra
(Barun Mitra)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2001

No.101-Pres/2001 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2001 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI B.C. JADEJA
I/C CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
AHMEDABAD
GUJARAT

SHRI S. VEERAMANI
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2001

No. 102-Pres/2001 - The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2001 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI K.V. NARAYANA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI NARSAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI D. YELLAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI BALA KISTAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI K. TALPA SAI
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI ALEXANDER KOSHY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ARUNACHAL PRADESH

SHRI K.C. KALITA
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI A.C. MEDHI
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI N.J. MOD
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
GUJARAT
SHRI M.F. DASTOOR
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
GUJARAT

SHRI K.R. MAKNANA
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI J.M. LADANI
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI R.S. RAHEWAR
FIREMAN
GUJARAT

SHRI K.A. BAZAZ
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI M.M. RATHER
LEADING FIREMAN No.184
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI GANGABUCHAIAH
CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
KARNATAKA

SHRI N. SIDDALINGAIAH
SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI M. KRISHNAMURTHY RAO
ASSISTANT SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI MARGAN
ASSISTANT SUB-OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI L. PAPANNA
LEADING FIREMAN-465
KARNATAKA

SHRI RAZAK MIYAN
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI P.C. AYYAPPAKUTTY
STATION OFFICER
Kerala
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

(Brun Mitra)
Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 9 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G. A. BHAT,
DIRECTOR FIRE SERVICE,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon’ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station under the leadership of Shri G. A. Bhat, Director, J&K Fire Service. Unmindful about the danger to his life, he took the lead in fire fighting and rescue operations and rescued 5 critically injured and 2 dead bodies. He guided his team members to take strategic positions and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control and also to recover many dead bodies, rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to safer places.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(1) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

(Brun Mitra)
Director
NEW DELHI, the 26th January, 2002

No. 11 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G. H. BHAT,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon'ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting in tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri G. H. Bhat, Divisional Fire Officer, along with his fire fighting team took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control, managed to get many dead bodies, rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

Barun Mitra
Director
No. 13-Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. S. PANDIT,
LEADING FIREMAN 522,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon’ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri M. S. Pandit, Leading Fireman No. 522, as a member of his fire fighting crew, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

Barun Mitra
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 21 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHIRI ABDUL RASHEED SHEIKH
SELECTION GRADE FIREMAN NO. 713
J & K FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 14.10.2001, a major fire broke out in a three storeyed tinroofed building at about 01.44 hours in the congested Main Bazar area of Bandipora in J&K. Bursting of LPG cylinders kept inside the building aggravated the situation and in no time the fire engulfed the whole building including staircase and all other exit points. Nine persons got trapped in the hotel on the first floor of the building.

Shri Abdul Rasheed Sheikh, Selection Grade Fireman No. 713, on reaching the scene of fire assessed the gravity of the situation and helped in pitching the ladder. He went up with a door breaker ignoring leaping flames and life threatening obnoxious gases. Without any protective gears, he managed to break open the doors and rescue all the nine trapped persons.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 ( i ) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 ( a) w.e.f. 14.10.2001.

[Signature]
Director
No. 16 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. A. SHIWA,
FIREMAN NO. 183,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon'ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri M. A. Shiva, Fireman No. 183, as a member of fire fighting team, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

(Brun Mitra)
Director
No. 17 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G. N. GILKAR,
FIREMAN NO. 329,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon’ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri G. N. Gilkar, Fireman No. 329, as a member of his fire fighting team took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallant-y, exemplary courage, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 18-Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. A. MALLA,
FIREMAN 1121,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon'ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri M. Malla, Fireman No. 1121, as a member of his fire fighting team, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

-Barun Mitra
Director
No. 19 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI M. RAMZAN,
FIREMAN NO. 1447,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

At about 00.24 hours of 29.9.01, a major fire broke out in the three storeyed wooden building of Hotel New Light in Main chowk of Sopore in J&K. The fire caused successive bursting of 20 LPG cylinders stored in the hotel which aggravated the situation. Wiremeshing around the hotel prevented the inmates to escape, which resulted confusion and panic. In the meantime the fire spreaded like wildfire and engulfed the adjoining five more buildings and thirty one nearby shops. One of such building was also a hotel having stock of LPG cylinders. This added fuel to the fire by secondary explosion of LPG cylinders and the situation became very grave.

Shri M. Ramzan, Fireman No. 1447, as a member of the fire fighting team, ignoring his personal safety pitched the extension ladder on the building. He managed to rescue two inmates and the safe evacuation of 13 other persons in the hazardous condition with constant threat of explosion in the LPG cylinders.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 29.9.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 20 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for
Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI N. A. KHUROO,
FIREMAN NO. 1216,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

At about 00.24-hours of 29.9.01, a major fire broke out in the three storeyed
wooden building of Hotel New Light in Main chowk of Sopore in J&K. The fire caused
successive bursting of 20 LPG cylinders stored in the hotel which aggravated the
situation. Wiremeshing around the hotel prevented the inmates to escape, which resulted
confusion and panic. In the meantime the fire spreaded like wildfire and engulfed the
adjoining five more buildings and thirty one nearby shops. One of such building was also
a hotel having stock of LPG cylinders. This added fuel to the fire by secondary explosion
of LPG cylinders and the situation became very grave.

Shri N. A. Khuroo, Fireman No. 1216 as a member of the fire fighting team,
ignoring his personal safety pitched the extension ladder on the building. He managed to
rescue two inmates and the safe evacuation of 13 other persons in the hazardous
condition with constant threat of explosion in the LPG cylinders.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional
expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the
award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special
allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 29.9.2001.

(Brun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 14 - Pres/2002 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI F. A. RAFIQI,
MECHANIC DRIVER NO. 121,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon'ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkdal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri F. A. Rafiqi, Mechanic Driver No. 121, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 15 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI B. UD DIN,
SELECTION GRADE FIREMAN 822,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon’ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station under the supervision of Director of Fire Service, J&K. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri B. Ud Din, Selection Grade Fireman No. 822, as member of his fire fighting crew, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

Barun Mitra
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 12 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI N. A. GANAIE,
SUB OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 1st October, 2001, at about 1400 hours, a suicidal terrorist squad (Fidayeen) struck the J&K Assembly, when the Assembly proceedings for the day had just come to an end. The terrorists showered bullets, hurled explosives liberally which left 46 dead and 80 others injured. The explosion also set a major fire in the Assembly Complex trapping Hon’ble Speaker, Dy. Speaker, Group of Ministers, Legislators, officials and visitors, resulting tremendous panic.

In that chaotic condition, ignoring the pitch battle and cross fire between the security forces and terrorists, the J&K Fire Service arrived on the spot from Srinagar HQ Fire Station and near by Gawkadal Fire Station. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri N. A. Ganaie, Sub Officer, along with his fire fighting team, took strategic position and tactically maneuvered the fire appliances to bring the devastating fire under control. He recovered many dead bodies, physically rescued dozens of injured persons and actively helped in the evacuation of the trapped persons from the site of devastation to a safer place.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise; and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 01.10.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No 10  .Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI A. C. MAHAJAN,
FIRE BRIGADE SUPERINTENDENT,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black noxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri Mahajan, Fire Brigade Superintendent, along with his firemen started fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri A.C. Mahajan Fire Brigade Superintendent managed to rescue all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (1) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 22 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI P. V. TIDKE,
STATION OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black abnoxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri P.V. Tidke, Station Officer along with his firemen started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri P.V. Tidke, Station Officer rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 24 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI S. L. PATIL,
FIREFRANK,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road at Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black abnoxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri S.L. Patil, Fireman along with his colleagues started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri S. L. Patil, Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

Barun Mitra
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No: 23 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI J. L. LAHAMGE,
LEADING FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black abnoxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri J.L. Lahamge, Leading Fireman along with his Firemen started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri J.L. Lahamge, Leading Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 ( i ) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 ( a ) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 25 - Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI T. I. SHAIKH,
FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black abnoxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri T.I. Shaikh, Fireman along with his colleagues started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri T.I. Shaikh, Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5(a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 28 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI K. T. PATIL,
FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black abnoxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri K.T. Patil, Fireman along with his colleagues started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri K.T. Patil, Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 27-Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI R. R. GOSAWI,
FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black noxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri R.R. Gosawi, Fireman along with his colleagues started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri R.R. Gosawi, Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders do not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
Presidential Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 26 -Pres/2002-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned Officer:-

Name and Rank of the Officer

Shri R. S. Nakili,
Fireman,
Maharashtra.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

A major fire broke out in Bhagwantrao Hotel Building, an old wooden structure, on the Main Road of Nashik in Maharashtra on 21.12.2000 at about 0330 hours. The hotel building stored 12 to 15 LPG Cylinders, barrels of diesel and kerosene, cooking oils and ghee and such highly combustible materials on the ground and mezzanine floor of the building. 6 persons were sleeping on the second floor of the building.

The fire took no time and engulfed the whole building blocking the only staircase. The thick black noxious smoke further aggravated the situation and entry from normal passage became impossible. Shri R.S. Nakili, Fireman along with his colleagues started fire fighting operations and managed to gain access on the second floor from the adjoining building. Ignoring his personal safety, Shri R.S. Nakili, Fireman rescued all the 6 trapped persons safely and completely unhurt. He took all preventive measures to ensure that the LPG cylinders did not explode and aggravate the situation further.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and exceptional devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rules 5 (a) w.e.f. 21.12.2000.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January 2002

No. 3 – Pres/2002 – The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under-mentioned officers:

SHRI D. S. KIVADASANNAVAR, 
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (ADMN.), 
KARNATAKA.

SHRI D. HANUMANTHU, 
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER, 
KARNATAKA.

SHRI S. MOROSAHEM MEHABOOSAB, 
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER, 
KARNATAKA.

SHRI K. P. RAO, 
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER, 
ORISSA.

SHRI V. VIJAYAKUMAR, 
TELLER ENGINEER, 
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI D. DEVENDRAN, 
DIVISIONAL OFFICER, 
TAMIL NADU.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.

( BARUN MITRA )
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2002

No. 4 – Pres/2002 – The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2002 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

SHRI S. A. HUSSAIN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI S. FAREED,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI M. A. HUSSAIN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI M. J. UDDIN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI A. MIYA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI M. A. SATTAR,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI V. NANCHARAIH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI A. A. BHAT,
ASSTT. DIRECTOR FIRE SERVICE,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI R. L. PANDITA,
ASSTT. DIRECTOR FIRE SERVICE,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.
SHRI S. C. BAKSHI,
ASS'T. DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI K. PANGASWAMY,
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI K. SRINIVASA,
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI RAMAIH,
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI NARAYANA GATTI,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI S. BABU NAIDU,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI MUDDAPPA KARIYANNA,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI D. B. GANGADHARA GOWDA,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI G. B. RAMANNA,
ASS'T. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI K. P. CHIKKAIAH,
ASS'T. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI ANTHONY VAS,
ASS'T. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI M. P. MAHADEVAIAH,
FIREMAN 515,
KARNATAKA.
SHRI C. CHANDRASEKHARAN NAIR,
STATION OFFICER,
KERALA.

SHRI V. A. SIVADASAN CHETTIYAR,
LEADING FIREMAN – 3208,
KERALA.

SHRI M. S. SHANMUGHAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
KERALA.

SHRI N. M. NARKAR,
FIRE BRIGADE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI K. CH. DAS,
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI M. S. SWAIN,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI P. K. BEHERA,
DRIVER HAVILDAR,
ORISSA.

SHRI R. CH. SAHOO,
FIREMAN NO. 534,
ORISSA.

SHRI K. CH. BISWAL,
FIREMAN NO. 211,
ORISSA.

SHRI K. JOSEPH KURIEN,
DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI M. RADHAKRISHNAN,
STATION OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI C. KOTHANDAPANI,
LEADING FIREMAN 2564,
TAMIL NADU.
SHRI A. MUTHUKUMARASAMY,
LEADING FIREMAN 2636,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI K. JOTHI,
LEADING FIREMAN 2642,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI K. CHANDRAN,
DRIVER MECHANIC 2408,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI T. RAJENDRAN,
FIREMAN DRIVER 2364,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI V. CHANDRAN,
FIREMAN DRIVER 2611,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI N. MUTHU MOHAMED,
FIREMAN 2591,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI JAI KARAN YADAV,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI ASHOK KUMAR SHARMA,
DRIVER,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI VISHAMBHIAR PRASAD PANDEY,
LEADING FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI U. N. ADHIHKARY,
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI S. N. GHOSH,
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI S. ROY,
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.
SHRI B. K. CHATTERJEE,
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI N. C. DAS,
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR-CUM-DRIVER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI K. C. WADHWIA,
DIRECTOR,
NATIONAL FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI SRINARAIN,
ASST T. COMMANDANT (FIRE),
CISF, MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

SHRI U. B. SINGH,
SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE),
CISF, MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medal.
No.133-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER.

SHRI S. S. KHAIDEM,
FIREMAN
MANIPUR

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 18-06-2001 at 1230 hrs, the State Assembly Building was set on fire by a violent mob. On reaching the spot, the fire service crew observed that ¾ portion of the Assembly House/ Secretariat building with fittings, press machines, etc. was engulfed in fire. Screams of some trapped persons were heard from inside the burning building. Without giving the second thought and caring for his own safety, Shri S. S. Khaidem, Fireman made a forced entry into the flames and rescued S/Shri N. Bihari Singh, Ex-Minister, GAD and K. Tanoba Singh, Ex-MOS/FCD with 60% and 30% burns respectively.

2. He thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 18.6.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2002

No.134-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI O. S. TONGBRAM,  
FIREMAN,  
MANIPUR

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 18-06-2001 at 1230 hrs, the State Assembly Building was set on fire by a violent mob. On reaching the spot, the fire service crew observed that ¾ portion of the Assembly House/ Secretariat building with fittings, press machines, etc. was engulfed in fire. Screams of some trapped persons were heard from inside the burning building. Without giving the second thought and caring for his own safety, Shri O. S. Tongram, Fireman made a forced entry into the flames and rescued S/Shri N. Bihari Singh, Ex-Minister, GAD and K. Tanoba Singh, Ex-MOS/FCD with 60% and 30% burns respectively.

2. He thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 18.6.2001.

(Barun Mitra)  
Director
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2002

No.135-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI K. SINGH,
ASSTT. DIV. FIRE OFFICER,
PUNJAB FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 6th June, 2001 at 1850 hrs, a major fire broke out in very busy and crowded market of Jawahar Nagar, Ludhiana. Shri K. Singh, ADO, along with his fire staff was on duty in the same locality for checking hydrants and filling points. On getting call he rushed his fire tender to the site of fire. The scene was heart rendering and panicky. High flames were coming out from the shops. The violent fire was traveling down the wind towards the nearby cracker shops with high velocity.

Shri K. Singh, ADO, on reaching the fire site immediately started fire fighting and rescue work without fearing for risk of his own life. With the timely response and excellent fire fighting and rescue skills, the fire was controlled before it could spread further and cause more damage and loss to property and human lives.

2. He thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 6.6.2001.

( Barun Mitra )
Director
No. 136-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI R. KUMAR,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
PUNJAB FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 6th June, 2001 at 1850 hrs, a major fire broke out in very busy and crowded market of Jawahar Nagar, Ludhiana. Shri R. Kumar, SFO along with his fire staff was on duty in the same locality for checking hydrants and filling points. On getting call he rushed his fire tender to the site of fire. The scene was heart rendering and panicky. High flames were coming out from the shops. The violent fire was traveling down the wind towards the nearby cracker shops with high velocity.

Shri R. Kumar, SFO, on reaching the fire site immediately started fire fighting and rescue work without fearing for risk of his own life. With the timely response and excellent fire fighting and rescue skills, the fire was controlled before it could spread further and cause more damage and loss to property and human lives.

2. He thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 6.6.2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NEW DELHI, THE 15th August, 2002

No.137-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI B. B. DUTTA, (POSTHUMOUS)
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR-CUM- DRIVER,
WEST BENGAL.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 29-1-2002 at 7.30 hrs one loaded LPG Bullet suddenly lost control and met with an accident in thickly populated area of Shantipur town. The area was cordoned off and fire service personnel made the arrangement to transfer LPG to other bullets by injecting pressurised water to the effected bullets. On 30-1-2001 Shri Dutta took up the charge and responsibilities of injecting the pressurised water through water tenders. In the process of transhipment, some spillage of LPG resulted in flashing of flammable vapour mixture. Shri Dutta was aware about the situation, but he continued the transhipment. Suddenly a flash resulted in fireball and Shri Dutta trapped inside the same and received severe 4th degree burn injury. He fought for his life for 14 days in the hospital and finally breathed his last on 14-2-2002. He sacrificed his life in saving the lives of thousand people.

2. He thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, exceptional leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 29-1-2002.

BARUN MITRA
Director
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2002

No.138-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G. D. BEHERA,
FIREMAN NO. 1100,
ORISSA.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 11-6-2002 a call was received that 3 persons had been trapped in a 50 feet deep well in Village Kangigaon under Khalikote Police Station of Gonjam District. The condition of 3 trapped persons was deteriorating with the passage of time. In the absence of B.A. set, fire service personnel on the spot could not approach the victims in the well to save their lives. FM 1100 G. D. Behera, who reached the spot with other unit, without caring for his own safety immediately got into the well with the help of a rope ladder and rescued all three persons from the well. While rescuing, Shri Behera also suffered severely from asphyxia.

2. In this incident, Shri Behera displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.6.2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2002

No.139-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI GULSHAN KUMAR KALRA,
FIREMAN,
CHANDIGARH.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 14.02.2002 at 2145 hrs, a fire broke out in Showroom No. 835, Manimajra, Chandigarh. The thick smoke and flame was bellowing out from the top floor. Immediately, fire crew started fire fighting and rescue work. Shri Gulshan Kumar Kalra, Fireman while approaching to top floor noticed the trapped person lying unconscious on the floor of a room. He immediately administered first-aid to the victim and rescued him from the dangerous zone. Shri Kalra thus performed duties by showing exemplary presence of mind and courage to enter inside the building on fire in spite of flame and smoke all around and saved the life of a victim.

2. In this incident, Shri Kalra displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 14.02.2002.

( Barun Mitra )
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 15th August, 2002

No.126-Pres/2002 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day 2002 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers :-

SHRI T. NATH
SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI G.U. VAJA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
GUJARAT

SHRI SIDDARAJU
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI PURUSHOTHAMA
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI A.D. JHANDWAL
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI N.C. DHAL
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI P. PARIDA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI G.C. DIHAR
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA
2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2002

No.127-Pres/2002-The President is pleased on the occasion of Independence Day, 2002 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

SHRI R. P. YADAV,
INSPECTOR,
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

SHRI M. DEKA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI M. S. NANODKAR,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
GOA.

SHRI S. S. RANA,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI M. C. NEGI,
LEADING FIREMAN,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI P. SHAMRAJ,
FITTER CLASS – I,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI H. B. BASAVA RAJ,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI SHANKAR,
FIREMAN 303,
KARNATAKA.
SHRI K. GOVINDAN,
STATION OFFICER,
KERALA

SHRI S. SUDHAKARAN,
FIREMAN NO. 2697,
KERALA

SHRI L. S. WANGKI' EIMAYUM,
FIREMAN,
MANIPUR

SHRI S. C. SAMANTRAY,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA

SHRI K. C. PARIDA,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA

SHRI B. D. SWAIN,
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA

SHRI P. RADHA,
STATION OFFICER,
PONDICHERRY

SHRI A. IBRAHIM,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU

SHRI D. KUPPAN,
STATION OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU

SHRI N. KALIAPERUMAL,
FIREMAN DRIVER 2695,
TAMIL NADU

SHRI P. KATHIRVELU,
FIREMAN 2707,
TAMIL NADU

SHRI BHAYRO NATHI,
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH
SHRI J. N. DOHREY,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI A. CHAUBE,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI J. P. PANDEY,
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER,
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI M. RAFIQ,
LEADING FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI MURAD AHMED,
DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI ANIL KUMAR DEY,
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI S. K. BHATTACHARJEE,
LEADER L-401,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI J. ASHOK KUMAR,
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE),
CISF, MHA.

SHRI S. P. GARG,
CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE & SAFETY),
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS:

2. The awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medals.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
No.- 11 -Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI B.C. JADEJA,
Chief Fire officer
Gujarat

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri B.C. JADEJA with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri B.C. JADEJA with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri B.C. JADEJA thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

( Barun Mitra )
Director
No.- 12/-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI J.N. KHADIA,
Station officer (Fire)
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri J.N. KHADIA with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri J.N. KHADIA with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri J.N. KHADIA thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No. 13 -Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI K.N. PATEL,
Driver Pump Operator
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri K.N. PATEL with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri K.N. PATEL with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri K.N. PATEL thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.-14-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI P.R. DUBE,
Driver Pump Operator,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and widespread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri P.R. DUBE with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri P.R. DUBE with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri P.R. DUBE thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 15-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI A.B. MALIK,
Driver Pump Operator,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri A.B. MALIK with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri A.B. MALIK with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri A.B. MALIK thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

( Barun Mitra )
Director.
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 16 -Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI V.C. MORE,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri V.C. MORE with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri V.C. MORE with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri V.C. MORE thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 11 -Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI D.K. RATHOD,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and widespread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri D.K. RATHOD with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri D.K. RATHOD with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri D.K. RATHOD thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NO. 18 - PRES/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI H.K. PATEL,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri H.K. PATEL with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri H.K. PATEL with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri H.K. PATEL thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

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Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 19-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI R.K. VAGHELA,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri R.K. VAGHELA with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combaling the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri R.K. VAGHELA with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri R.K. VAGHELA thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

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Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 2.9-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.A. BORADIYA,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and widespread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fire by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri G.A. BORADIYA with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri G.A. BORADIYA with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri G.A. BORADIYA thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

( Barun Mitra )
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 21-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI J.M. NINAMA,
Fireman,
Gujarat.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

As a fallout of Godhra train massacre incident on 27.2.02, communal riots and wide spread violence broke out throughout Gujarat and in Ahmedabad in particular. In a short span of time, Ahmedabad Fire Brigade had to respond 162 Nos. of Major fires in the city area alone.

2. On 28.2.02 at about 19.45 hours Hotel Moti Manor at Shahibaug area of Ahmedabad was attacked and set on fires by rioters. While 37 inmates of the Hotel could manage to run to safety, 16 employees of the hotel were trapped inside the building, which by that time was full of flames and smoke causing asphyxiation. On getting the distress call, Shri J.M. NINAMA with his teammates rushed to the site of incident with fire tender, water tanker, hydraulic platform (Snorkel) and ambulance. The rioters obstructed the movement of Fire Service and forcefully stopped the snorkel midway. No police protection was available to the fire service personnel in that abnormal hostile situation. So while protecting themselves from the wrath of violent mob, the fire fighters started combating the fire in that towering inferno. In the meantime, two LPG cylinders in the kitchen of the hotel exploded due to tremendous heat resulting flash over. Rioters outside were also adding fuel to the fire by throwing canisters of highly inflammable solvents.

3. In the above scenario, Shri J.M. NINAMA with his team of dedicated firemen ignoring their personal safety, fought the fire for 4 hours without any break and rescued all the 16 trapped persons and saved properties worth several crores.

4. Shri J.M. NINAMA thus displayed exemplary courage, presence of mind, leadership of very high order extreme dedication to his duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety, while discharging his duties.

5. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 28th February, 2002.

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

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No.- 2.2.-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI R.S. SODHI,
Joint Director,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

In the wee hours of 14.5.2002, armed Fidayeen militants struck an army camp at Kalu-Chack Cantt, Jammu, killing 26 persons and injuring 47. This resulted in indiscriminate cross firing between the army and the militants, followed by hurling of grenades, series of huge deafening explosions with big flames, which endangered the army camp. On receipt of the first information, Fire Services from Gangyal, Bari Brahma and Gandhinagar Fire Stations immediately responded for fire fighting and rescue operation. The Fire Service appliances/ vehicles were stranded in the main gate of the camp because of hostile battle scenario inside. The army camp had family quarters, barracks, stores, workshop, garages for vehicle parking with stored barrels of diesel, kerosene and other flammable lubricants in the workshop premises.

2. Ignoring his personal safety Shri R.S. SODHI with his dedicated fire fighting team entered the camp with charged line drawn from appliances stationed outside, without any protection or protective gear and reached the site of incident by crawling and started fire fighting amidst cross firing and grenade explosion etc. Considering the nature of fire, they fought the fire bravely for hours together to suppress and control it in such hostile condition and thus saved many lives and properties worth over several crores of rupees.

3. Shri R.S. SODHI in his aforesaid act displayed professionalism and leadership of very high order, displayed courage, dedication and devotion to duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 14th May, 2002.

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Director
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26\textsuperscript{th} January, 2003

No.- 23-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI RAM PAUL KHAJURIA,
Deputy Director
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

In the wee hours of 14.5.2002, armed Fidayeen militants struck an army camp at Kalu-Chack Cantt, Jammu, killing 26 persons and injuring 47. This resulted in indiscriminate cross firing between the army and the militants, followed by hurling of grenades, series of huge deafening explosions with big flames, which endangered the army camp. On receipt of the first information, Fire Services from Gangyal, Bari Brahmana and Gandhinagar Fire Stations immediately responded for fire fighting and rescue operation. The Fire Service appliances/ vehicles were stranded in the main gate of the camp because of hostile battle scenario inside. The army camp had family quarters, barracks, stores, workshop, garages for vehicle parking with stored barrels of diesel, kerosene and other flammable lubricants in the workshop premises.

2. Ignoring his personal safety Shri RAM PAUL KHAJURIA with his dedicated fire fighting team entered the camp with charged line drawn from appliances stationed outside, without any protection or protective gear and reached the site of incident by crawling and started fire fighting amidst cross firing and grenade explosion etc. Considering the nature of fire, they fought the fire bravely for hours together to suppress and control it in such hostile condition and thus saved many lives and properties worth over several crores of rupees.

3. Shri RAM PAUL KHAJURIA in his aforesaid act displayed professionalism and leadership of very high order, displayed courage, dedication and devotion to duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 14\textsuperscript{th} May, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.-24-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI ROMESH CHAND RAINA,
Station Officer,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

In the wee hours of 14.5.2002, armed Fidayeen militants struck an army camp at Kalu-Chack Cantt, Jammu, killing 26 persons and injuring 47. This resulted in indiscriminate cross firing between the army and the militants, followed by hurling of grenades, series of huge deafening explosions with big flames, which endangered the army camp. On receipt of the first information, Fire Services from Gangyal, Bari Brahmana and Gandhinagar Fire Stations immediately responded for fire fighting and rescue operation. The Fire Service appliances/ vehicles were stranded in the main gate of the camp because of hostile battle scenario inside. The army camp had family quarters, barracks, stores, workshop, garages for vehicle parking with stored barrels of diesel, kerosene and other flammable lubricants in the workshop premises.

2. Ignoring his personal safety Shri ROMESH CHAND RAINA with his dedicated fire fighting team entered the camp with charged line drawn from appliances stationed outside, without any protection or protective gear and reached the site of incident by crawling and started fire fighting amidst cross firing and grenade explosion etc. Considering the nature of fire, they fought the fire bravely for hours together to suppress and control it in such hostile condition and thus saved many lives and properties worth over several crores of rupees.

3. Shri ROMESH CHAND RAINA in his aforesaid act displayed professionalism and leadership of very high order, displayed courage, dedication and devotion to duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 14th May, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 25-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI SURINDER SINGH,
Fireman 276-J,
Jammu & Kashmir.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

In the wee hours of 14.5.2002, armed Fidayeen militants struck an army camp at Kalu-Chack Cantt, Jammu, killing 26 persons and injuring 47. This resulted in indiscriminate cross firing between the army and the militants, followed by hurling of grenades, series of huge deafening explosions with big flames, which endangered the army camp. On receipt of the first information, Fire Services from Gangyal, Bari Brahmana and Gandhinagar Fire Stations immediately responded for fire fighting and rescue operation. The Fire Service appliances/ vehicles were stranded in the main gate of the camp because of hostile battle scenario inside. The army camp had family quarters, barracks, stores, workshop, garages for vehicle parking with stored barrels of diesel, kerosene and other flammable lubricants in the workshop premises.

2. Ignoring his personal safety Shri SURINDER SINGH with his dedicated fire fighting team entered the camp with charged line drawn from appliances stationed outside, without any protection or protective gear and reached the site of incident by crawling and started fire fighting amidst cross firing and grenade explosion etc. Considering the nature of fire, they fought the fire bravely for hours together to suppress and control it in such hostile condition and thus saved many lives and properties worth over several crores of rupees.

3. Shri SURINDER SINGH in his aforesaid act displayed professionalism and leadership of very high order, displayed courage, dedication and devotion to duties and conspicuous gallantry even ignoring his personal safety.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 14th May, 2002.

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

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No.: 26-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI N.M. NARKAR,
Fire Brigade Officer,
Maharashtra.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

At 1500 hours of 17th September, 2001, a tanker carrying obnoxious Hydrogen Sulphide caught fire in the busy locality at Khandagale Estate near Purna - a suburb of Bhiwandi in Maharashtra. As a result, panic created and the resident and shopkeepers abandoned their houses and shops and started running away from the spot for fear of explosion of the tanker which may create great loss of human lives damage to the properties. On getting the message, Shri N. M. Narkar, CFO, Bhiwandi and his driver Shri G. S. Pawar immediately rushed to the site of incidence. Together they steered the burning vehicle to an isolated lonely uninhabited place, ignoring their personal safety. The tanker ultimately exploded and the vehicle was charred down to ashes.

2. In this act Shri N.M. NARKAR had displayed extreme presence of mind, leadership, dedication to duties and exemplary courage/gallantry to save life and property of citizens even ignoring their personal safety.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 17th September, 2001

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

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No.- 27-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

SHRI G.S. PAWAR,
Driver-Operator (Fire Service),
Maharashtra.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

At 1500 hours of 17th September, 2001, a tanker carrying obnoxious Hydrogen Sulphide caught fire in the busy locality at Khandagale Estate near Purna - a suburb of Bhiwandi in Maharashtra. As a result, panic created and the resident and shopkeepers abandoned their houses and shops and started running away from the spot for fear of explosion of the tanker which may create great loss of human lives damage to the properties. On getting the message, Shri N. M. Narkar, CFO, Bhiwandi and his driver Shri G. S. Pawar immediately rushed to the site of incidence. Together they steered the burning vehicle to an isolated lonely uninhabited place, ignoring their personal safety. The tanker ultimately exploded and the vehicle was charred down to ashes.

2. In this act Shri G.S. PAWAR had displayed extreme presence of mind, leadership, dedication to duties and exemplary courage/gallantry to save life and property of citizens even ignoring their personal safety.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 17th September, 2001.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.- 28-Pres/2003- The President is pleased on the occasion of Republic Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer:-

NAME AND RANK OF THE OFFICER

LATE K. ARUMUGAM, (POSTHUMOUS)
Fireman 7018,
Tamil Nadu.

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 15.9.2002 at 16.15 hrs a fire broke out in a four storied shopping complex-residential building in the thickly populated and congested area of Govindappa Naicken Street, Chennai-1. On receipt of distress call, fire services from Anderson Street Fire Station moved to the site of incidence immediately. Fireman 7018 K. Arumugam was a member of the aforesaid fire intervention team.

2. The affected premises had shopping complex in the ground floor with residential accommodation in the upper three floor. The approach lane was very narrow which restricted the movement of the fire appliances. Thick smoke and high flames were emanating from one of the shop in the ground floor blocking the entrance of the house and also the narrow lane due to funneling affect joining tremendous heat. Unless suppress the fire will create secondary fire in the adjoining building. Trappe persons inside the building were crying for help without finding any escape root. In such dangerous situation fireman 7018 Shri K. ARUMUGAM ignoring his personal safety approach the fire site with charged water hole and broke open a shutter of the shop on fire where very smoke and flames were bellowing out. When fireman Arumugam was suppressing the fire in such dangerous situation suddenly an explosion took place and Shri K. Arumugam received 45% burn injury. He was immediately hospitalized where he succumbed later on.

3. The above act of fireman 7018 Shri K. ARUMUGAM displayed his extreme dedication for duties spirit of self-less and courage and gallantry of very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 15th September, 2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2003

No.3-Pres./2003 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day 2003, to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI S. PRASAD
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
JHARKHAND

SHRI T. MOOLYA
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI L.N. RAUT
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI R. VAIDYANATHAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI A.K. CHATURVEDI
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI S.L. NAGARKAR
AIG (FIRE)
C.I.S.F.
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

SHRI N.P. SINGH
DY. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
C.I.S.F.
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
No.4-Pres./2003 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day 2003, to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI D. DEVUDU  
STATION FIRE OFFICER  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S. KASI RAO  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M. ALI,  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S. HUSSAIN  
FIREMAN  
ASSAM

SHRI A.K. SHARMA  
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
N.C.T. OF DELHI

SHRI G.C. MISRA  
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
N.C.T. OF DELHI

SHRI SANTOKH SINGH  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
N.C.T. OF DELHI

SHRI R.N. CHECHI  
STATION OFFICER  
N.C.T. OF DELHI
SHRI R.K. DAHIYA
STATION OFFICER
N.C.T. OF DELHI

SHRI D.R. PANDEY
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI S.D. SHAikh
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI P.S. PARMAR
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI N.M. PARMAR
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI K.N. NATHBAVA
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI Y.I. SHAikh
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI K.B. RAWAT
JAMADAR
GUJARAT

SHRI R. KUMAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
JHARKHAND

SHRI K.U. RAMESH
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI M. RANGAPPA
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI A.V. RAMAKRISHNA RAJU
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA
SHRI K.H. LINGAIAH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI S. MURTHY
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI I.S. JEERGAL
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ABDUL ROUF
LEADING FIREMAN 401
KARNATAKA

SHRI L. VASU
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI V. SOMAN
FIREMAN NO.2447
KERALA

SHRI B.N. SHAIKH
STATION DUTY OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI K. LYNGDOH
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA

SHRI P.G. MOMIN
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA

SHRI S. PADHI
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI B.B. NAYAK
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI M.K. MOHAPATRA
FIREMAN 587
ORISSA
SHRI S. VEDHACHALAM
LEADING FIREMAN
PONDICHERRY

SHRI W.K. ARIYANAYAGAM
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI M. SRINIVASAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI K. SELVARAJ
L.F. 2773
TAMIL NADU

SHRI S.. UBAGARASAMY
D.M. 2412
TAMIL NADU

SHRI M. GANAPATHY
FIREMAN 2778
TAMIL NADU

SHRI P.K. RAO
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (TECH)
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI R.K. SINGH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI U.R. YADAV
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI MADAN LAL
FIREMAN
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI A. BANERJEE
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI E.A. SHEIK
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medals.
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2003

No. 102-Pres/2003 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2003 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers :-

SHRI S.S. CHIROM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR

SHRI R.G. JAYAKANTHAN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMILNADU

SHRI S.N. SHUKLA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 103-Pres/2003 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2003 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI A. RAI
INSPECTOR
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR

SHRI N. RAMA SWAMY
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI B. YESURATNAM
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI T. RAGHUNANDAN
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M. RAMA DAS
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI E. RAMAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI V.S. NEMLEKAR
STATION FIRE OFFICER
GOA
SHRI A.R. AGA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
GOA

SHRI R.S. JAMWAL
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI N.A. WANI
STATION OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI A.G. WANI
STATION OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI M.A. MAKHDOOMI
STATION OFFICER (M)
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI M. RAMAIAH
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. VENKATESH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI BORAI AH
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI SOMASHEKARA
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI K.M. ESHAPPAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI K.C. MANCHAIAH
FIREMAN 270
KARNATAKA
SHRI P.J. CLARANCE
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI T. JANARDHANAN NAIR
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI JOSEPH POULOSE
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI R. CH. SAHOO
DY. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI N.K. MISHRA
ASST. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI T.N. JENA
FITTER STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI S.S. BARAL
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI N. SETHY
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI V. HARIKRISHNAN
STATION OFFICER
PONDICHERRY

SHRI V. RAMAKRISHNAN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMILNADU

SHRI J. FRANCIS VAZ
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMILNADU
SHRI N. SARAVANAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMILNADU

SHRI A. UDAIYAR
LEADING FIREMAN 2382
TAMILNADU

SHRI M. MUNIANDI
LEADING FIREMAN 2917
TAMILNADU

SHRI V. RAJAN
DRIVER MECHANIC 2447
TAMILNADU

SHRI T. V. NATARAJAN
FIREMAN DRIVER 2631
TAMILNADU

SHRI A. PITCHAIMUTHU
FIREMAN DRIVER 2673
TAMILNADU

SHRI Y.B. DWIVEDI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI P.N. MISHRA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI V.P. SINGH
FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI N.S. BORA
LEADING FIREMAN 1977
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI A.K. TYAGI
DRIVER
UTTARANCHAL
2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

16-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI L. N. RAUT,
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA

On 12th January, 2003 at 1730 hours, a major fire broke out in the National Chemical Laboratory Pune. Immediately on receipt of the call, Shri L. N. Raut, Chief Fire Officer, Pune rushed to the scene of fire along with his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Raut saw flames coming out of the windows at 2nd floor of the building. He was informed that some people are trapped in the building. After quickly sizing up the situation he started fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the deadly gases in the fire, Shri Raut dared to enter the burning building with the firemen and rescued three persons safely.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently it is admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA
THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 14-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI TUKARAM SHANKAR BHILARE,
STATION DUTY OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA

On 12th January, 2003 at 1730 hours, a major fire broke out in the National Chemical Laboratory Pune. Immediately on receipt of the call, Shri Tukaram Shankar Bhilare, Pune rushed to the scene of fire along with his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Bhilare saw flames coming out of the windows at 2nd floor of the building. It was informed that some people are trapped in the building. He took part in fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the deadly gases in the fire, Shri Bhilare dared to enter the burning building with the team members and rescued three persons safely.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 12-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI E. J. PHANSE,
SUB OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

On 12th January, 2003 at 1730 hours, a major fire broke out in the National Chemical Laboratory Pune. Immediately on receipt of the call, Shri E. J. Phanse, Sub Officer, Pune rushed to the scene of fire along with his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Phanse saw flames coming out of the windows at 2nd floor of the building. It was informed that some people are trapped in the building. He took part in fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the deadly gases in the fire, Shri Phanse dared to enter the burning building with the team members and rescued three persons safely.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
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THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 14-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI SUNIL SOPAN DEOKAR,
FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA

On 12th January, 2003 at 1730 hours, a major fire broke out in the National Chemical Laboratory Pune. Immediately on receipt of the call, Shri Sunil Soplan Deokar, Pune rushed to the scene of fire along with his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Deokar saw flames coming out of the windows at 2nd floor of the building. It was informed that some people are trapped in the building. He took part in fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the deadly gases in the fire, Shri Deokar dared to enter the burning building with the team members and rescued three persons safely.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

BARUN MITRA
DIRECTOR
No. 15-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI SUBHASH PRABHAKAR JADHAV, 
FIREMAN, 
MAHARASHTRA

On 12th January, 2003 at 1730 hours, a major fire broke out in the National Chemical Laboratory, Pune. Immediately on receipt of the call, Shri Subhash Prabhakar Jadhav, Sub Officer, Pune rushed to the scene of fire along with his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Jadhav saw flames coming out of the windows at 2nd floor of the building. It was informed that some people are trapped in the building. He took part in fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the deadly gases in the fire, Shri Jadhav dared to enter the burning building with the team members and rescued three persons safely.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA) 
DIRECTOR
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA
THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 9-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

Shri Pravakar Sahoo,
Fireman NO. 835,
ORISSA.

On 28th May, 2003 at 1125 hours, a call was received at Bhubaneswar Fire Station informing that a man has fallen inside a deep well at Shastri Nagar, Bhubaneswar.

Immediately Shri Pravakar Sahoo, Fireman, as a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival, he noticed that while renovating the well, one Shri Basu Reddy had fallen in the well and had become unconscious. At once Shri Pravakar Sahoo, Fireman tried to enter into the well with the help of chair knot and rescue rope tied around his waist but could not succeed due to heavy suffocation and came out.

Knowing well the deadly gases in the well, Shri Sahoo attempted second time and succeeded in bringing out Shri Basu Reddy alive.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.05.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
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THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 10-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI RAMADAS MANIVANNAN,
FIREMAN 6041,
TAMIL NADU.

On 27th June, 2003 at 1630 hours, a call was received at Paramakudi Fire Station that one 4 year boy has fallen inside a dilapidated deep well. Immediately Sh. Ramdas Manivannan, Fireman 6041, as a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival it was confirmed that the well contains poisonous gases.

Without caring for his own life, Shri Manivannan got into the well courageously and succeeded in saving the life of the child with the help of his colleagues.

Shri Manivannan, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA
THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 2004

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 11-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

SHRI AZHAGAR GUNASEKARAN,
FIREMAN 6186,
TAMIL NADU.

On 27th June, 2003 at 1630 hours, a call was received at Paramakudi Fire Station that one 4 year boy has fallen inside a dilapidated deep well. Immediately Sh. Azhagar Gunasekaran, Fireman 6186, as a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival it was confirmed that the well contains poisonous gases.

Without caring for his own life, Shri Gunasekaran got into the well courageously and succeeded in saving the life of the child with the help of his colleagues.

He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.01.2003.

(BARUN MITRA)
DIRECTOR
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No.7-Pres/2004 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2004 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officer:-

SHRI D.R. YADAV
DY. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
CISF/ MHA.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 21 फरवरी, 2004 के भारत के राजपत्र के
गांग 1 खंड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2004

गंग 7 — प्रेज/2004— राष्ट्रपति, गणतंत्र, दिवस, 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित
अधिकारी को उनकी विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष
प्रदान करते हैं—

श्री डी.आर. यादव
उप कमांडेंट (फायर)
के.आर.सु.बल/गृह मंत्रालय

2. ये पुरस्कार अनिश्चित सेवा पदक प्रदान करने को संचालित करने वाले नियमों
के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किए जाते हैं।

(बरूण मित्रा)
निदेशक
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2004

No. 8- Pres/2004 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2004 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:—

SHRI K. NARAYANAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI V.K. DHARMRAJ
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI RÁMANKUTTY V.G.
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA.

SHRI A.R. GEORGE
FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI C.K. KALITA
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI P.M. KHARBANI
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI Y.S. LYNGWA
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA.
SHRI R.G. YADAV
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI A.C. SAMAL
FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI B.C. PATRA
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI A.K. SARANGI
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI P.K. ROUT
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI R.K. SAMAL
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA.

SHRI CHAITNYA NAIK
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA.

SHRI S.C. MAJHI
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA.

SHRI S.K. DASH
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

Shri H.K. DAS
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA.

SHRI R.N. RATH
HAVILDAR MECHANIC
ORISSA.
SHRI S. FAKIRUDDIN  
FIREMAN NO. 550  
ORISSA.

SHRI K. N. SAMAL  
FIREMAN NO. 1363  
ORISSA.

Shri S.K. BARIK  
FIREMAN NO. 1179  
ORISSA.

SHRI D.K. SAHA  
DY. ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
NFSC/MHA.

SHRI C.P. KUNDU  
ASSISTANT COMMANDANT (FIRE)  
CISF/MHA.

SHRI TAPAN DEBNATH  
ASSISTANT COMMANDANT (FIRE)  
CISF/MHA.

SHRI UTTAM CHAND LOG  
ASSISTANT SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)  
CISF/MHA.

SHRI S.K. MAJUMDAR  
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)  
CISF/MHA.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)  
Director
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 4th SEPTEMBER, 2004

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 114-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI GHULAM AHMAD BHAT,
DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 28.08.2003 at 2255 hrs., the four-storied Greenway Hotel in Srinagar came under fidayeen attack. There was death and destruction all over. Without losing time, Sh. Ghulam Ahmad Bhat, Director, Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started fire-fighting and rescue operations. Without caring for his life in the cross-firing, the officer helped in evacuating the hostages and others from the affected building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.08.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

सं/114-प्रज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी
को दीना के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिमानित सेवा पदक सहभ्य प्रदान करते हैं:—

श्री गुलाम अहमद मट्टू
निदेशक,
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पुरस्कार दिया गया:

दिनांक 28.8.2003, समय साती 22:55 बजे चीनिया के एक चार मंजिले रङ्गनबरे होटल
पर फिराई द्वारा आकर्षण किया गया। जिस कारण जान व मात्र की काफी हद इन्हें
सूचना मिलते ही विना समय गबाए श्री गुलाम अहमद मटेट, निदेशक जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर
सर्विस अपने टीम के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचकर आग पर काबू पाते हुए बच्चा कार्य
शुरू कर दिया। अधिकारी ने अपनी जान की परवाह न करते हुए, गोलीबारी के बीच बच्चों और
अन्य कर्मचारी लोगों को प्रभावित भवन से सुरक्षित बाहर निकाल दिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उल्लक्ष्य दीना, अनुकूलनीय साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यावसायिक विशेषज्ञता
और कर्त्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निश्चित का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार दीना के लिए अभिमानित सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(व) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणाम 28.8.2003 के तारीख
28.08.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष मत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

(वरूण मित्रा)
निदेशक
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 115-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI RAJINDER KUMAR HAK,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 28.08.2003 at 2255 hrs., the four-storied Greenway Hotel in Srinagar came under fidayeen attack. There was death and destruction all over. Without losing time, Sh. Rajinder Kumar Hak, Deputy Director, Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started fire-fighting and rescue operations. Without caring for his life in the cross-firing, the officer helped in evacuating the hostages and others from the affected building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.08.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
संधिवार, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राष्ट्रपति के
भाग | खंड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति रत्नाकार

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

रो 115-प्रज/2004 राष्ट्रपति रत्नाकार दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निभायी गई अधिकारी
को वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनयन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं तथा

श्री राजिन्द्र कुमार हक,
उप-निदेशक,
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

रो 2003, बारा अक्तूबर 22:35 बजे मंजिले लीलने होटल
पर फिडाईन हलर सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं तथा। जिस कारण जान व मह ली की फाइन हानि हुई।
सूचना मिलते ही बिना समय गंवाए श्री राजिन्द्र कुमार हक, उप-निदेशक, जम्मू और कश्मीर
फायर सर्विस अपनी टीम के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुँचकर आग पर कबूल पाते हुए बचाव कार्य
शुरू कर दिया। अधिकारी ने अपनी जान की परवह न करते हुए, गोलीबारी का शीर्ष कोढे
और अन्य फसे लोगों को प्रभावित भवन से सुरक्षित बाहर निकाल लिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकूलता पर शास्त्र, नेतृत्व, व्यावसायिक विशेषज्ञता
और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निधि का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनयन सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(प) के तहत प्रदान किया गया है तथा परिषाल: तारीख
28.08.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देने हैं।

(वरुण मित्र)
निदेशक
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 116-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI LATIEF AHMAD KHAN,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 20.12.2002 at 11.44 hrs. terrorists attacked at Army Camp at Tatoo Ground, Batamaloo, Srinagar. Without losing time Shri Latief Ahmad Khan, Deputy Director, Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service along with his team reached the spot. He saw huge flames coming out from the barracks. Without caring for his life in the gun fire and explosions the officer dared to fight fire and helped in evacuation.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a).

w.e.f. 20.12.2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director

[Signature]
शारीरिक, दिनांक 4 सितम्बर, 2004 को, भारत के सांस्कृतिक परमेश्वर के गाय | संख्या 1 में प्रकाशित

राष्ट्रपति सभितलय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

सं 116-प्रेरण/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निर्देशित अभिकारी
को वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिलेखण सेवा पदक साहित्य प्रदान करते हैं।

श्री लतीफ अहमद खान,
उप-निदेशक,
जम्मू और कश्मीर कार्यालय सर्विस

रोया का विवरण जिसके लिए पुरस्कार दिया गया:

दिनांक 20.12.2002 समय 11:44 बजे आतंकवादियों द्वारा श्रीनगर में टांडा ग्राउंड,
बाटमालू में एक आसमानी कैम्प पर हमला किया। दिना समय गवाए श्री लतीफ अहमद खान,
उप-निदेशक जम्मू और कश्मीर कार्यालय सर्विस अपनी टीम के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचे।
उन्होंने देखा बैंक से आग की लपेट काफी मात्र बाहर निकल रही है। अभिकारी ने अपनी जान
की परवाह न करते हुए, गोलीबारी के बीच आग बुझाने और बचाव कार्य करने का साहस
किया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय साहस, तेजस्विता, व्यावसायिक विशेषज्ञता
और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निश्चित का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिलेखण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामतः तारीख 20.12.2002
से नियम 5(k) के तहत अनुमोदन विशेष मंत्रा इसके साथ देय है।

(सर्वनाश)
(बरूण मित्रा)
निदेशक

General Manager
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 117-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI ABDUL GANI WANI,
STATION OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 28.08.2003 at 2255 hrs., the four-storied Greenway Hotel in Srinagar came under fidayeen attack. There was death and destruction all over. Without losing time, Sh. Abdul Gani Wani, Station Officer, Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started fire-fighting and rescue operations. Without caring for his life in the cross-firing, the officer helped in evacuating the hostages and others from the affected building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.08.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

सं 117-प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनंदन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री अब्दुल गनी बानी,
रेल्यून आफिसर,
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए एवार्ड दिया गया :-

दिनांक 28.8.2003, समय रात्रि 22:55 बजे श्रीनगर के एक चार मंजिले ग्रीनवे होटल पर फिलाउन द्वारा आक्रमण किया गया। जिस कारण जान और माल का काफी नुकसान हुआ। संग्रहा मिलते ही बिना समय गई श्री अब्दुल गनी बानी, रेल्यून आफिसर, जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस अपनी दीवार के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुँचकर आग पर कबूतू सांचे हुए बचाव कार्य की गई। अधिकारी ने अपनी जान की रक्षा न करते हुए, मोलिंगैंस के बीच बच्चों को और अन्य अंदर लोगों को प्रभावित भावना से सुरक्षित बाहर निकाल दिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकूलनीय साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यापक विवेक ज्ञान और कर्तव्य की प्रति उच्च कोटि की निधि का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनंदन सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(४) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा पारिवारिक तारीख 28.08.2003 से नियम 5(४) के तहत अनुमूल्य विवेक भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

(वर्ण मित्राव)
निदेशक
No. 118-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI MOHAMMAD RAFIQ KHAN,
SUB-OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded :-

On 28.08.2003 at 2255 hrs., the four-storied Greenway Hotel in Srinagar came under the fidayeen attack. There was death and destruction all over. Without losing time, Sh. Mohammad Rafiq Khan, Sub-officer, Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started fire-fighting and rescue operations. Without caring for his life in the cross-firing, the officer helped in evacuating the hostages and others from the affected building.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f.28.08.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग 1 खंड 1 में प्रकाशित
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

रो 118–प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी
को वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनवमण सेवा पदक सार्वजनिक प्रदान करते हैं :

.श्री मुहम्मद रफीक खान,
सब-आफिसर,
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पुरस्कार दिया गया :

दिनांक 28.8.2003, समय रात्रि 22:55 बजे श्रीनगर के एक चार मंजिले शीतनगर होटल
पर फिल्म द्वारा आक्रमण किया गया। जिस कारण ज्ञान व मान की काफी हानि हुई।
सूचना मिलते ही दिना समय गया एक श्री मुहम्मद रफीक खान, सब-आफिसर, जम्मू और कश्मीर
फायर सर्विस अपनी टीम के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचकर आग पर काश्त पाते हुए बचाव कार्य
शुरू कर दिया। अधिकारी ने अपनी जान की परतवह न करते हुए, गोलीबारी के बीच बचुबको
और अन्य फरसे लोगों को प्रभावित भवन से सुरक्षित बाहर निकाल लिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक विशेषज्ञता
और कल्त्याव के प्रति उच्च कोटि की मिश्रा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनवमण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(४) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामस्वरूप: तारीख
28.08.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेर विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

[वरिष्ठ सर्विस]

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 119-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI RAJAN KRISHNAN KOODAM KANDI (POSTHUMOUS)
DRIVER MECHANIC
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 11.05.2002 at 16.00 hrs. at Orkattery in Kozhikode a well collapsed while digging and four people got buried under the soil. Without losing time Shri Rajan Krishnan Koodam Kandi, Driver Mechanic, Kerala Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started rescue operations taking all precautions. All of a sudden the well further collapsed and Sh. Rajan with his two colleagues also got buried in the soil. He laid down his life in discharge of his duty.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.05.2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
संख्या 119—प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिभाषण सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं—

श्री राजन कृष्णन कुदम कांडी (मराठीपारंपर)
ड्राइवर जेकेनिक,
केरल फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए एवार्ड दिया गया:

दिनांक 11.5.2002 समय 16:00 के जिला ओरकेट्री फोर्ड जोड़ में खुदाई करते समय एक कुआ धरा गया और उसकी मिट्टी में चार लोग दब गये। बिना समय गंदाएं श्री राजन कृष्णन कुदम कांडी, ड्राइवर जेकेनिक, केरल फायर सर्विस अपने साथियों के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचे और अत्यंत सावधानी बरतते हुए बचाव कार्य शुरू कर दिया। अध्यक्ष ही कुआं फिर धंस गया और उसमें श्री राजन तथा उसके दो अन्य साथी भी मिट्टी में दब गये। इस प्रकार श्री राजन ने ड्राईवर करते हुए अपनी जान न्योछावर कर दी।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय सहायता, व्यवस्थापिक विशेषज्ञता और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कठोरता की निभाई का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिभाषण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने वाले नियमों में नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणाम तारीख 11.05.2002 से नियम 5(1) के तहत अनुमान विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

श्रीमति (निदेशक)

(स्वरूप मित्र)
(रक्षा मित्रा)
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15\textsuperscript{th} August, 2004

No. 120-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

\textbf{SHRI AJITH KUMAR BHASKARA PILLAI (POSTHUMOUS)}  
\textbf{FIREMAN - 4956}  
\textbf{KERALA FIRE SERVICE}

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded :-

On 11.05.2002 at 16.00 hrs. at Orkattery in Kozhikode a well collapsed while digging and four people get buried under the soil. Without losing time Shri Ajith Kukar Bhaskara Pillai, Fireman, Kerala Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started rescue operations taking all precautions. All of a sudden the well further collapsed and Sh. Kumar with his two colleagues also got buried in the soil. He laid down his life in discharge of his duty.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.05.2002.

(Barun Mitra)  
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

सं 120--प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिनिष्ठण सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री अजीत कुमार भारस्कर पिल्ले (भरणोपरांत)
फायरगेंन-- 4956.
कर्त्ता फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पुरस्कार दिया गया:

दिनांक 11.5.2002 समय 16:00 बजे जिला ओरछेट्री, कोजीकोट में खुदाई करते समय एक कुआ धंस गया और उसकी मिट्टी में चार लोग दब गये। बिना समय पाए श्री अजीत कुमार भारस्कर पिल्ले, फायरगेंन, कर्त्ता फायर सर्विस अपने साथियों के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचे और आवश्यक सावधानी बरतते हुए बचाव कार्य शुरू कर दिया। अत्याधुनिक ही कुआं फिर धंस गया और उसमें श्री अजीत कुमार तथा उसके दो अन्य साथी भी मिट्टी में दब गये। इस प्रकार श्री कुमार ने दृढ़ ढांढ़ करते हुए अपनी जान न्योंचाकर कर दी।

इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्वितीय साहस, व्यवसायिक निश्चितता और निर्धारण द्वारा प्रति उच्च कोटि की निष्ठा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनिष्ठण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालन करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(प) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिषदम: लापर 11.05.2002 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

(चरण मित्रा)
निदेशक
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 121-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SH. JAFFER ABDULLAKUTTY MULLUTHURUTHI
FIREMAN – 4714 (POSTHUMOUS)
KERALA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 11.05.2002 at 16.00 hrs. at Orkattery in Kozhikode a well collapsed while digging and four people got buried under the soil. Without losing time Shri Jaffer Abdullakutty Mulluthuruthi, Fireman, Kerala Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and started rescue operations taking all precautions. All of a sudden the well further collapsed and Shri Jaffer with his two colleagues also got buried in the soil. He laid down his life in discharge of his duty.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.05.2002.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिनवभूमि सेवा पदक साहिब प्रदान करते हैं:—

श्री जाफर अब्दुलकुट्टी मुल्लूबुरुशी
फायरमैन—4714,
केरल फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पुजारी दिया गया:

दिनांक 11.5.2002 समय 16:00 बजे जिला ओरकैड, कोजीकोड में खुदाई करते समय एक कुआ धंस गया और उसकी मिट्टी में चार लोग दब गये। विकास समर्थन श्री जाफर अब्दुलकुट्टी मुल्लूबुरुशी,फायरमैन, केरल फायर सर्विस अपने साथियों के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुँचे और आवश्यक सामग्री करते हुए बचाव कार्य शुरू कर दिया। अविचारण ही कुआं फिर धंस गया और उसमें श्री जाफर तथा उसके दो अन्य साथी श्री मिट्टी में दब गये। इस प्रकार श्री जाफर ने हायड्रांट करते हुए अपनी जान बचाने का प्रयास कर दी।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय साहस, व्यवसायिक विशेषज्ञता और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निश्चित का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनवभूमि सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(४) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामस्वरूप: तारीख 11.05.2002 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमोदित विशेष मर्यादा इसके साथ देय है।

विमल
(वरिष्ठ निदेशक)
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 122-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI DHWAJA JAGAT,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 8.11.2003 at 05.45 hrs. Shri Jaiprakash Singh was drowned at Veda Vyasa Ghat while taking holy bath in River Brahmani. Shri Dhwaja Jagat, Leading Fireman, Orissa Fire Service was alert on duty and patrolling the Ghat. He heard the noise “Bachao – Bachao” and ran towards the place. He jumped into the river and with great struggle he saved Shri Jaiprakash Singh.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 08.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शास्ति, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग | खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

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अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित
अधिकारियों को उनकी दीर्घता के लिए अभिनव सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री ध्वज जगत,
लीडी फायरमैन,
उडीसा फायर सर्विस

रेखा का निर्वण जिसके लिए पुरावाद दिया गया:

दिनांक 08.11.2003 को सुबह के 5:45 बजे श्री जयप्रकाश सिंह जो कि पवित्र स्नान
करते हुए वेद व्यास घाट पर ग्रामणी नदी में डूब गया। घाट पर सेवा देने वाले श्री ध्वज
जगत, लीडी फायर मैन, उडीसा फायर सर्विस बचाव-बचाव की आवाज सुन कर भागा और
नदी में बुंद गया और कठिन प्रयास के बाद श्री जयप्रकाश को बचा लिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुक्रमणिय साहस, व्यवसायिक विशेषज्ञता और
कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निष्ठा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनव सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(प) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामस्वरूप तारीख
08.11.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है ।

(सरजन भित्र)
निदेशक
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2004

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 123-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI PARSU RAM BARIK,
FIREMAN – 1244,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 06.11.2003 at 09.00 A.M. three persons got trapped in a soak pit at Bhudan Nagar, Penthakota, Puri. On reaching the spot it was found that three persons entered the pit one after the other and fell unconscious due to presence of poisonous gases. Shri Parsu Ram Barik, Fireman, Orissa Fire Service entered the pit knowing well that his colleague is already affected with poisonous gases in the rescue operation and rescued Shri Prafulla Kumar Das with great difficulty.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 06.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)  
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राजपत्र के भाग। खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

संo 123--प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिमान सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री पर्युं राम बाबू, फायरमैन -1244
उड्डीसा फायर सर्विस

सेवा का निर्वरण जिसके लिए प्रशासन दिया गया :

दिनांक 6.11.2003 में 9.00 बजे बूढाना नगर, फैन्थाकोटा, पुरि में तीन आदमी सोक पिट में फंस गये । घटना स्थल पर पहुँचने पर विदित हुआ कि तीन आदमी एक—एक करके पिट में घुसे और जहरीली गैस के कारण बेहोश हो गये । श्री पर्युं राम बाबू, फायरमैन, उड्डीसा फायर सर्विस भली भांति जानते हुए भी कि उसका साथी पहले ही वहाँ थे पर जहरीली गैस से प्रभावित हो युक्त है, फिर भी उसके अन्दर कठिनाई से घुसा और श्री प्रफुप्ल कुमार दास को सुरक्षित बाहर निकाला ।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुरक्षणीय साहस, व्यावसायिक विशेषज्ञता और कर्त्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निश्चित का प्रदर्शन किया ।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिमान सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(प) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामस्वरूप : तारीख 06.11.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष मल्टा इसका साथ देता है ।

(वरुण मिश्रा)
निदेशक
No. 124-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI PURNA CHANDRA MOHAPATRA,
FIREMAN –1627,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded :-

On 06.11.2003 at 09.00 A.M. three persons got trapped in a soak pit at Bhudan Nagar, Pentakota, Puri. On reaching the spot it was found that three persons entered the pit one after the other and fell unconscious due to presence of poisonous gases. Shri Purna Chandra Mohapatra, Fireman, Orissa Fire Service tried to enter the pit by using B.A. set but could not enter due to narrow man hole. He removed the set and entered the pit with great difficulty and brought out Sh. Padma Charan Subudhi through the narrow man hole. Even badly affected with toxic gases he once again dared to enter and finally succeeded in rescuing another person Shri Halu Muduli.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 06.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शहीद, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राष्ट्रपति के
भाग | खंड 1 में प्रकाशनाथ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

सं 124—प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी
को वीरता के लिए अभिनव अवसर पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री पूर्ण चन्द्र महापात्र,
फायरमैन —1627,
उड़ीसा फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पदक प्रदान किया गया:

दिनांक 6.11.2003 प्रात: 9.00 बजे भूमान नगर, पैथाकोटा, पुरी में लीन आदमी सोक
पिट में फंस गये। घटना स्थल पर पहुंचने पर विधित हुआ कि लीन आदमी एक—एक करके
पिट में घुसे और जाहरीली गैस के कारण बेहोश हो गये। श्री पूर्ण चन्द्र महापात्र, फायरमैन,
उड़ीसा फायर सर्विस ने श्वसन संतर पहनकर पिट के बीतर घुसने का प्रयास किया परन्तु सोक
पिट का मुह तंग होने के कारण अन्दर नहीं घुस सका। उसने अपनी श्वसन यंत्र उतारा तथा
बड़ी कठिनाई से तंग वातावरण से दूर किया और पदनवरण सुबूत को पिट से सुरक्षित बाहर
निकाल लिया। बावजूद इसके वह जाहरीली गैस से पहले ही प्रभावित हो चुका है, डोकरा
उसने अन्दर जाने की हिम्मत जुटाई और हाल मुदली को सुरक्षित बाहर निकालने में कामयाब
हो गया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय साहस, व्यवसायिक विशेषज्ञता और
कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निष्ठा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनव अवसर पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
वाले नियमों के नियम 3(४) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामस्वरूप: तारीख 06.11.
2003 से नियम 5(५) के तहत अनुमोदन विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

(वरण मित्रा)
निदेशक
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2004

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 125-Pres/2004-The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officer:

SHRI BHASKAR CHANDRA BARIK
FIREFMAN – 447,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:-

On 29.04.2003 at 12.30 hrs Smt. Bidyuabati Yadav fell into a well in Baripada. Without loosing time Sh. Bhaskar Chandra Barik, Fireman, Orissa Fire Service along with his team reached the spot and found her fallen in a 50 feet deep well. Immediately Sh. Barik entered into the well with the help of improvised rope ladder and when he reached near her he saw water level just touching her nose and struggling for survival. Endangering his own life he managed to take out Smt. Yadav on his shoulders.

2. He thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently, carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 29.04.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 4 सितंबर, 2004 के भारत के राजपत्र के भाग 1 खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2004

रंग 125-प्रेज/2004 राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2004 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिनमण सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री भास्कर चन्द्र बारिक,
फायरमैन - 447
उड़ीसा फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए पुरस्कार दिया गया:

दिनांक 29.4.2003 को दिन के 12:30 बजे बारीपाड़ा में श्रीमती विश्वकृति यादव कूपे में गिर गई। बिना समय गंवाए श्री भास्कर चन्द्र बारिक, फायरमैन, उड़ीसा फायर सर्विस अपने साथियों के साथ घटना स्थल पर पहुंचा और देखा कि श्रीमती यादव करीब 50 फीट गहरे कूपे में गिरी हुई है। श्री बारिक ने तुरंत रस्ते की बनावटी सीडी की सहायता से कूपे में प्रवेश किया। जब वह श्रीमती यादव के नजदीक पहुंचा तो उसने देखा कि पानी का सतर उस महिला के नाक के करीब था और अपनी जान बचाने का पूर्ण प्रयास कर रही थी। अपनी जान की परवाह न करते हुए श्री बारिक ने उस महिला को अपने कमरे पर उठाकर सुरक्षित बाहर निकाल लिया।

2. इस प्रकार, उन्होंने उल्कभूषण दीर्घात, अनुकूलनीय साहस, व्यावसायिक विश्वेषज्ञाता और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निष्ठा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार दीर्घात के लिए अभिनमण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी सचिवालय वति सब-नियमों के नियम 3(प) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणाममत्ता तारीख 29.04.2003 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमूल्य विशेष माला इसके साथ देय है।

(वर्ण मित्रा)
निदेशक
No. 109-Pres/2004 - The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2004 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers :-

SHRI B.K. HAMPPAGOL  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA.

SHRI N. SYED SULTHAN  
FIREMAN-DRIVER-4150  
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI RAJPAL SINGH TYAGI  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI BABU RAM PAL  
LEADING FIREMAN  
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI MOHAMMAD SALEEM  
LEADING FIREMAN  
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI B.M. SEN  
DIRECTOR  
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI D.K. BOSE  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI P.K. DUTTA  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL.
2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2004

No. 110-Pres/2004 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2004 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers :-

SHRI K.S.R. RADHA KRISHNA
ASSTT.DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI G. SEETHARAMULU
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI MOHD. KHAJA
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI D.K. SAIKIA
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM.

SHRI S. SONOWAL
LEADING FIREMAN
ASSAM.

SHRI R.J. BHATT
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
GUJARAT.

SHRI P.S. PARMAR
S.T.O.
GUJARAT.

SHRI S.M. SHAIKH
FIREMAN
GUJARAT.
SHRI R.P. RAJPUT
FIREMAN
GUJARAT.

SHRI J.T. AHARI
JAMADAR
GUJARAT.

SHRI D.T. GADHAVI
JAMADAR
GUJARAT.

SHRI K. SHIVA KUMAR
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA.

SHRI P. GOVINDASWAMY
FIRE STATION OFFICER(TRG.)
KARNATAKA

SHRI U. SHIVASHARANA
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI SIDDALINGA RAJU
FIREMAN DRIVER-713
KARNATAKA

SHRI POOVAPPA S.
FIREMAN-227
KARNATAKA

SHRI T. MUSTHAFA
STATION OFFICER
KERALA.

SHRI B.S. KHOMDRAM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR.

SHRI CH. S. CHINGANGEAM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR.
SHRI RUMMAI KUMA
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI M.B. KARKI
DRIVER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI B.C. BASUMATARY
FIREFIGHTER
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI K.C. KANUNGO
DY. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI N.K. SINGH
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI T. PATRA
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA.

SHRI U.N. MALLIK
HAV. MAJ.
ORISSA.

SHRI S.K. BEHERA
FIREFIGHTER-680
ORISSA.

SHRI B. PONNUSAMY
STATION OFFICER
PONDICHERRY.

SHRI V.R. KALIAPERUMAL
STATION OFFICER
PONDICHERRY.
SHRI D.B. CHETTRI
ASSTT. DIRECTOR
SIKKIM.

SHRI PRAKASH RAJ
FIRE STATION OFFICER
SIKKIM.

SHRI P.T. BHUTIA
LEADING FIREMAN
SIKKIM.

SHRI K. BAKTHAVATHSALAM
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI D.N. VELAYUDHAN NAIR
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI S. GNANASUNDARAM
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI S. KALIAPERUMAL
F.DR-2788
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI P. MANOHARAN
FIREMAN-2965
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI MAQBOOL HUSAIN
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI V.P. PANDEY
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI RAM SINGH
DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH.
SHRI T.K. BASU
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI R.C. CHAKRABORTY
MOBILISING OFFICER
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI N.M. KHAN
SUB OFFICER
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI R.P. MUKHERJEE
LEADER-167
WEST BENGAL.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the grant of President's Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NEW DELHI, the 26th January, 2005

No. 11 –Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

SHRI HARI KRISHAN,
FIREMAN NO. 493-J,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 9.7.2004 at 07.50 hrs a call was received at Gandhi Nagar Fire Station about some civilians trapped by the flash floods in river Tavi under old Tavi Bridge. The fire crews from the fire station rushed to the spot. On arrival it was noticed that three persons were being swept away in the strong currents of down stream. The distressed three persons were miserably struggling for their life. Nobody in the crowd could dare to step out for rescue of the victims. Shri Hari Krishan, Fireman with the help of rope tied around his waist ventured into the river twice risking his own life. Keeping absolute control and skill, he managed to pull out two men and a one woman safely.

2. Fireman, Hari Krishan, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry is awarded under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 09.07.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 19 फरवरी, 2005 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग 1 खंड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2005

SIO 11/2005 राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस, 2005 के अवसर पर निर्माणस्थल अधिकारी को
उच्चाकी वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिवादन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री हरि कृष्ण फायर मैन नं 493-जे,
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसको लिए अवार्ड दिया गया

दिनांक 9.7.2004 को प्रात: 7 बजकर 50 मिनट पर फायर स्टेशन, गांधीनगर, फायर स्टेशन जम्मू पर सूचना मिली कि कुछ लोग पुराने तबी पुल के नीचे, नदी में आई बाढ़ की चपेट में आ गए हैं। सूचना पाते ही फायर स्टेशन कमरी दल घटना स्थल के लिए रवाना हो गये। कई पहुंचने पर उन्होंने पाया कि तीन व्यक्ति पानी के बहाव में तेजी से बहे जा रहे हैं। तीनों व्यक्ति जीवन बचाने के लिए संघर्ष कर रहे थे। नींद में से कोई भी व्यक्ति उनको बचाने का साधन नहीं जुटा पा रहा था। फिर भी अपनी जान को जोखिम में डाल कर श्री हरि कृष्ण कमर में रस्ती से दो बार नदी में कूदे और रिश्ता पर नियंत्रण रखते हुए कई संघर्ष के बाद दो पुरुषों और एक महिला को सुरक्षित बचाया गया था।

2. इस प्रकार फायरमैन श्री हरि कृष्ण ने उल्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय साहस, व्यक्तिगत विशेषज्ञता और कल्याण के प्रति उच्च कोटि की मिश्चा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिवादन सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(र) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणामत: तारीख 09.07.2004 से नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता इसके साथ देय है।

(वरिष्ठ मिश्चा)
निदेशक
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2005

No. 13 –Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

SHRI GHULAM MOHAMMAD MIR,
LEADING FIREFRAN NO. 540,
JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 10.11.2003 at 1810 hrs a call was received at Fire Station Bandipora about a fire accident in the house. Immediately, the fire crews of Fire Station Bandipora rushed to the spot. On arrival it was noticed that the fire had taken place consequent upon the cross fire between militants and security forces. The fire crews launched a penetrative attack to curtail the spread of fire and save the surrounding property. Shri Ghulam Mohammad Mir, Leading Fireman used all wits at his command and heard the moaning sound of a human being from a partially shattered dark room of burning house full of smoke and obnoxious gases. Immediately he ran towards the direction inviting attention of others with total disregard to his life. In the deafening sound of grenade explosions and shower of bullets he reached as near as possible to the entrapped victim and succeeded in rescue of 70 years old lady who had lost all hopes of survival. In the act Sh. Ghulam Mohammad Mir, Leading Fireman also suffered a number of bruises on his body.

2. Leading Fireman, Ghulam Mohammad Mir, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry is awarded under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 10.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2005

संधि 13–प्रेष/ 2005 राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस, 2005 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को सरकारी वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमण सेवा पदक सार्वजनिक प्रदान करते हैं—

श्री गुलाम मोहम्मद गीर
लीडिंग फायर मेंन नं 540
जम्मू और कश्मीर फायर सर्विस

देशा का विवरण जिसके लिए अवार्ड दिया गया

दिनांक 10.11.2003 को शाम 6 बजकर 10 घंटे पर बादशहीरा फायर स्टेशन पर एक गणतंत्र में आग लगने की सूचना मिली। तुरंत ही बादशहीरा फायर स्टेशन के कमरी डल घटना 

प्रति पहुंची। उन्होंने निर्देशित कि आग आतकवादियों और सुरक्षा बलों के बीच 

कौशलों के कारण लगी है। कार्य कमिशन ने आग से आंशिक पारस की समयता को नम्बर 

होने से बचाने के लिए कार्यवाही शुरू कर दी। श्री गुलाम मोहम्मद गीर, लीडिंग फायर मेंन ने 

उस तनावपूर्ण क्षण में भी अपनी शक्ति का प्रयोग करते हुए एक अर्थ–जले अंधकारमय कमरे 

किसी के करार ने की आवाज महसूस की। कमरा धुंध और खतरनाक गैसों से भरा हुआ था 

अपनी जान के परवाह न करते हुए वह तुरंत अपने साथियों का ध्यान आकर्षित करते हुए 

आवाज की दिशा में भागा। ऐसा लग रहा था कि उस औरत ने अपने बचने की सारी बाधाओं 

पीड़ा दी थी। दिल दहला देने वाली बमवारी और गोलियाँ की बौछार के बीच वह तुरंत आग 

भी घनी औरत के पास पहुँच और उस 70 वर्षीय महिला को जिन्दा बाहर निकालने में कामयाब 

हो गया। इस पूरे बचाव कार्य में श्री गुलाम मोहम्मद गीर, लीडिंग फायरमैन चार्यल भी हो गए।

2. इस प्रकार लीडिंग फायरमैन, श्री गुलाम मोहम्मद मीर ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अनुकरणीय 

राहस्य व्यावसायिक विशेषज्ञता और कल्यात्मक व उत्तम कोटि की निधिया का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. वह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमण सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी 

राहस्य करते वाले नियमों के नियम अंतों के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिष्कारता—

प्रथम निवेदन

निवेदक
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2005

No. 12 –Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

SHRI B. N. DAS,
FIREMAN NO. 754,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 10.10.2003 a call was received at Cuttack Fire Station about accident in the river Kathajodi in which a person was in the grip of river current. Immediately, the crew members under the charge of Assistant Fire Officer, G.G. Pattnaik of the Cuttack Fire Station rushed to the spot. On arrival it was noticed that a woman was being swept away in the strong current of down stream. The distressed woman was miserably struggling for her life. Nobody in the crowd could dare to step out for rescue of the victim. Sh. B. N. Das, Fireman No. 754 alongwith one of his colleagues ventured into the river risking his own life. Keeping absolute control and skill, he alongwith other co-rescuer managed to approach woman and caught hold of her hands. A slight mistake could have cost him of his life. However, with minimum time, the victim was brought safely to the river bank.

2. Fireman, B. N. Das, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. Fire Service Medal for Gallantry is awarded under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 10.10.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
भाग I खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2005

सं 12 - प्रेज/ 2005 राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस, 2005 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को
उसकी दीपिका के लिए अभिनववाद सेवा पदक साधन प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री बी० एन० दास,
फायरमैन सं 754
उडीसा फायर सर्विस

सेवा का निर्वाचन जिसके लिए अवार्ड दिया गया

दिनांक 10.10.2003 को कटक फायर रेस्टेशन पर सूचना मिली कि काटलोड़ी नदी में
एक भांगित पानी के रेज बहाव की चपेट में आ गया है। तुरंत ही सहायक अभिनववाद
अधिकारी, जी० जी० पटनायक के नेतृत्व में कटक फायर रेस्टेशन का एक राहत घटना स्थल के
लिए सैलाना हुआ। उन्होंने पहुंचने पर उत्सुक पाया कि एक महिला पानी में बही जा रही है।
उस घटना में अपने जीवन को बचाने के लिए संघर्ष कर रही थी। बीड में से कोई भी
प्रभावित इस महिला की बचाव के लिए साधन नहीं जुटा पा रहा था। श्री बी० एन० दास, फायरमैन
सं 754 साहस करके अपने साथी के साथ नदी में कूद पड़े। उन्होंने उपर पूरी तरह नियंत्रण
रखते हुए और कई संघर्ष के बाद वह महिला को पास पहुंच गए और उसके हाथों को पकड़
लिया। छोटी-सी गलती भी उनके लिए जान लेता हो सकती थी। फिर भी उन्होंने कम समय
में श्री बी० एन० दास उस महिला को जिन्दा बाहर निकालने में कामयाब हो गए।

2. इस प्रकार फायरमैन, श्री बी० एन० दास ने उत्कृष्ट दीर्घा, अनुकूलनीय संस्थाएं,
अभिनववादित विशेषज्ञों और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की भिष्टा का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार दीर्घा के लिए अभिनववाद सेवा पदक प्रदान करने संबंधी संचालित करने
के लिए नियम 3(४) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है तथा परिणाम संस्करण : तारीख 10.10.2003
के नियम ५(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष महत्त्व इसके साथ देय है।

(निर्देशक)
(वर्मण मित्रा)
निर्देशक
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2005

No. 14 –Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officer:

SHRI B. B. NAYAK,
FIREMAN NO. 1425,
ORISSA FIRE SERVICE

Statement of Services for which the decoration has been awarded:

On 10.10.2003 a call was received at Cuttack Fire Station about accident in the river Kathajodi in which a person was in the grip of river current. Immediately, the crew members under the charge of Assistant Fire Officer, G.G. Pattnaik of the Cuttack Fire Station rushed to the spot. On arrival it was noticed that a woman was being swept away in the strong current of downstream. The distressed woman was miserably struggling for her life. Nobody in the crowd could dare to step out for rescue of the victim. Sh. B. B. Nayak, Fireman No. 1425 along with one of his colleagues ventured into the river risking his own life. Keeping absolute control and skill, he along with other co-rescuer managed to approach woman and caught hold of her hands. A slight mistake could have cost him of his life. However, with minimum time, the victim was brought safely to the river bank.

2. Fireman, B.B. Nayak, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. Fire Service Medal for Gallantry is awarded under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 10.10.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2005

राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस, 2005 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उसकी वीरता के लिए अभिनम्न सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:

श्री वी० न० नायक,
फायरमैन सं० 1425
उड़ीसा फायर सर्विस

सेवा का विवरण जिसके लिए अवार्ड दिया गया

दिनांक 10.10.2003 को कटक फायर स्टेशन पर सूचना मिली कि काठजोरी नदी में एक व्यक्ति महिला के लेज बहाव की घटना में आ गया है। तुरंत ही सहायक अभियोजन अधिकारी, जैन जी नौकरों के नेतृत्व में कटक फायर स्टेशन का एक दल घटना स्थल के स्थान पर चला गया। वहां पहुंचने पर उन्होंने पाया कि एक महिला पानी में बही जा रही है। महिला घायल हो गई। अपने जीवन को बचाने के लिए संघर्ष कर रही थी। गृह में शी नेक भी व्यक्ति उस महिला को बचाने का साहस नहीं जुटा पा रहा था। श्री वी० न० नायक, कार्यालय सं० 1425 साहस करके अपने साथी के साथ नदी में कूद पहुँचे। अपने उपर पूरी तरह निर्यातण रखते हुए और कड़े संघर्ष के बाद वह महिला के पास पहुंच गए और उसके हाथों को पकड़ लिया। छोटी-छोटी गलती भी उनके लिए फायर लेबर ही सकती थी। फिर भी वे कम से कम समय में श्री वी० न० नायक, फायरमैन ने उस महिला को जिंदा बाहर निकालने में कामगार हो गये।

2. इस प्रकार कार्यालय, श्री वी० न० नायक ने उल्लक्षित वीरता, अनुकूल रूप साहस, अभियोजक निरोधज्ञाता और कर्तव्य के प्रति उच्च कोटि की निधि का प्रदर्शन किया।

3. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनम्न सेवा पदक प्रदान करने का संबंध है। इसके अलावा निम्नलिखित निर्देश देंगे:

[निर्देश]

(निर्देश निदेशक)

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No. 2-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2005 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI G. A. BHAT,
DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI M. S. BARAL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

2. This award is made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2005

राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस 2005 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनके विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिभावक सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री जीन एस. बद्र
असिस्टेंट जज
जम्मू और कश्मीर

श्री एम.एस. बराल
केंद्रीय स्कूल जेटली
उड़ीसा

2. पुरस्कार राष्ट्रपति का अभिभावक सेवा पदक प्रदान करने को संचालित करने वाले नियम 3 (ii) के तहत प्रदान किए जाते हैं।

(वरुण मित्रा)
निदेशक
No. 3-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2005 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI MUDADLA CHANDRI NAIDU,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI SYED MURTHUZA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI K. NARSAIAH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI I. NEOG,
STATION OFFICER,
ASSAM.

SHRI B. CHAKRABORTY,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI K. S. VATS,
STATION OFFICER,
DELHI.

SHRI HARKESH SINGH,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 493,
DELHI.

SHRI BALAM SINGH BISHT,
FIREMAN NO. 25/43,
DELHI.
SHRI MUNI LAL GAUTAM,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI T. S. BALOURIA,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI V. K. SADHU,
ASSTT. DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI M. A. DAR,
ASSTT. DIRECTOR,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI C. PESHAN,
STATION OFFICER,
JAMMU & KASHMIR.

SHRI SUDHIR KUMAR VERMA,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
JHARKHAND.

SHRI MAHADEVA PRASAD,
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI N. PUTTASWAMY,
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI MOHAMED ABDUL QAYUM,
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI B. A. MUNIKRISHNAPPA,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 554,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI L. V. VALYA NAIK,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 33,
KARNATAKA.
SHRI T. BALAN,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 3122,
KERALA.

SHRI K. M. PARAMAN,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 2144,
KERALA.

SHRI A. VASUDEVAN PILLAI,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 2239,
KERALA.

SHRI K. JANARDHANAN PILLAI,
FIREMAN DRIVER NO. 1218,
KERALA.

SHRI P. T. JOHN,
FIREMAN NO. 2499,
KERALA.

SHRI M. G. FUNDE,
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI K. C. KESHI,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI P. C. PARIDA,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI S. S. MOHAPATRA,
ASS'TT. STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI N. H. BARIK,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI J. BEHERA,
DRIVER HAVILDAR,
ORISSA.
SHRI D. R. CHETTRI,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
SIKKIM.

SHRI N. SAMUVEI
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI D. VENKATESAN,
STATION OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI T. V. NARAYANAN,
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 3202,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI P. JAYAPAL,
DRIVER MECHANIC NO. 2602,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI K. EKANTHAN,
FIREMAN DRIVER NO. 2715,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI S. MOHAMED KHAN,
FIREMAN NO. 2918,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI A. B. PANDEY,
FIRE STATION OFFICER,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI NAGENDRA BAHADUR SINGH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI DEVENDRA KUMAR SINGH,
FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI DEVENDRA PANDEY,
FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH.
2. This award is made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2005

No. 115-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

Shri Anil Chudaman Mahajan,
Chief Fire Officer,
Nashik,
Maharashtra

On 21st February, 2004 at 0645 hours a call was received at Nashik Fire Station informing that a leopard has entered the premises of Hotel Rasoi at Nashik.

Immediately Shri Anil Chudaman Mahajan, Chief Fire Officer along with his staff rushed to the spot. On arrival Shri Anil Chudaman Mahajan, Chief Fire Officer, noticed that a leopard after straying in the forest entered into the hotel building and got entangled in the mosquito net with its front leg trapped between the doorframe and shutter. Senior officers present at the site were planning to trap the leopard alive for this purpose a tranquillizer gun and cage were asked for. All of a sudden the leopard succeeded to escape from trapped position and came out of the hotel premises. Sensing danger to the people in the vicinity Shri Anil Chudaman Mahajan and his fire staff planned to trap the leopard under a nylon net. Shri Hemant Dalvi, a volunteer and Shri Mahesh Singh, a cook in the hotel also joined the team. When Shri Mahajan with his team was trying to trap the leopard, Shri Hemant and Shri Mahesh were caught by the leopard and were wounded. With total disregard to his own safety Sh. Mahajan grappled with the leopard bare handed and inspite of grave injuries on his body he managed to save the life of Shri Hemant Dalvi and Shri Mahesh Singh.

Shri Anil Chudaman Mahajan thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 21.2.2004.

(Dr. Sun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
राष्ट्रीय सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

भाषा: 115 फेम/2005- राष्ट्रीय, निमालिखित अभियांत्रिकीयों को उनकी बीतता के लिए राष्ट्रीय केन्द्र अभियांत्रिकी सेवा पर नाम्नर प्रदान करते हैं :

श्री आनंद चुडामणि महाजन,
पुज्य अभियांत्रिकी अधिकारी,
नाथसेन,
महामाता।

ध्वनिक 21 फरवरी, 2004 को 06 बजकर 45 मिनट पर नाथसेन अभियांत्रिकी केन्द्र में सुनना मिलेगा। होटल गर्डन, नाइडुः नगर में एक नीचे घुस गया है।

मुख्य अभियांत्रिकी अधिकारी श्री आनंद चुडामणि महाजन अपने स्टाफ सहित तत्कालीन मटरा व्यवस्थापन पर रखना है।

भारत में पुज्य अभियांत्रिकी अधिकारी ने जाने वाली बातों को जिन्दा पकड़ने की वजह से योजना बना रहे थे, इस शोधन हेतु एक बेहतरीन बनाने का तेजी और विश्वास गणनावादी गया। अनानंद चुडामणि संस्थापक स्थान व बनाए रखने में सफल रहे थे और होटल बाहर आ गया। आय-पैसे के दोनों के लिए उत्पन्न उत्तरदाय अभियांत्रिकी सेवा के लिए उत्पन्न उत्तरदाय का आयात करते हुए श्री आनंद चुडामणि महाजन और उनके अभियांत्रिकी स्टाफ ने नीति के निर्धारण के लिए भरोसे रहे थे। बाएं में से, एक महत्वपूर्ण अभियांत्रिकी का एक रोल था। उन्होंने देखा कि ताकि यह अभियांत्रिकी श्री रेस्तोरां में हाप हो जाए तो नीति में निहार गए और ऊपरी गर्डन बनाने के वाले के कारण वे रेस्तोरां में सफल हो गए।

श्री आनंद चुडामणि महाजन ने उल्लेख की, थिय साहस, पक्षी, व्यवसायिक कुशलता और उन्नत ब्रिटिश की कर्तव्य निम्नलिखित प्रदर्शन किया।

वह पुरस्कार दीवार के लिए अभियांत्रिकी सेवा के पुरस्कार को स्वीकार करने वाले निम्नलिखित के लिए 21.2.2004 के नियम 5(क) के तहत समावेश किया है और गर्डनामत: ध्वनिक 21.2.2004 एवं नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुसंधान किया है।

(अध्यात्मिक)
निवेदक
No. 116-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer :

Shri Padma Nava Behera
Fireman No. 1714
Orissa

On 16th June, 2004 at 0510 hours a call was received at Cuttack Fire Station informing that two persons were drowning in the strong current of Kathajodi river, Cuttack.

Immediately Shri Padmanava Behera, a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival at the bank of the river he noticed that Shri Ranjan Pradhan and Shri Kalia Moharana were being swept away in the strong current of the river. Both of them were miserably struggling for their life. In the crowded viewers, no body could dare to step out for rescue of victims. Realising danger to their lives, Shri Padma Nava Behera, Fireman and Shri Bibekananda Das, Fireman, maintaining absolute control and skill, ventured into the fast flowing river. They managed to get hold of the arms of both the victims and after struggling in the strong currents of the river succeeded in bringing Shri Ranjan Pradhan and Shri Kalia Moharana safely out of the river.

Shri Padma Nava Behera thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 16.6.2004.

(Baran Mitra)
DIRECTOR
भाग-1, खण्ड-1 में प्रकाशनाधि

राष्ट्रपति निविधान

अधिश्चुना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

सं- 116 प्रेम/2005- राष्ट्रपति, निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी वीरता के लिए अभिशापन सेन्ट पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करता हूँ:

श्री पवन नाया बेहसरा
फायरवेज सं.1714
उद्धरण

मिनार 16.06.2004 को 05 बजकर 10 मिनट पर कटक अभिशापन केंद्र में दूरपान पर सूचक मिली कि वे अभियुक्त काठोड़ी नदी, कटक के तेज़ बहाव में द्वृत रहे थे।

अभिशापन केंद्र का एक स्टाफ सदस्य विधि पवन नाया बेहसरा तत्काल घटना स्थल की ओर उतरा। नदी के तट पर पहुँचने पर उसने देखा कि वे रंगन प्रथान और वीरता की मोहराना नदी के बहाव में बहे जा रहे थे। वे अपने पीढ़ी की बचाव के लिए बुरी तरह संघर्ष कर रहे थे। दरिया की धीरे में से कोई भी पीढ़ी की बचाव का आदेश नहीं जुटा था।

यह भी था कि वे किसी भी पीढ़ी को बचाने का आदेश नहीं
जुटा था। वह आपको खुद नहीं चाहते हैं। वे श्री पवन नाया बेहसरा, वाहिनी और वीकेंट्र दास, पामी-पूरे के राजन और सूर्य-बूढ़ के साथ तेज़ बहाव कर नदी में दूर पड़े। पैरा पीढ़ी को बचाने का आदेश नहीं आया और नदी के तेज़ बहाव की चीरते हुए श्री रंगन प्रथान और वीरता की मोहराना को सुरक्षित रखने में सफल हुए।

अतः श्री पवन नाया बेहसरा ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्भुत साहस, प्रतिकूल स्थितियों में अल्प समय में शरीर के बचाव की कार्यवाही को प्रदर्शन किया।

यह पुरस्कार, वीरता के लिए अभिशापन सेन्ट पदक पुरस्कार को शास्त्रिए करने वाले नियमों के अनुसार 3(1) के
कहता रहना दिया जाता है और परिणाम: मिनार 16.6.2004 के नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भाना उसके साथ
लिया है।

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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2005

No. 117-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

Sri Bibekananda Das, Fireman No. 754, Cuttack.

On 16th June, 2004 at 0510 hours a call was received at Cuttack Fire Station informing that two persons were drowning in the strong current of Kathajodi river, Cuttack.

Immediately Sri Bibekananda Das, a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival at the bank of the river he noticed that Shri Ranjan Pradhan and Shri Kalia Moharana were being swept away in the strong current of the river. Both of them were miserably struggling for their life. In the crowded viewers, nobody could dare to step out for rescue of victims. Realising danger to their lives, Sri Bibekananda Das, Fireman and Shri Padma Nava Behera, Fireman, maintaining absolute control and skill, ventured into the fast flowing river. They managed to get hold of the arms of both the victims and after struggling in the strong currents of the river succeeded in bringing Shri Ranjan Pradhan and Shri Kalia Moharana safely out of the river.

Sri Bibekananda Das thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 16.6.2004.

(Barun Mitra),
DIRECTOR
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

प्रेम/2005- राष्ट्रपति, निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी वीरता के लिए अनिश्चित संख्या पदक सहर्ष सम्मान दी जाती हैः

श्री विशेकनन्द दारा,
फायरमैन संख्या 754,
रक्षा।

दिनांक 16.06.2004 को 0510 बजे कटक अनिश्चित संख्या में दुर्घटना पर सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि वे व्यापक बकरार में दूब रहे हैं।

अनिश्चित संख्या के दल के सदस्य श्री विशेकनन्द दारा तत्काल ही घटना स्थल की ओर गए। नदी के किनारे पर गई जानकारी उन्होंने देखा कि श्री रंजन प्रभाकर और श्री कलिबान गोहराना, नदी के तेज़ बहाव में बह गए थे। वे चेतनासूना अपना आप करने के लिए दुरी तक संचरण कर रहे थे। दवाओं की भीड़ में से किसी ने भी पहिले को बचाने का साधन नहीं किया। नक्षत्र पत्थरों की गलती से वे बाधित और तेज़ बहाव में कुद गए। वे चेतनासूना पहिले को बचाने की कोशिश करने में विस्फोट हुआ।

श्री विशेकनन्द दारा ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्भुत साहस, नेरुत्तम, व्यवसायिक कुशलता और उन्नत कॉमर्सीय विभागों का प्रदर्शन किया।

का पुरस्कार, वीरता के लिए अनिश्चित संख्या पदक पुरस्कार को श्रेय दिया गया और परिणाम : दिनांक 16.6.2004 से नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमेरिक विशेष पदक इसके आधार पर दिया गया।

(वर्तमान निदेशक)

निदेशक
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2005

No. 118-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer :-

Shri Pratap Kumar Singh,
Fireman 1341,
Orissa.

On 30th August, 2004 at 1655 hours a call was received at Dhenkanal Fire Station informing that a lady has fallen inside a well at village Gudianalli.

Immediately Shri Pratap Kumar Singh, Fireman, a crew member of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival he noticed that Smt. Pushpanjali Behera, aged about 35 years, had fallen into a well and was struggling for survival. The well was very narrow and none of the persons in the vicinity dared to enter the well to rescue her. Without regard to his personal safety, Shri Pratap Kumar Singh, Fireman, entered into the well with the help of a improvised rope ladder. He, then secured Smt. Pushpanjali Behera with his legs both of them were pulled out by the other members of the fire crew safely.

Shri Pratap Kumar Singh thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 30.8.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

संवत 158 प्रम/2005- राष्ट्रपति, निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को उनकी चिरता के लिए अभिमान रूप से गहरे श्रद्धांजलि जताने का अहम निर्देश दे रहे हैं :-

श्री प्रताप कुमार सिंह,
फायरमैन 1341,
उड़ीसा।

दिनांक 30 अगस्त, 2004 को 1655 वर्ग फेनकाल अभिमान केंद्र में दूरभाष पर सुनना प्राप्त हई कि गांव मुंडियाबाग के में एक महिला कुंए में पिघल गई है।

आग्नेय शासन केंद्र के दल के सदस्य श्री प्रताप कुमार सिंह, फायरमैन तत्काल ही घटना स्थल की ओर गए। वहां पहुंचने पर उन्होंने देखा कि श्रीभ्रती पुष्पांजली बेहरा, आदु लगभग 35 वर्ष, एक कुंए में पिघल गई थीं और वह अपना अभिमान लायक के लिए सांस लेने को बच गई थी। कुंए बहुत संतत्त था और आस-पास के ज्योतिर्लिंगों में से किसी ने भी कुंए के आंदोलकर उनसे बचने का साहस नहीं किया। श्री प्रताप कुंएर सिंह, फायरमैन अपनी सुरक्षा की परताह किए निर्या रस्सी की आश्विन संधी के सहारे कुंए में उतर गए। तब उन्होंने भ्रती पुष्पांजली बेहरा को अपनी हाथों फ़ाटाल कर उसे सुरक्षित बाहर खींच लिया।

श्री प्रताप श्री प्रताप कुमार सिंह ने उत्कृष्ट चीरता, अद्वैत साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यक्तिक कुशलता और उच्च कोठी की गोरत-गन्ध का प्रदर्शन किया।

वे पुरकार, चीरता के लिए अभिमान सेवा पुरस्कार को,शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(1) के तहत अनुसार विशेष भवन घटा इसके कारण भेजा जा रहा है और प्रशासन:दिनांक30.08.2004से नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भवन घटा इसके कारण भेजा जा रहा है।

मेंदौरक
No. 119-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:

Shri Kanhu Charan Swain,
Fireman 268,
Orissa.

On 14th August, 2004 at 0640 hours a call was received at Athagarh Fire Station informing that a lady has fallen inside a deep well at village Khuntakata, Cuttack.

Immediately Shri Kanhu Charan Swain, Fireman, a crewmember of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival he found that Smt. Nami Behera had fallen into a well, which was in a dilapidated condition. None of the persons in the vicinity was ready to enter the well to rescue her. Shri Kanhu Charan Swain, Fireman without regard to his life, descended into the well with the help of improvised ladder rope and observed that Smt. Nami Behera was in unconscious state and was leaning against the wall of the well. After protracted efforts and using his fireman skills of a high order, Shri Swain managed to tie her onto his shoulders and both of them were pulled out by the other members of the fire crew. Shri Swain sustained injuries to his head.

Shri Kanhu Charan Swain thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 14.8.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
सं.- 119/रज.2005- राष्ट्रपति, निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी जीवनता के लिए अभिनयण सेवा पदक सहर्ष
प्रदान करते हैं:

श्री कांतू हर्षण स्वेन,
फायरस्मैन 268,
उड़ीसा।

कि एक दिन, 14 अगस्त, 2004 को 0640 को अधिकारी अभिनयण केंद्र में दूरभाष पर दूरभाष प्राप्त हुई कि गांव
कुझादेही, जिले में एक महिला गांव बेड़े में गिर गई है।

अभिनयण केंद्र के दल के सदस्य श्री कांतू हर्षण स्वेन, फायरस्मैन तलायल हो फटना स्थल की ओर गए। वहाँ
गईंगं में उन्हें देखा कि श्रीमती नामी बेड़ेसा एक कुंए में गिर गई थी जो कि जरूर झाला नहीं था। उन्होंने पाए के
उनकी और उन्हें देखा जिन्होंने तव सीधी के बनाए के लिए कुंए के अन्तर जाने की तैयारियों थे। श्री कांतू हर्षण स्वेन, फायरस्मैन,
उनकी नौकरी की परंपरा किए। वह रस्सी की किस्मतियों के सहारे कुंए में उतर गए और उन्हें देखा उन्हें देखा कि श्रीमती नामी
रोगी रोगी थी उनकी और कुंए की दीवार के साथ झुकी हुई थी। सहारा प्रमाणों और अपने फायरस्मैन के उद्व की वा का प्रमाण
करके श्री कांतू हर्षण स्वेन ने महिला को अपने कण्ठों पर भांप लिया और अभिनयण दल के अन्य सदस्यों ने उन दोनों के कुंए से
काट किया जाना। ऐसा कार्य में श्री स्वेन के दल के लोगों ने समय आई।

श्री कांतू हर्षण स्वेन ने उनके सर्जना, उनके साहित्य, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक कुशलता और उन कोटि
और उनका निधन का प्रदर्शन किया।

श्री पुर्बकांत, बोर्डरके लिए अभिनयण सेवा पदक पुर्बकांत ने शासित करने वाले परियों एक नियम 3(1) के
के कारण उनका निधन जाना हूँ और परिणाम-दिनांक 14.08.2004 से नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष पत्रा इसके
गलत दिन होगा।

(वर्मण भिला)
निर्देशक
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2005

No. 121-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

Shri Surendra Singh
Fire Service Driver
Uttar Pradesh

On 27th November, 2003 at 0205 hours a call was received through Police Control Room informing that a TATA Sumo carrying 12 passengers had collided with the railing of a bridge and plunged into the Ganga Canal near Jani Khurd, Meerut.

Immediately Shri Surendra Singh, Fire Service Driver, a crewmember of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival he noticed that 12 passengers traveling in Tata Sumo were struggling for survival in the Ganga canal. Due to cold weather, the area was covered with dense fog and visibility was extremely poor. Without disregard to his personal safety, Shri Surendra Singh descended into Ganga Canal with the help of a fire brigade ladder, he then swam a long distance to reach the victims after struggling in the cold water of the canal, succeeded in rescuing seven persons from the Canal.

Shri Surendra Singh thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
नई दिल्ली, वित्तांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

भाग-1, ब्लैक-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रीय सचिवालय
अधियूक्त

सं/121 पेंज/2005- राष्ट्रीय, निमंत्रित अधिकारियों को उनकी बीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहयोग प्रदान करते हैं:

श्री सुरेंद्र सिंह,
फायरमैन,
उत्तर प्रदेश।

प्रतिवेदन 27 नवम्बर, 2003 को 0205 बजे पुलिस निर्माण कक्ष से दूरभाष पर सुनना प्राप्त हुई कि 12 युग्मियों को लेकर जा एक टाटा गूंजो; जानी खुदी, मेरठ के समय एक पूल की रेतिंग से टकराकर गंगा नहर में गिर गई है।

अभिय सामन के दल के सदस्य श्री सुरेंद्र सिंह, चालक, अभिय सेवा तत्काल ही घटना स्थल की ओर भागने पहुँचे पर उन्होंने देखा कि टाटा गूंजो में गङ्गा कर रहे 12 युग्मियों गंगा नहर में अपने बनवाने के लिए समय कर रहे थे। उन्हें मौसम के कारण पूरा क्षेत्र चमकते होते हैं तथा बहुत कम दिखाई दे रहा था। श्री सुरेंद्र सिंह, आंध्र प्रदेश की प्रविद्धता के लिए किना अभिय सेवा शंकी के सहायता गंगा नहर में उत्तर गए, तब वे नहर के ठंडे पानी में बड़ी कठिनाइंग से, बहुत दूर तक तीर कर कीड़ों तक पहुँचे और नहर से सात व्यक्तियों को बनाने में सफल हुए।

इस प्रकार श्री सुरेंद्र सिंह ने उत्कृष्ट बीरता, आदर्श साहस, नेतृत्व, वायुसामग्रिक कुशलता और उच्च कोटि की वैभव-विस्फोट के प्रदर्शन किया।

यह पुरस्कार, बीरता के लिए अभिय सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(i) के अनुसार प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणाम-पद्धति 27.11.2003 से नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमोदित विशेष भवन इसके अधीन लागू है।

श्री सुरेंद्र सिंह
फायरमैन
उत्तर प्रदेश।

(संयोजक)

(वर्धिण विरवाला)
निदेशक
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2005

No. 120-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

Shri Kanwar Pal,
Fireman,
Uttar Pradesh.

On 27th November, 2003 at 0205 hours a call was received through Police Control Room informing that a TATA Sumo carrying 12 passengers had collided with the railing of a bridge and plunged into the Ganga Canal near Jani Khurd, Meerut.

Immediately Shri Kanwar Pal, Fireman, a crewmember of the Fire Station, rushed to the spot. On arrival he noticed that 12 passengers traveling in Tata Sumo were struggling for survival in the Ganga canal. Due to cold weather, the area was covered with dense fog and visibility was extremely poor. Without disregard to his personal safety, Shri Kanwar Pal descended into Ganga Canal with the help of a fire brigade ladder, he then swam a long distance to reach the victims after struggling in the cold water of the canal, succeeded in rescuing five persons from the Canal.

Shri Kanwar Pal thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27.11.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
DIRECTOR
भाग-1, खण्ड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अभी आर्यना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2005

सं.-120 ग्रन्थ/2005-राष्ट्रपति, निम्नलिखित ऑफिसर को उनकी वीरता के लिए अभिव्यक्ति सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:

श्री कंवर पाल,
फायरसेवन,
उत्तर प्रदेश।

दिनांक 27 जुलाई, 2003 को 0205 बजे पुलिस नियंत्रण कक्ष से दूरभाष पर सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि 12 आगियों को जा रहे एक ट्रांस्फर युवा: जानी खुर्द, मेरठ के समीप एक गुलामी रेलिंग से टकराकर गंगा नहर में गिर गई है।

ऑफिसर शामन कुमार के दल के मदद से श्री कंवर पाल भावरैत तलाल ही घटना स्थल की ओर गए। वहां पहुंचने और उनके हाथ का उपयोग करके उनके कोर्ट घोर झटके छोड़ दिया था और बहुत का दिखाई दे रहा था। श्री कंवर पाल, अपनी सुरक्षा की परवाह के बिना ऑफिसर गांधी के सहारे गंगा नहर में उतर गए। तब वे नहर के उंगली पानी में बड़ी कठिनाई से, बादल पूरे तक पकड़ गई बालूओं का पूरा और नहर से पाँच व्यक्तियों को नाना से सफाई करते।

इस प्रकार श्री कंवर पाल ने उल्लू की रूबाता, आर्टिकल, नेटल, वैनकारक कुशलता और 15-15 कोट की व्य-विकास के प्रमोक्ष कार्य।

वह पुरस्कार ग्रहण के लिए अभिव्यक्ति सेवा पदक पुरस्कृत करने वाले निम्नलिखित के लिए 311 के तहत पुरस्कार उनके हाथ में लिखा है और परिसंचारि:दिनांक 27.11 '003 से निम्नम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमूल्य विशेष भवन इसके

(सरकार ग्रंथ)
निर्देशक
New Delhi, the 15th August 2005

No.107-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2005 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI GURU GOVINDA PATTANAIK,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI SWAPNE SWAR SAMAL,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI BIMAL KRUSHNA MOHAPATRA,
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI KRUSHNA CHANDRA DASH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI TRINITE JAMES,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
PONDICHERRY.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August 2005

No.108-Pres/2005 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2005 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI MEDASETTY SIMHACHALAM,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI BETHALA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA MURTHY,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI PATHVIDA SATYANARYANA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI BERAM NAGESWARA RAO,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI MUDUNURU SIVA RAMA RAJU,
FIREMAN,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI BUSI VENKATA RAMANA MURTHY,
STATION FIRE OFFICER,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

SHRI UDAKYUMAR SHANTILAL CHRISTIE,
DRIVER-CUM-PUMP OPERATOR,
GUJARAT.
SHRI BALVANTSINGH VIRSINGH JADAV,
FIREMAN,
GUJARAT.

SHRI KHUMANSINGH ABHESINGH CHAUHAN,
DRIVER-CUM-PUMP OPERATOR,
GUJARAT.

SHRI HITESHKUMAR JASHVANTSINH TAPARIA,
DEPUTY CHIEF OFFICER (FIRE),
GUJARAT.

SHRI MOHANAN KANNOTHUM KANDI,
LEADING FIREMAN-2473,
KERALA.

SHRI RAMACHANDRAN NAIR BALAKRISHNAN NAIR,
FIREMAN-2525,
KERALA.

SHRI MOHAMMED IQBAL AYAMON,
FIREMAN DRIVER-CUM-PUMP OPERATOR-1217,
KERALA.

SHRI SUDHAN CH SAHA,
LEADING FIREMAN,
MEGHALAYA.

SHRI JENAMANI RANJAN BIDHUSEKHAR,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI PRAKASH CHANDRA PANIGRAHI,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI SIBARAM PANIGRAHI,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI RANKA NIDHI SAHOO,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA,
SHRI GOLAK CHANDRA JENA,
ASSITANT STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI BHAGABAN SAMAL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI BAIKUNTHA NATH BHUYAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI SURENDRAM BISOI,
FIREMAN-300,
ORISSA.

SHRI SHISHIR KUMAR BHATTACHARJEE,
FIREMAN-565,
ORISSA.

SHRI ARJUN CHARAN BEHERA,
FIREMAN-813,
ORISSA.

SHRI RANGANATHAN BALAVELAN,
FIREMAN-54,
PONDICHERRY.

SHRI VEERANAN MADURAPANDIAN,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI RAMASAMY BALSAMI,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI NARASMIHAM JEEVANANDAM,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (COURSE),
TAMIL NADU.
SHRI KALIAPERUMAL SATHIAMOORTHY, ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI BEEMA ARJUNAN, STATION OFFICER, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI DURAI SAMY GOPAL, LEADING FIREMAN-3237, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI RAJAGOPAL MUTHUSAMY, DRIVER MECHANIC-2802, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI NANDHAN DAKSHINAMOORTHY, DRIVER MECHANIC-2819, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI BASHU ABDUL KALEEL, FIREMAN DRIVER-2851, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI KANAGASABAI AYYADURAI, FIREMAN DRIVER-2860, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI SAMIKANNU ADAIKALASAMY, FIREMAN-3007, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI KANNUSAMY POQMALAI, FIREMAN-3024, TAMIL NADU.

SHRI GOPAL KRISHNA BHATTACHARYA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, WEST BENGAL.

SHRI BIBHAS GUHA, DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
SHRI TUSHAR KUMAR PODDAR,
MOBILISING OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI MD. OSMAN,
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR-CUM-DRIVER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI BADAL CHANDRA SARKAR,
FIRE OPERATOR,
WEST BENGAL.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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DATED SATURDAY, THE 11th MARCH, 2006

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2006

No. 14-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers and Personnel of Delhi Fire Service :-

SHRI SURINDER KUMAR,
DEPUTY CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

SHRI AJAB SINGH BHATI,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI RAM KISHAN,
SUB OFFICER

SHRI VIJAYPAL SINGH KUNDU,
FIREMAN

SHRI DALBIR SINGH KHATRI,
FIREMAN

SHRI RAM PRAVESH ROHILLA,
FIREMAN

SHRI SUBHASH CHANDER,
FIREMAN

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A devastating fire broke out on 31st December, 2004 night in a wood godown located at A -117, W.H.S., Kirti Nagar, Lakkar Mandi, Delhi. Entire godown comprising of basement, ground and upper three floors were fully stocked with wooden furniture and huge stocks of chemicals including highly inflammable varnishes. The wind was moderately high and flames were leaping out from each floor in all directions through the window openings. On receipt of the fire call at 0528 hrs, Fire Service turned out with fire tenders under the command of Deputy Chief Fire Officer, Shri Surinder Kumar.

Apprehending the possibility of fire spreading in the other adjoining godowns, Shri Surinder Kumar, Deputy Chief Fire Officer decided to stop spreading of fire by spraying water to the surrounding of the affected building and simultaneously to att
the seat of fire for minimizing the intensity of heat generated. He formed a core group of 15-20 persons and broke open the shutter door of the building to gain access. On entering the godown, and while attacking the core area of fire, suddenly implosion took place resulting caving in of all super structure, trapping all the fire service personnel as mentioned above including Deputy Chief Fire Officer Ltn. Shri Surinder Kumar who were subsequently charred to death on the spot or succumbed to the injuries in hospital.

In this incident S/Shri Surinder Kumar, Deputy Chief Fire Officer, Ajab Singh Bhati, Assistant Divisional Officer, Ram Kishan, Sub-officer, Vijaypal Singh Kundu, Fireman, Dalbir Singh Khatri, Fireman, Ram Pravesh Rohilla, Fireman and Subhash Chander, Fireman, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order for the safety of life and properties of the citizens ignoring their own safety.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 31.12.2004.

(Brun Mitra)
Director
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION 1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA
DATED SATURDAY, THE 11TH MARCH, 2006

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2006

No.15-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:–

SHRI RAMKISHAN,
DRIVER,
DELHI.

(POSTHUMOUS)

On fateful night of 4th March, 2005 at about 17.34 hrs, on receipt of a call about a fire in a LPG operated Maruti Van near Malai Mandir, Sector –8, R.K. Puram, New Delhi, Fire Service turned out and on reaching the spot started fire fighting operation. For the sake of convenience of fire fighting, Driver late Shri Ramkishan moved the fire tender within 10-12ft. away from the burning van. Suddenly the LPG cylinder contained in the car violently exploded causing severe injuries to Shri Ramkishan, Driver who later on succumbed to his injuries in the hospital.

Shri Ramkishan, Driver, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 04.03.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
Notification

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2006

No. 16-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI JASBIR SINGH
FIREMAN,
DELHI.

(POSTHUMOUS)

On fateful day of 10th September, 2004 at about 13.28 hrs on receipt of a fire call, Fire Service turned out to encounter a Jhuggi Jhopdi fire in the congested Bhim Nagar area, Nangloi, Delhi. The fire was spreading very fast in all directions endangering the nearby population and property. Late Shri Jasbir Singh, Fireman ignoring his personal safety entered into the endangered zone for fighting the fire to save life and property. While doing so, suddenly the overhead electrical transmission line collapsed and fell on him causing electrocution. Shri Jasbir Singh subsequently succumbed to injury in the hospital.

Shri Jasbir Singh, Fireman, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 10.09.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No.17-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers and Personnel of Delhi Fire Service:-

SHRI DHARAMPAL BHARDWAJ,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI DAL SINGH
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI PREM SINGH DAHIYA,
STATION OFFICER.

SHRI NARESH KUMAR,
FIREMAN

SHRI KRISHAN KUMAR,
FIREMAN

SHRI RAJESH MUDGIL,
FIREMAN

SHRI SURENDER KUMAR,
FIREFIGHTER

A devastating fire broke out on 31st December, 2004 night in a wood godown located at A –117, W.H.S., Kirti Nagar, Lakkar Mandi, Delhi. Entire godown comprising of basement ground and upper three floors were fully stocked with wooden furniture and hazardous chemicals including highly inflammable varnishes. The wind was moderately high and flames were leaping out through windows of each floor in all directions. On receipt of the fire call at 0528 hrs, Fire Service turned out with appropriate appliances under the command of Deputy Chief Fire Officer Shri Surinder Kumar.

The godown where the fire broke out was located in Kirti Nagar, Timber Market which had several other adjoining timber godowns containing similar highly flammable chemicals, wood, etc. The Deputy Chief Fire Officer thought it proper to
tackle the spread of fire simultaneously by spraying water to surrounding buildings, at the same time to attacking the seat of fire to minimize the intensity of heat generated. He formed a core group of 15-20 people and broke open the shutter of the building to gain access to the seat of fire. On entering the godown and while attacking the core area of fire, suddenly implosion took place causing complete collapse of and the whole super structure trapping all the fire service personnel as mentioned above who were subsequently rescued and hospitalized.

In this incident S/Shri Dharampal Bhardwaj, Assistant Divisional Officer, Dal Singh, Assistant Divisional Officer, Prem Singh Dahiya, Station Officer, Naresh Kumar, Fireman, Krishan Kumar, Fireman, Rajesh Mudgil, Fireman and Surender Kumarm, Fireman displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order for the safety of life and properties of the citizens ignoring their own safety.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 31.12.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2006

No.18-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer :-

SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR SWAIN,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

On 17.12. 2004 at about 00.05 hrs, on receipt of a fire call from a house at Kochilakana Sahi, Guruganga under Khurda Municipality, Fire Service crew of Khurda Fire Station under the leadership of Station Officer Shri Rabindra Kumar Swain rushed to the spot where a person was trapped in the burning building. Shri Swain ignoring his personal safety immediately entered the burning building without the help of fire protection suits and brought the trapped victim out to safety after sustaining severe burn injuries on his person.

Shri Rabindra Kumar Swain, Station Officer, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f 17.12.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 19-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI KAILASH CHANDRA PRADHAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

On 13.04.2005 at 20.30 hrs, on receipt of a rescue call, Fire Service from Cuttack Fire Station reached at village Kajalakana where two persons had fallen inside a 45ft. deep gas filled unused well. Leading Fireman, Shri Kailash Chandra Pradhan considering the gravity of situation attempted to blew away the poisonous gas by an improvised means using Table Fan and then jumped into the well to save the life of two person, ignoring his personal safety and successfully extricated both the victims while he himself became indisposed by inhaling obnoxious gases.

Shri Kailash Chandra Pradhan, Leading Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 13.04.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 20-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI BIKRAM KUMAR BEHERA,
FIREMAN 1572,
ORISSA.

On 12.04.05 at about 15.40 hrs, on receipt of a rescue call from Nuapatna, Chaandi Sahi, Tigiria. Fire crew of Tigiria Fire Station immediately turned out and on reaching the spot, found one person had fallen in a deep well. Shri Bikram Kumar Behera, Fireman – 1572 ignoring his personal safety, immediately entered the 20 ft. deep well with minimum oxygen supply, under scorching heat to rescue the victim. Due to poor supply of oxygen inside the well, Shri Behera started facing respiratory problem and was about to be choked. In spite of that Shri Behera lifted that trapped person on his shoulder and brought him out of the well safely before he was fainted and hospitalized.

Shri Bikram Kumar Behera, Fireman, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.04.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
No. 21-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers and Personnel of Tamil Nadu Fire Service:

SHRI THANGAIH DAVID VINCENT DEVADASS,
DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI SUBRAMANIYAM VENKATACHALAM,
FIREMAN 6789

SHRI VENKATACHALAM PALAGARA RAMASAMY,
FIREMAN 6124

On 18.02.05 at about 07.00 hrs., a call was received about of Ammonia Gas leakage in an ice factory at D.No. 3A Venkatappa Chetty Street, Shevapet, Salet. Immediately Sh. Thangaiah David Vincent Devadass, Divisional Officer along with the team rushed to the spot. Sh. Thangaiah David Vincent Devadass, Division Officer, Sh. Subramaniyam Venkatachalam, Fireman 6789 and Sh. Venkatachala Palagara Ramasamy, Fireman 6124 without any protective appliances, entered the premises of the Ammonia Gas silted ice factory and rescued five trapped persons simply by spraying water to minimize the density of gas in a very risky way, endangering their own personal safety. They also simultaneously arranged for shifting of 30 patients from the government hospital located right behind the site accident who were severely suffering from nausea and irritation due to inhalation of ammonia gas.

In this incident S/Shri Thangaiah David Vincent Devadass, Divisional Officer, Subramaniyam Venkatachalam, Fireman and Venkatachalam Palagara Ramasamy, Fireman, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f 18.02.2005.

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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January 2006

No. 4-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2006 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI GYANENDRA KUMAR SAHOO,
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI AKHIL KUMAR SAMAL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI KHURSHID MOHAMAD,
INSPECTOR (FIRE),
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2006

व. 4 प्रेज/2006- राष्ट्रपति, गणतंत्र दिवस, 2006 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी सराहनीय सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं :-

श्री जानेन्द्र कुमार साह
असिस्टेंट फायर आफिसर
उड़ीसा

श्री अखिल कुमार सामल,
लीडिंग फायरमैन
उड़ीसा

श्री खुशबू मोहम्मद
निरीक्षक (अभिन)
के०आ०स०व०ल, गृह मंत्रालय

2. यह पुरस्कार राष्ट्रपति का अनिश्चित सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं।

(बसून मित्र)
निदेशक
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January 2006

No. 5-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2006 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI SURESH CHANDRA KALITA,
STATION OFFICER,
ASSAM.

SHRI SADHAN GOPAL PAUL,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ASSAM.

SHRI AKBAR ALI,
DRIVER,
ASSAM.

SHRI CHAMAN LAL THAKUR,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI DESH RAJ SHARMA,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI MULLEMANE SIDDAPPA MALLIKARJUNA,
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI MANCHAIAH BASAVARAJU,
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI HORALAGALLU MADEGOWDA SHIVANE GOWDA,
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.
SHRI MARIMADAIAH MARIMADAIAH,
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI PROMOD KUMAR KANHANGAD HEGDE,
LEADING FIREMAN 65,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI NAGENDRA CHENNAIAH,
FIREMAN 619,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI PERE MOHAN,
FIRMAN 421,
KARNATAKA.

SHRI SURENDRAN NAIR KUNJUKRISNA PILLAI,
LEADING FIREMAN 3236,
KERALA.

SHRI KURIAN DEVASI,
LEADING FIREMAN 3159,
KERALA.

SHRI SURESH NARAYANRAO WAGHMARE,
SENIOR INSTRUCTOR,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI KIRAN ANANT KADAM,
DEPUTY CHIEF FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI SURESH BABURAO SAGWEKAR,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI KASAM PAPABHAI SHAIKH,
LEADING FIREMAN,
MAHARASHTRA.
SHRI VITHOBA HARISHCHANDRA NAIK,
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI GAJANAN GANGARAM TIKAM,
SUB OFFICER,
MAHARASHTRA.

SHRI MANORANJAN BHOL,
STATION OFFICER,
ORISSA.

SHRI PRABHODH KUMAR DAS,
HAVILDAR MAJOR,
ORISSA.

SHRI SOMNATH BEHERA,
HAVILDAR MAJOR,
ORISSA.

SHRI BIJAYA PRADHAN,
LEADING FIREMAN,
ORISSA.

SHRI BISHNU CHARAN MOHAPATRA,
FIREMAN 1181,
ORISSA.

SHRI GOPAL GURUNG,
SUB FIRE OFFICER,
SIKKIM.

SHRI KOLANCHI PATHAR JAYABALAN,
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI DURAIASAMY GAJENDRAN,
STATION OFFICER,
TAMIL NADU.
SHRI RAMASAMY SWAMINATHAN,
LEADING FIREMAN 3298,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI MARIAPPA DHAKSHINMOORTHY,
DRIVER MECHANIC 2944,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI GOVINDARAJ KIRUBAKARAN,
FIREMAN DRIVER 2882,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI ARiyALUR RAjAMANICKAM JAYARAMAN,
FIREMAN 3083,
TAMIL NADU.

SHRI RAM NARESH AWASthi,
FIREMAN,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI ARVIND KUMAR,
COMMANDANT,
UTTAR PRADESH.

SHRI GOUTAM KUMAR MUHKOPADHYAY
STATION OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI NARENDRA NATH MOITRA,
SUB OFFICER,
WEST BENGAL.

SHRI MRINAL KANTI MAJUMDAR,
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR-CUM-DRIVER,
WEST BENGAL.
SHRI SHAMLAL UDARAM CHOUDARY,
PUMP OPERATOR,
NATIONAL FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE.

SHRI SHREECHARAN KATARE,
PUMP OPERATOR,
NATIONAL FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE.

SHRI ASHOK PURUSHOTTAM JOSHI,
MECHANIC,
NATIONAL FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE.

SHRI ARVIND KUMAR,
INSPECTOR (FIRE),
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE.

SHRI PREM SINGH,
ASSISTANT SUB INPSECTOR (FIRE),
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE.

SHRI SULTAN SINGH,
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE),
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE.

SHRI MALLAPPA APPAYYA KOLKAR,
ASSISTANT MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

SHRI STEPHEN IMMANUALVINOBA CHINNATHAMBI,
 SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

SHRI GOVITY NARSING RAO,
 SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

SHRI VASANT BALNATH GOSAVI,
 MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.
SHRI BALRAJ SINGH AHLAWAT,
SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

SHRI MASOOD AHMED PATHAN,
ASSISTANT MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

SHRI GHAN SHYAM DAS,
SENIOR MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE),
AIRPORT AUTHORITY OF INDIA.

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2006

No. 92-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers and Personnel of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:-

SHRI KAMAL KUMAR AGARWAL
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI SHIV DARAS PRASAD
FIRE STATION SECOND OFFICER

SHRI ARVIND KUMAR TYAGI
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI BAIKUNTH NATH SHARMA
FIREMAN

SHRI BIJENDRA KUMAR
FIREMAN

SHRI RAM BABU
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER

Shri Kamal Kumar Agarwal, Fire Station Officer, with his team comprised of Sh. Shiv Daras Prasad, Fire Station Second Officer, Arvind Kumar Tyagi, Leading Fireman, Baikunth Nath Sharma, Fireman, Bijendra Kumar, Fireman and Ram Babu, Fire Service Driver rushed to Mudra Cold Storage, Kamalpur, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh on 04.10.04 at about 09.40 hours in response to a distress call reporting ammonia gas leakage in the plant. On reaching the site, they observed thick clouds of ammonia gas overcasting the whole area causing suffocation to all onlookers and neighbouring population. It was reported that two workers of the factory were trapped inside the plant and were lying unconscious.

In absence of any protective appliances and masks, Shri Agarwal and his team entered the endangered gas filled areas, without loosing any time, simply by spraying water and thus diluting the density of gas, ignoring their personal safety and rescued the two trapped unconscious persons even when they themselves were suffering from asphyxiation and irritation of the eyes for which subsequently they were all hospitalized.
In this incident S/Shri Kamal Kumar Agarwal, Fire Station Officer, SI Daras Prasad, Fire Station Second Officer, Arvind Kumar Tyagi, Leading Fireman, Baikunth Nath Sharma, Fireman, Bijendra Kumar, Fireman and Ram Babu, Fire Service Driver displayed tremendous presence of mind, conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of the highest order for the safety of life and properties of the citizens ignoring their own safety.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 04.10.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
NEW DELHI, THE 15TH AUGUST, 2006

The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers and personnel of Manipur Fire Service:

SHRI TOMBA SINGH ATHOKPAM
SUB-OFFICER

SHRI IBOMCHA SINGH MOIRANGTHEM
FIREMAN

SHRI IBOTOMBI SINGH TAKHELAMBAM
FIREMAN

On 17.07.2005 at about 0433 hrs on receipt of a fire call informing breaking out of major fire in a four storied apartment building in Paona Bazar area of Imphal, the Fire Service team led by the Joint Director, Manipur Fire Service rushed to the site. On reaching the spot they observed a big towering inferno where all trapped inmates of the apartment building were crying for help and the main entrance of the building was blocked by fire. Thick smokes and obnoxious gases were emanating from the blazing building affecting the visibility too. After a quick survey, the fire fighting and rescue team comprised of Sh. Tomba Singh Athokpam, Sub-Officer, Sh. Ibomcha Singh Moirangthem, Fireman and Sh. Ibotombi Singh Takhelambam, Fireman, broke open the blocked door and entered the burning building without any protective appliances, ignoring their personal safety and rescued total 9 persons from different floors.

S/SHRI Tomba Singh Athokpam, Sub-Officer, Ibomcha Singh Moirangthem, Fireman and Ibotombi Singh Takhelambam, Fireman, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

The award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 17.07.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2006

No. 94–Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI SUDHIR KUMAR BISWAL
FIREMAN-1375,
ORISSA.

On 12.06.2005 at about 0035 hrs, Shri Sudhir Kumar Biswal, Fireman – 1375 of Dhenkanal Fire Station, Orissa on receipt of a rescue call reached Siminai with his team and found a man in an inebriated condition had fallen into a abandoned deep dry well inhabited by deadly poisonous snakes. Shri Sudhir Kumar Biswal, Fireman ignoring his personal safety entered the well with the help of a rope and managed to rescue the victims with the help of his teammates who slowly pulled out both of them to safety.

Shri Sudhir Kumar Biswal, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

The award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 12.06.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शनिवार, दिनांक 16 सितंबर, 2006 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2006

संख्या 94-प्रेज/2006-राष्ट्रपति निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को उनकी बीमारता के लिए अभिशिषक
सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री सुधीर कुमार विस्वाल
फायरमैन-1375
उड़ीसा

दिनांक 12.06.2005 को लगभग 0035 बजे, बचाव कॉल प्राप्त करने पर श्री सुधीर कुमार विस्वाल, देनकनाल फायर स्टेशन के फायरमैन - 1375 अपने दल के साथ सिमिनई पहुंचे और देखा कि एक आदमी नशे की स्थिति में एक बहुत गहरे परिस्थिति में सूखे कुएं में गिरा हुआ है जिसमें बहुत ही जहरीले सांप थे। श्री सुधीर कुमार विस्वाल, फायरमैन अपनी व्यक्तिगत सुरक्षा की परवरित किए बैगर रस्सी के सहायता से कुएं के अंदर गए और अपने दल के सदस्यों, जिन्हें भी धीरे-धीरे उन दोनों को सुरक्षित बाहर निकाला, की सहायता से पीड़ित व्यक्ति को बचा लिया।

इस प्रकार, श्री सुधीर कुमार विस्वाल, फायरमैन ने उनकृष्ट बीमारता, अद्यतन साहस, व्यक्तिगत
विशेषज्ञता और उच्च कोटि की कर्मचारिगतता का परिचय दिया।

यह पुरस्कार, बीमारता के लिए अभिशिषक सेवा पदक पुरस्कारों को शामिल करने वाले नियमों के
नियम 3(आई) के तहत दिया जाता है अतः, नियम 5(k) के तहत अनुमोदन भत्ता दिनांक 12.06.2005
से देन होगा।

भगवान हैरी
(बाहुण भिन्ना)
निदेशक
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DATED SATURDAY, THE 16th SEPTEMBER, 2006

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2006

No. 95-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI SATISH CHANDRA BEHERA
FIREMAN – 1399
ORISSA

On 29.09.05 at about 11.45 hrs., S.D.O., Telephone, Udala informed the local fire station that a woman named Smt. Susanti Murmu had climbed top of the 80 meter high B.S.N.L. Tower of the town threatening to jump and commit suicide if her demand for rehabilitation was not accepted by the Government. The fire service team including Fireman Sh. Satish Chandra Behera, rushed to the spot and found the B.S.N.L. tower had a straight ladder, with only two plates in between for foot-hold. Layout of phone cables on the ladder increased the hazards. Immediately, Shri Satish Chandra Behera, Fireman with tremendous courage and presence of mind gradually ascended the tower rendering psychological treatment to Smt. Susanti Murmu and thus gaining her confidence and ultimately persuaded the woman to cool down and finally managed to bring Smt. Susanti Murmu to the ground without any injury, thereby saving her life.

Shri Satish Chandra Behera, Fireman, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 29.09.2005.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2006

संख्या 95-प्रेस/2006-राष्ट्रपति निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को उनकी बीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री सतिश चन्द्र बेहेरा
फायरमैन-1399
उधीपा

दिनांक 29.9.05 को लगभग 11.45 बजे एस. डी. ओ. टेलीफोन, उड़ान ने स्थायी अनिश्चित केंद्र को सूचित किया कि श्रीमती सुशांति मुरुग नाम की एक महिला 80 मीटर ऊँचे बी.एस.एन.एल. टावर के शिखर पर चढ़ गई है और वहाँ से वह धमकी दे रही थी कि यदि सरकार ने पुनर्वास की उसकी मांग नहीं जानी तो वह वहाँ से नीचे कूदकर आत्महत्या कर लेगी। फायरमैन श्री सतिश चन्द्र बेहेरा सहित अनिश्चित सेवा दल तककल उस स्थल की ओर रवाना हुआ और वहाँ जा कर देखा कि बी.एस.एन.एल. टावर में एक सीढ़ी सीढ़ी है, जिसमें पैर रखने के लिए बीच में केवल दो प्लेट हैं। सीढ़ी पर टेलीफोन केबलों के जल्द खतरे को और बढ़ा दिया था। श्री सतिश चन्द्र बेहेरा, फायरमैन अदम्य साहस और सूर्य-ब्रह्म के साथ धीरे-धीरे टावर पर चढ़े और श्रीमती सुशांति मुरुग को मानसिक रूप से तैयार किया और इस प्रकार उसका विचारास जीता और अंततः उस महिला को शांति प्रदान के लिए राजी कर लिया और अन्त में श्रीमती सुशांति मुरुग को बिना किसी चोट के नीचे जमीन पर लाये गए। सफल हुए, और इस तरह उसके जीवन की रक्षा की।

इस प्रकार श्री सतिश चन्द्र बेहेरा, फायरमैन ने उत्कृष्ट बीरता, अदम्य साहस, व्यवसायिक कृत्यादि और उच्च कौटि की कर्तव्य परायणता का परिचय दिया।

यह पुरस्कार बीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है अतएव, नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमंग बिशेष भता दिनांक 29.9.2005 से इसके साथ देय है।

लेखक
(बहुम भियान)
निदेशक
No. 96–Pres/2006 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer:-

SHRI MUTHAIA AYYARSAMY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

On 26.12.04 when the giant waves to tsunami had struck the coastal town Nagapattinam in Tamil Nadu, Shri Muthaia Ayyarsamy, Divisional Officer with his crew immediately rushed to the tsunami hit areas and rescued 9 children buried under wrecked houses and other 110 victims from other areas under the threats of lashing waves. He also recovered 75 dead bodies in the hostile conditions with his team ignoring their personal safety.

Shri Muthaia Ayyarsamy, Divisional Officer, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

The award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under Rule 5(a) w.e.f. 26.12.2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 16 सितंबर, 2006 के भारत के राजपत्र के भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2006

संख्या 96-प्रूज/2006-राष्ट्रपति निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को उनकी बीरता के लिए अनिश्चम सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री मुथुश्याय अय्यरसामी
प्रभागीय अधिकारी
तमिलनाडु

दिनांक 26.12.04 को जब सुनामी की शोककार तहरों ने तमिलनाडु में नागापुटनम के तटीय क्षेत्रों पर टक्कर मारी तो श्री मुथुश्याय अय्यरसामी, प्रभागीय अधिकारी ने अपने सहयोगियों के साथ तत्काल सुनामी से प्रभावित क्षेत्रों की ओर कूद किया और उन्होंने मकरनों के मलबे के गीले दबे 9 बच्चे को और लहरों के धड़ों से प्रभावित दूसरे क्षेत्रों से अन्य 110 पीढियों को बचाया। आपने अपनी दैनिक गुरुवार की परवाह न करते हुए अपने दल के साथ प्रतिकूल परिस्थितियों में 75 शाखाओं को भी निकाला।

इस प्रकार से श्री मुथुश्याय अय्यरसामी, प्रभागीय अधिकारी ने उत्कृष्ट बीरता, अद्भुत साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यावहारिक कृत्यक्षमता और उच्च कोटि की कर्मचारी परायणता का परिचय दिया।

यह पुरस्कार, बीरता के लिए अनिश्चम सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है अतः, नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुसार विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 26.12.2004 से इसके साथ देय है।

(वरुण मित्रार)
निदेशक
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2006

No. 85-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2006 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under-mentioned officers:

SHRI HIRAMAN SHANKAR SONAWANE
FIRE SUPERINTENDENT
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI SAILENDU MOHANTY
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI LINGARAJ SENAPATI
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI RABI NARAYAN MOHANTY
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI OM PARKASH
FIRE ADVISER
DGCD, M.H.A.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शर्मिला, दिनांक 9 सितंबर, 2006 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2006

संख्या 85-प्रेज/2006-राष्ट्रपति स्वतंत्रता दिवस, 2006 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को विशेष सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री हिरामण शंकर सोनवणे
अभिशमन अभिशासक
महाराष्ट्र

श्री शोलेन्दु महानि
स्टेशन अप्पोसर
उडासा

श्री लिगुराज सेनापति
ड्राइवर हवालदार
उडासा

श्री रविनायण महानि
ड्राइवर हवालदार
उडासा

श्री ओम प्रकाश
फायर एडवाइजर
डी-जी-सी-डी-डी
गृह मंत्रालय

2. ये पुरस्कार राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किए जाते हैं।

(निदेशक)

(वरुण मिश्रा)
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2006

No. 86-Pres/2006 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2006 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under-mentioned officers:

SHRI SANKU VENKATESWARA RAO
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S. SURA VIKRAM GOUD
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI M. ANJAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI A. APPA RAO
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI DEBENDRA NATH BORAH
 SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI ARABINDA DEKA
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI DIMBESWAR MAHANTA
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI GULJAR HUSSAIN
LEADING FIREMAN
ASSAM
SHRI TARUN BORO
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI KRISHAN KUMAR PANWAR
STATION FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI HUCHAPPANADODDI MADEGOWDA PUTTASWAMY
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI YELLOJI RAO
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI MUDALIAR BALAKRISHNA
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI G. SHABEER AHMED
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ABDUL SALAM
LEADING FIREMAN – 288
KARNATAKA

SHRI D. BALARAM SINGH
FIREMAN – 400
KARNATAKA

SHRI KRISHNANKUTTY KONATHARA KANNAPPAN
LEADING FIREMAN – 3028
KERALA

SHRI NARAYANA PODUVAL VENNOOLI KUNJUPENNUN
LEADING FIREMAN – 2557
KERALA

SHRI RAVEENDRAN ALAKKABARAMBU PAPPEN
FIREMAN – 2627
KERALA
SHRI SANIL KUMAR SARASAMMA SEKHARAN
FIREMAN – 2575
KERALA

SHRI ANIL VISHNU SAWANT
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI ATMARAM RAMCHANDRA YADAV
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER I/C
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI VASANT TUKARAM PAWAR
LEADING FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI RAMPJJAN RAMCHABILE SINGH
FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI SUKANTA SETHI
DY. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI ABDUL KALAM
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI MADAN MOHAN DEBATA
FITTER STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI RAMA KANTA SWAIN
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI BISHNU CHARAN SAMANTARAY
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI PREM BAHADUR BASNETT
SUB FIRE OFFICER
SIKKIM
SHRI SUDALAIMUTHU GANAPATHY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI THURAIPANDIAN CHANDRAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SIMON JAYAKUMAR
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI CHIDAMBARAM CHANDRASEKARAN
UPGRADED STATION OFFICER – 2969
TAMIL NADU

SHRI NELLIKOLLAI KULANTHAIVEL RAMALINGAM
DRIVER MECHANIC – 2871
TAMIL NADU

SHRI GOVINDAN VAITHIALINGAM
LEADING FIREMAN – 3247
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KUNWAR PAL SINGH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI BRAHAMA NAND DUBEY
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI MUNENDRA KUMAR TYAGI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI ISHWARI SINGH SONI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI HARI SINGH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH
2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medals.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART I SECTION I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY THE 17TH FEBRUARY, 2007

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 26th January, 2007

No. 11-Pres/2007 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:-

SHRI YADU NATH SINGH
FIRE STATION 2ND OFFICER

SHRI DHARAMPAL SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN

On 22nd July 2004 at 0930 hrs, serious fire broke out in the diesel storage godown of brass bare factory near Gala Kate Ki Masjid, P.S. Nagphani, Muradabad. Immediately on receipt of call, Shri Yadu Nath Singh, Fire Station 2nd Officers, Muradabad rushed to the scene of fire alongwith his fire crews.

On reaching the site, Shri Yadu Nath Singh saw flames and thick black smoke coming out of the factory. He was informed that some people are trapped in the building. After quickly sizing up of the situation he started fire fighting and rescue operations. Knowing fully well the danger to life from the flames and deadly smoke S/Shri Yadu Nath Singh, Fire Station 2nd Officers and Dharampal Singh, Leading Fireman dared to enter inside the factory and rescued five persons. While fire fighting operation were going on, there was sudden flare up of fire in the diesel drums in which both these officers got trapped and burn injuries on the body.

S/Shri Yadu Nath Singh, Fire Station 2nd Officers and Dharampal Singh, Leading Fireman thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 22nd July, 2004.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
शानिवार, दिनांक 17 फरवरी, 2007 के भारत के राजपत्र के भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2007

संख्या 11-प्रेज/2007-राष्ट्रपति, उत्तर प्रदेश अभिनिष्ठम नेता के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी बीतता के लिए अभिनिष्ठम नेता पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:

श्री युद्ध नाथ सिंह,
द्वितीय फायर स्टेशन अधिकारी
श्री धर्मपाल सिंह,
लीडिंग फायरमैन
dिनांक 22 जुलाई, 2004 को 0930 बजे गला करने की ममता, पुलिस शाखा नागफानी, मुरादाबाद के निकट एक पीतल की फैक्टरी के डीजल के गोदाम में भयानक आग लग गई। सूरज मिलने पर श्री युद्धनाथ सिंह, द्वितीय फायर स्टेशन अधिकारी, मुरादाबाद अपने अभिनिष्ठम दल के साथ तुरंत ही घटना स्थल पर पहुँचे।

घटनास्थल पर पहुँचने पर श्री युद्धनाथ सिंह ने देखा कि फैक्टरी से आग की भयानक लपटें और घना काला धुआं निकल रहा है। उन्हें बताया गया कि भवन के अन्दर कुछ लोग फंसे हुए है। स्थिति को भांगे हुए उन्होंने तत्काल अभिनिष्ठम तथा राहत आपराधन वा कार्य सुरू किया। भयानक लपटों और दमगढ़ धुएं से होने वाले जाने के बादर को भली-भांति जानने हुए भी सर्व श्री युद्धनाथ सिंह, द्वितीय फायर स्टेशन अधिकारी तथा धर्मपाल सिंह, लीडिंग फायरमैन फैक्टरी के अन्दर गये और चांच ज्यादियों की जान बचायो। अभिनिष्ठम की कार्रवाई के दौरान डीजल के दूरे में अचानक ही आग काँप उठी जिससे यह दोनों अधिकारी फंस गये और ये दोनों गम्भीर रूप से शुरुआत गये।

सर्व श्री युद्धनाथ सिंह, द्वितीय फायर स्टेशन अधिकारी तथा धर्मपाल सिंह, लीडिंग फायरमैन ने इस प्रकार उत्कृष्ट बीतता, अद्यन साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक कृत्यता और उन्म्ह कोट की कृत्य-पराप्रथाता का परीक्षा दिया।

यह पुरस्कार, बीतता के लिए अभिनिष्ठम नेता पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणामतः नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमूल विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 22 जुलाई, 2004 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

दिनांक 22 जुलाई, 2004

वरुण पिंगू
निदेशक
No. 5-Pres/2007 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2007 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the undermentioned officers:

SHRI JITENDRA NATH BHUYAN
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI RAJINDER SINGH SODHI
JOINT DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI RAM TIRATH DUBEY
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI RASH BEHARI MOHANTY
FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI BRAJENDU BHUSAN DAS
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DEVENDRA KUMAR SHAMI
DY FIRE ADVISER
DGCD, MHA

2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जानवरी, 2007

संख्या 5-प्रेन/2007-राष्ट्रपति गणतंत्र दिवस, 2007 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों
को उनकी विशेष सेवाओं के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री जितेंद्र नाथ भुईयों
स्टेशन अफिसर
असम

श्री राजेन्द्र सिंह सोडी
संयुक्त निदेशक
जम्मू एवं कश्मीर

श्री राम लाल दुबे
उप-निदेशक
जम्मू एवं कश्मीर

श्री राजस बिहारी महान्त्ति
फायर अफिसर
उड़ीसा

श्री जयधर भुषण दास
असिस्टेंट फायर अफिसर
उड़ीसा

श्री देवेन्द्र कुमार शामी
डिप्टी फायर एडवाइजर
डीजीसीडी, गृह मंत्रालय

यह पुरस्कार, विशेष सेवाओं के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अनिश्चित सेवा पुरस्कार को
सित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है।

(स्वरूप मित्रा)
निदेशक
No. 6-Pres/2007 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2007 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI THUMATI MOHAN RAO  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI PAVULURI SATYANARAYANA  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI TILOK CHANDRA BORAH  
SENIOR STATION OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI PADMA KANTA DEWRI  
SUB OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI ANANDA CHUTIA  
SUB OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA BODABHAI KOTIA  
FIRE BRIGADE SUPERINTENDENT  
GUJRAT

SHRI DALIP SINGH THAPA  
SUB FIRE OFFICER  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI NATHO RAM THAKUR  
LEADING FIREMAN  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI SAJJAD AHMAD KHAN  
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
JAMMU & KASHMIR
SHRI ALI MOHD. DAR
STATION OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI KESHAVA RAO MANJUNATHA RAO
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI HANUMANTHAPPA' VENKATAPPA
FIRE STATION OFFICER (TRG)
KARNATAKA

SHRI CHANDRASHEKAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ASHWATHAPPA
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI SIDDALINGA SHASHTRIGALLU MAHALINGAIAH
ASSITANT FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI H. GOPAL RAO
FIREMAN 139
KARNATAKA

SHRI FRANKLINE MARK
FIREMAN 07
KARNATAKA

SHRI J. GOPINATHAPILLAI VIKRAMA KURUP
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI VISWANATHAN THAMPI
LEADING FIREMAN 2485
KERALA

SHRI SAROJ KUMAR RAI
SUB-STATION OFFICER
MIZORAM
SHRI ZAKIAMLLOVA  
LEADING FIREMAN  
MIZORAM  

SHRI PRAKASH CHANDRA PADHI  
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER  
ORISSA  

SHRI RAGHU NATH PRUSTY  
STATION OFFICER  
ORISSA  

SHRI PADU SINGH GURLA  
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER  
ORISSA  

SHRI PADMA NAVA PANIGRAHI  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ORISSA  

SHRI DHURBA CHARAN MALLIK  
FIREMAN NO. 441  
ORISSA  

SHRI NATA BARA BEHERA  
FIREMAN NO. 780  
ORISSA  

SHRI CHINNAPPAN KRISHNAN  
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
TAMIL NADU  

SHRI PERIASAMY NARAYANASAMY  
STATION OFFICER  
TAMIL NADU  

SHRI RAMAIYAN LAKSHMINARAYANAN  
STATION OFFICER  
TAMIL NADU  

SHRI ACHUTHANARAYANA KRISHNAMURTHY  
UPGRADED ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER (3293)  
TAMIL NADU
SHRI ARUMUGAM SELVARAJ
UPGRADED ASSISTANT OFFICER (3451)
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN RANGARAJAN
UPGRADED LEADING FIREMAN 3246
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KUPPANNAN ARIVAZHAGAN
UPGRADED LEADING FIREMAN 3379
TAMIL NADU

SHRI CHANDAN SINGH JEENA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI RAM SWAROOP PAL
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI SITA RAM YADAV
F.S.S.O.
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI NATHI RAM NAUDIYAL
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTARANCHAL

SHRI SUBHAS CHOWDHURY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PANKAJ MOHAN CHOWDHURY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PRABIR KUMAR BHATTACHARJEE
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PARTHA PRATIM KAR
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
2. This award is made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Director
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-1, SECTION-1, OF THE GAZETTE OF
INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 29TH SEPTEMBER, 2007

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2007

No. 157 -Pres/2007 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire
Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Maharashtra
Fire Service.

SHRI DADASAHEB LAXMAN KALE (POSTHUMOUS)
FIREMAN

On 01.02.06 at 1430 a major fire broke out in a slum at Mahalaxmi
Chawl, Dwarka Circle, Nashik. The slum mostly involved temporary
structure made up of combustible material and the fire became violent in no
time due to cross wind and tend to go beyond control. Fire Tender from
Brigade Headquarter already on spot, then asked for reinforcement. Fireman
Shri Dadasaheb Laxman Kale was a member of the reinforced team. By the
time reinforcement arrived on the spot, the fire became devastating. To tame
the fire, Shri Kale scaled up an adjoining tinned roofs building to apply water
jet to the seat of fire from a height. While doing so, suddenly the tinned roof
collapsed, grievously injuring Shri Kale which caused fracture of his leg and
profuse bleeding. He was immediately hospitalized where he succumbed to
injury.

Late Shri Dadasaheb Laxman Kale, Fireman thus displayed
conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and
devotion to duty of a very high order and died in harness while discharging
his duties.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules
governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and
consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a)
w.e.f 01.02.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
श्री दादासाहेब लक्षमण काले

फायरमैन

महाराष्ट्र

01.02.2006 को लगभग 1430 बजे महाराष्ट्रीय बॉल्ड्रा वायरल सर्किल नारिक की झुंगी झूपड़ी में भंग कर आय लगी। झुंगी झूपड़ी अस्थाई बनावट की होती है जिसमें आग जलकर पकड़ती है। जब तक आग बुझाने का दस्ता धंतन घर पर पढ़ी तब तक आग पकड़ से बाहर हो नहीं रही थी। मुख्यालय से वाटर टंडर द्वारा पहुँचे गये थे परंतु आग बुझाने में और गद्दे की जरूरत हुई। फायरमैन श्री दादासाहेब लक्षमण काले दूसरी मार्ग से साथ धंतन घर पर पहुँचे तब तक आग अपना विकार रूप ले चुकी थी और वारों तरफ बढ़ रही थी। श्री दादासाहेब लक्षमण काले तुरन्त अस्थाई धोरे की बनी टीन की छत पर चढ़ गये और आग बुझाने के लिए पानी फेंकना शुरू किया।

जब वह इस कार्य में व्यस्त थे तभी अस्थाई बॉल्ड्रा गिर गया और श्री का ऊपर से गिरे गिरे जिसकी बजह से उनके पैर में काफी चोट लगी और काफी मार्ग में खूप बहने लगा। उन्हें तुरंत अस्पताल पहुँचाया गया जहाँ उनकी मृत्यु हो गई।

इस प्रकार श्री दादासाहेब लक्षमण काले, फायरमैन ने उत्कृष्ट बीरता, आदर्श शासन, व्यावसायिक कुशलता और उच्च कोटि की कर्तव्य-परायणता का परिचय दिया और अपने कर्तव्य के दौरान मृत्यु को प्राप्त हो गए।

यह पुरस्कार बीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति के अभिनवगत सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शामिल करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिषिप्ति: नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमय विशेष भवन 01.02.2006 से इसके साथ दें देगा।

(वहाँ पं. प्र.)

(बहुरूप भ्रमण)

राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-I, SECTION-I, OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 29TH SEPTEMBER, 2007

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2007

No. 158-Pres/2007 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Bhilai Steel Plant, Steel Authority of India.

SHRI SARWAR GULAM MOHAMMED
SENIOR FIRE OFFICER
BHILAI STEEL PLANT
STEEL AUTHORITY OF INDIA

On 21.11.2006 at 1704 hrs, a serious fire broke out in a Kerosine tanker of 65,000 ltr capacity, which was a part of 40 such tankers of similar capacity containing high speed diesel and kerosene, near Khursipar Railway Gate. On reaching the site Senior Fire Officer Shri Sarwar Gulam Mohammed observed the flame was so vigorous that it was about to touch the 33000 volts, high tension wire above the railway track. It was difficult for fire tender to reach to the spot due to lack of approach road. Without wasting time and ignoring his personal safety, Shri Sarwar Gulam Mohammed, Senior Fire Officer, tamed the fire with portable dry powder extinguishers and ad-pro machine after climbing up the top of the burning tanker. Had this incidence not being controlled in time, there would have been colossal loss to the precious human lives and national property due to fire and explosion.

Shri Sarwar Gulam Mohammed, Senior Fire Officer thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 21st November, 2006.

Barun Mitra
Joint Secretary to the President
शनिवार, दिनांक 29 सितंबर, 2007 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2007

संख्या 158-प्रेज/2007-राष्ट्रपति, निमन्त्वित अधिकारी को उनकी वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं—

सर्वकला गुलाम मोहम्मद

सीनियर फायर ऑफिसर

1 लाई स्टील प्लांट

इस्पात मंत्रालय

21.11.2006 को लगभग 1704 बजे खुरसान रेलवे शेड के पास 65000 लीटर क्षारता वाले कैल्सीम सेल के टेंकर में आग लगी। इस तरह के 40 टेंकर वहाँ पर आपस में जुड़े हुए थे जिसमें डीजल और कैल्सीम सेल था। सूचना प्राप्त होने पर श्री सर्वकला गुलाम मोहम्मद, सीनियर फायर ऑफिसर अपने दल के साथ घटनास्थल पर पहुँचे और देखा कि कैल्सीम सेल के टेंकर से आग 33000 हजार वोल्ट वाली बिजली की तार को लगभग 1500 मीटर तक पहुँच गई। और बिजली की बिजली को घटनास्थल तक पहुँचना नामुमकिन था क्योंकि वहाँ तक पहुँचने के लिए कोई रेस्त्र और पक्का रास्ता नहीं था। वहीं अपने जान की परवाह न करते हुए बिना समय लेकर काम करते हुए तक्कल छोटा टेंकर की छत पर पहुँच कर द्राई कैमिकल फायर एक्सटिंगुशर और एड-प्रो मशीन की मदद से आग पर काबू किया। यदि आग पर काबू नहीं किया जाता-तो बहुत ही जान-मान और राष्ट्रीय संपत्ति को नुकसान पहुँच सकता था।

इस प्रकार श्री सर्वकला गुलाम मोहम्मद, सीनियर फायर ऑफिसर ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्यय साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यावसायिक कुशलता और उच्च कोटि की कर्त्तव्य-परायणता का परिचय दिया।

यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति के अभिशमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणामत: नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमान बिश्व भत्ता दिनांक 21.11.2006 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(वरिष्ठ मिश्र)

राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
No. 159-Pres/2007 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Orissa Fire Service.

SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR SWAIN
STATION OFFICER

SHRI ASHOK KUMAR SWAIN
FIREMAN – 867

SHRI BIRANCHI KUMAR MOHANTY
FIREMAN – 275

On 26.02.2006 at 13.15 hrs a fire call was received at Khurda Fire Station about the fire in a thatched house at Baghatangi village. Immediately both the units of Khurda Fire Station rushed to the spot under the leadership of the Station Officer, Shri Rabindra Kumar Swain.

On reaching, they immediately started fire fighting. While fighting the fire, Station Officer Shri Rabindra Kumar Swain suddenly found that one injured woman trapped in burning room. Without wasting valuable time and also without caring for his personal safety, Shri Swain immediately jumped into the burning house and rescued trapped injured woman to safety. Crew members came to know from the rescued lady that four young girls remained trapped in the half constructed Indira Awas Youjana house. Immediately, Fireman Shri Ashok Kumar Swain and Fireman Shri Biranchi Kumar Mohanty rushed to the spot without caring for their personal safety and jumped into the burning house and rescued all four girls to safety.

S/Shri Rabindra Kumar Swain, Station Officer, Ashok Kumar Swain, Fireman – 867 and Biranchi Kumar Mohanty, Fireman – 275 thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 26.02.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 150-Pres/2007 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2007 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI JNANENDRA NATH BEHERA
ASST. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI BHAGYA DHAR MOHAPATRA
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DEVI PRASAD SHUKLA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI SHAMIM
DIRECTOR
NFSC, MHA

SHRI BABULAL MAHARAJDEEN YADAV
LEADING FIREMAN
NFSC, MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2007

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

राष्ट्रपति, स्वतंत्रता दिवस, 2007 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनमन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं—

श्री ज्ञानेन्द्र नाथ बेहेशा
सहायक फायर ऑफिसर
उर्फीसा

श्री भागवत महापात्र
स्टेशन ऑफिसर
उर्फीसा

श्री देवी प्रसाद शुक्ला
वीफ़ फायर ऑफिसर
उत्तर प्रदेश

श्री शमीम
मिशनेकर
एन एफ एस सी
गृह मंत्रालय

श्री बाबूलाल महाराजदीन यादव
शीर्षक फायरप्रेने
एन एफ एस सी
गृह मंत्रालय

2. यह पुरस्कार, विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को सामान्य बाले दिनों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है।

(बनन मित्र)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2007

No. 151-Pres/2007 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2007 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI NANJUNDAPPA. MYLAVARAM
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI MUNIRATHNAM. MURTHIGANUR
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI GHOUSE MOHAMMED
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI VADANA. BALAPITCHAIAH,
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI GHANASHYAM CHOUDHURY
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI KARUNA CHOUDHURY
SUB OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI GAUTAM BHATTACHARJEE
LEADING FIRÉMAN
ASSAM

SHRI RAMENDRA SINGHA
FIREMAN
ASSAM
SHRI HAFIZUDDIN AHMED
DRIVER
ASSAM

SHRI VASUDEVAN KUNHUKRISHNAN
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 2523
KERALA

SHRI SATHYAVALSALAN PONNU NADAR
LEADING FIREMAN NO. 2517
KERALA

SHRI CHANDRASHEKAR MADHUKAR MORE
SUPERINTENDENT
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI MOHAMMED MUNIR ALIAS YUSUF-MOHAMMED GHORI – DESAI
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI JAIWANT BANDU GONJARI
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI SHAMRAO HARIBA SHINDE
ASST. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI MARUTI KASHINATH SORTE
SUB OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI RAVINDRA RAMCHANDRA MHAMUNKAR
LEADING FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI SADANAND LAXMAN BHOSALE
LEADING FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI BHIMRAO EKNATH PAWAR,
FIRE ENGINE DRIVER
MAHARASHTRA
SHRI RAJENDRA DHONDU BHOSALE
FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI BHAU TUKARAM SHINDE
FIREMAN
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI THANGCHHUANA
SUB STATION OFFICER
MIZORAM

SHRI Bhaba Grahi Ghadei
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DUKHI SHYAM DAS
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA

SHRI GANGA DHAR MOHANTY (A)
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI SUDHAKAR MOHANTY
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI MATHURA NANDA BHADRA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI GOURANG CHARAN SWAIN
FIREMAN – 669
ORISSA

SHRI BHIKARI DALAI
FIREMAN – 706
ORISSA

SHRI BUDDHI LALL SUBBA
LEADING FIREMAN
SIKKIM
SHRI RANGASAMY GOVINDARAJ
ASST. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PARAMASIVAM BALASUBRAMANIAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ANANTHA PADMANABHA RAJAMANI
STATION OFFICER – 3005
TAMIL NADU

SHRI S. ARJUNA BALARAMAN
DRIVER MECHANIC – 3103
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PARASURAMAN PANCHATCHARAM
LEADING FIREMAN – 3470
TAMIL NADU

SHRI RAMASAMY VENKATAKALAM
FIREMAN – 3516
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ACHINTYA KUMAR MUKHOPADHYA
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ASIT KUMAR SARKAR
CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI KALI DAS CHAKRABORTY
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI CHANCHAL KUMAR SARKAR
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI KAMAL KANTI SEN
MOBILIZING OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
SHRI DILIP KUMAR GHOSH
LEADER – 2666
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ASDER RAHAMAN
FEOD
WEST BENGAL

SHRI RAM CHANDRA MONDAL
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PATIT PABAN ROYCHOWDHURY
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ASHOK ASARAM HOOD
FIREMAN
NFSC, MHA

SHRI P. HRISHIKESAN
ASST. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI KULDEEP SINGH
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI K. P. CHANDRAN
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI DEVENDRA SINGH CHAUHAN
STATION FIRE OFFICER ‘B’
DEPTT. OF ATOMIC ENERGY

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 15-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Maharashtra Fire Service:

SHRI KIRAN ANANT KADAM
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

On 13th March, 2007 at 1855 hours a call was received at Dindoshi Fire Station about the building collapse at Royal Palm Estate, Near Park Plaza, Aarey Colony, Goregaon (E), Mumbai. The Fire Crews with fire tenders were dispatched from Dindoshi Fire Station and the reinforcement from other nearest Fire Stations. On arrival at the scene of the incident, officer-in-charge observed that a building was collapsed and many workers were trapped under the debris in more than 12 feet deep cavity. The unstable structure of the collapsed building was posing the danger of further collapse of huge Concrete slabs threatening the life of the firemen involved in rescue operations. Any slightest mistake by the firemen could have endangered the life of the rescuer and the people trapped inside. Shri K. A. Kadam, Chief Fire Officer along with crew have made narrow opening by cutting the slabs and crawled through the tunnel and reached the trapped victims. The crew under the able leadership, guidance, motivation of Shri K. A. Kadam rescued two people alive from the rubble.

Chief Fire Officer, Shri Kiran Anant Kadam thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 13.03.2007.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनाथ

राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2008.

1. 15-प्रज 2008 - राष्ट्रपति, महाराष्ट्र अग्निशमन सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अग्निशमन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करती हैं:

श्री किरण अनन्त कदम
मुख्य अग्निशमन अधिकारी

दिनांक 13 मार्च, 2007 को 1855 बजे दिडोपो दक्कल केन्द्र को सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि मुम्बई के गोरेगांव (पूर्व) की आर्थ कांडो में पाक मूडो के निकट रायल पॉम एस्टेट में एक इमारत झुक गई है। दिडोपो दक्कल केन्द्र से दक्कल गाड़ियों के साथ अग्निशमन कमांड अन्य दक्कल केन्द्रों से कुमुक रवाना हुए। घटना स्थल पर पहुँचने के प्रारंभ प्रशिक्षण अधिकारी ने पता किया कि एक इमारत झुक गई थी और कई मजकूर 12 फुट से अधिक गहरी गयी मध्य बीते रहे। जिसमें लोगों के नीचे बनने वा गयी थी। घटना के अधिक खंडन के बाद अधिकारी ने पता किया कि एक इमारत झुक गई थी और कई मजकूर 12 फुट से अधिक गहरी गयी मध्य बीते रहे। जिसमें लोगों के नीचे बनने वा गयी थी।

2. इस प्रकार श्री किरण अनन्त कदम, मुख्य अग्निशमन अधिकारी ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्भुत नेतृत्व, व्यक्तिवादक कुशलता और उच्च कोटि की कृति-परायणता का परिणाम दिया।

3. यह पुरस्कार, वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अग्नि शमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को श्रेष्ठत करने वाली निम्नांकित के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणामत: नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमोद विशेष भना दिनांक 13.03.2007 से इसके साथ दे गये हैं।

राष्ट्रपति के संस्कृत सचिव

(वर्णन गिरी)
राष्ट्रपति के संस्कृत सचिव
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 16-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Manipur Fire Service: -

SHRI LALMOHON SINGH SOIBAM
SUB OFFICER

On 26th December, 2006 at 2010 hrs a call was received in the fire control room at Imphal informing that a fire has broken out in a godown at Allu Galli, Thangal Bazar, Imphal. Immediately on receipt of a call, Fire Tenders with crew were rushed to the spot under the command of Shri Lalmohan Singh Soibam, Sub officer. On reaching the spot the officer observed that the godown was fully engulfed by the fire and the flames were leaping out in all directions. Without wasting time, he positioned the Fire Tenders at strategic location and started the fire fighting operations. The situation aggravated due to the explosion in the LPG Cylinders in side the building. He heard human cries from the building. The building was full of dense smoke, hot gases, flames and nobody was daring to enter into the building to rescue them. Despite all dangers, Shri Soibam reached the first floor and rescued an old man of 84 years age Shri Thokchom Nilamani Singh.

2. Shri Lalmohan Singh Soibam, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 26.12.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2008.

सं 16-प्रज/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, मणिपुर अभिनिधाम सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारों के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनिधाम सेवा पद का सहारा प्रदान करती हैं:—

श्री लाल मोहन सिंह सोहबाम
सब-ऑफिसर

26 दिसम्बर, 2006 को 20:10 बजे अभिनिधाम कहर, इमारत में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि अभिनिधाम को, व्याग्रता बाजार, इमारत स्थल में आग लग गई है। सूचना प्राप्त होने पर श्रीलाल मोहन सिंह सोहबाम, सब-ऑफिसर के नेतृत्व में अभिनिधाम कर्मी कम पुलिस गाड़ियों के साथ तृतीय मंच को गए। घटना स्थल पर पहुँचने पर अधिकारी ने देखा कि गोदाम पुरी तरह से आग की चपेट में आ गया था और आग की लपटें सभी दिशाओं से उठ रही थीं। बिना समय गंवाए उन्होंने पुलिस साथी को सामरिक स्थलों पर लगाया और आग को बुझाने की कार्रवाई प्रारम्भ कर दीं। इमारत के अंदर एल.पी.जी. सिलेंडर में विस्फोट होने से स्थिति और बिगड़ गयी। उन्होंने इमारत के अंदर से लोगों के निकलने की आवश्यकता सुनी। पूरी इमारत से घना बुखारा, हादसे गैस, लपटें निकल रही थीं और छोटे छोटे व्यक्ति कहीं फंसे लोगों को बचाने के लिए इमारत के अंदर प्रवेश करने का साहस नहीं कर रहा था। सभी तरह के खतरे के बावजूद श्री सोहबाम इमारत की पहली मंजिल पर पहुँचे और वहांचं शम मध्य व्यक्ति श्री धोकाने नौलमणिसिंह को बना लिया।

इस प्रकार, श्री लाल मोहन सिंह सोहबाम ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्भुत सहायता, भूमिका नेतृत्व न्यायासीक कुशलता और उच्च कोटी की कर्तव्य परायणता का परिचय दिया।

वह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनिधाम सेवा पद पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमितावर के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणामस्वरूप नियम 5(1) के तहत अनुमोदित विशेष मंत्री दिनांक 26.12.2006 से इसके साथ देव होगा।

(वर्ण मित्र)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 17-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire
Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Punjab Fire
Service:

SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR
FIREMAN

On 01.02.2006 at 9.35 hrs a call was received at Fire Station Khanna,
Immediately Fire Tenders were rushed to the scene of fire from Khanna and
Ludhiana Fire Stations. On reaching the spot it was observed that flames and
thick smoke was leaping out from the windows. The fire crews were
deployed at the strategic locations with water jets to contain the fire. Sh.
Sushil Kumar, Fireman courageously entered deep inside the burning
building and remained inside till the fire was completely brought under
control. He did not allow the fire to spread to the Petrol Pump and other
surrounding properties and prevented the further disaster. He was injured in
the fire fighting operations and send to the Civil Hospital, Samrala for further
treatment.

2. Fireman, Shri Sushil Kumar, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry,
exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high
order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules
governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and
consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a)
w.e.f 01.02.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जुलाई, 2008

श्री सुशील कुमार
फायर मैन

दिनांक 01.02.2006 को 9.35 बजे फायर स्टेशन खंडा में सूनना प्राप्त हुई कि ओरिपेंटल बैंक ऑफ कामयाब, खंडा, पंजाब के परिसर में आग लग गई है। खंडा एवं लुधियाना फायर स्टेशनों से दमकल गाड़ियां तक काल अगला लगाने के स्थान पर पहुंची। घटनास्थल पर पहुंचने पर यह देखा गया कि बिंदुकियों से आग की तपाई रख घना धूआं उठ रहा है। आग बुझाने के लिए बालर जेटों के साथ अग्निशमन कर्मियों को सामरिक महत्त्व के स्थलों पर तैनात किया गया। श्री सुशील कुमार, फायरमैन ने साहस के साथ, जलती हुई इमारत के अन्दर गए और तब तक अन्दर रहे जब तक आग पर पूर्ण रूप से काबू नहीं पा लिया गया। उन्होंने पैदलों पर आस-पास की इमारतों को अगला अगल फेलने दी और इस प्रकार से आग को बुझा दिया। वे आग बुझाने की कार्यवाही के दौरान जख्मी हो गए और उन्हें उपचार हेतु सिविल अस्पताल भेजा गया।

2. इस प्रकार से फायरमैन, श्री सुशील कुमार ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्भुत साहस, ज्ञानसाधन शृंखलाएं और उच्च कोटि की कर्तव्य-प्राप्तिको का परिचय दिया।

3. यह पुरस्कार, वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अग्नि शमन सेवा पुरस्कार को श्राफत करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3 (1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणाममत्र: नियम 5 के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 01-02-2006 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(वृन्द मित्र)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
NO. 18-PRES/2008 - THE PRESIDENT IS PLEASED TO AWARD THE FIRE SERVICE MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY TO THE UNDER-MENTIONED OFFICERS OF JAMMU & KASHMIR FIRE SERVICE:

1. SHRİ GHULAM MOHD BHAT
   SUB OFFICER

2. SHRİ JARNAIL SINGH
   MECHANIC DRIVER

3. SHRİ ASSAD ULLAH BHAT
   FIREMAN

4. SHRİ HAMEED ULLAH HAKEEM
   FIREMAN

5. SHRİ GHULAM HASSAN RATHER
   FIREMAN DRIVER

6. SHRİ GHULAM NABI SHAH
   FIREMAN

7. SHRİ GHULAM MOHAMMAD SOFI
   FIREMAN

8. SHRİ MOHAMMAD YOUSF GANIE
   FIREMAN

9. SHRİ MOHAMMAD IQBAL BHAT
   FIREMAN

On 11th August 2007 at around 0900 hrs, a fire broke out with successive explosion of high explosive ammunitions in 21 Field Ammunition Depot, Khundroo, Distt. Anantnag, Jammu and Kashmir. On receipt of the call, Fire Tenders from Jammu and Kashmir Fire Service were reached to the spot. On arrival crew noticed heat, smoke and multiple fires accompanied with repeated explosions and flying splinters all around. The District Administration were requesting to the villagers to evacuate the nearby places. The Fire Tenders were parked at the strategic locations and started fire-fighting operations to control the devastating fire. The fire crews
ner site and save the number of lives. The crew members have ruthlessly fought the fire and professionally tackled the situation amid a series of blast, exposure hazards, heat radiation, obnoxious fumes, hostile involvements and injuries. The crew members also work shoulder to shoulder with bomb disposal squad summoned by the army from all over the country to clear the shells.

2. S/Shri Ghulam Mohd Bhat, Sub Officer, Jarnail Singh, Mechanic Driver, Assad Ullah Bhat, Fireman, Hameed Ullah Hakeem, Fireman, Ghulam Hassan Rather, Fireman Driver, Ghulam Nabi Shah, Fireman, Ghulam Mohammad Sofi, Fireman, Mohammad Yousf Ganie, Fireman and Mohammad Iqbal Bhat, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.08.2007.

[Signature]
(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 19-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service:-

1. SHRI SAJJAD AHMD KHAN
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER

2. SHRI FAROOQ AHMAD SHAGOO
   DRIVER

3. SHRI MOHAMMAD YASEEN SHAH
   FIREMAN

On 21.03.2007 at 6.15 hrs. a call was received in the Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service Control room, Srinagar informing that nine civilian men, women and children have been marooned by flash floods in residential housing, Srinagar. Immediately on receipt of call, Fire Tenders along with Rescue Boats were rushed to the spot. On reaching to the spot, it was observed that men, women and children are trapped in the ground floor of a single story house, turned as a huge water reservoir due to flash flood. Immediately S/Shri Sajjad Ahmd Khan, Farooq Ahmad Shagoo, Mohammad Yaseen Shah, as members of the rescue team with their boats and without considering all odds in their way such as invisible barbed wire fencing, high walls, electrical polls etc. approached to save trapped personnel. They finally saved trapped personnel namely S/Shri Nazir Ahmad age (50) years, Mohd Maqbool (45) years, Assiya (30) years, Manzoor Akhtar (12) years, Gulshan Bano (12) years, Furkan Ahmad (9) years, Irlana Bano (8) years, Rafiqa Bano (6) years, and Iqra age (5) years.

2. S/Shri Sajjad Ahmd Khan, Divisional Fire Officer, Farooq Ahmad Shagoo, Driver and Mohammad Yaseen Shah, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 21.03.2007.

(Signed)

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2008.

रो 19-प्र/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, जम्मू एवं कश्मीर अभिनव शमन सेवा के निम्नलिखित विधिकारियों को वीरता के लिए अभिनव शमन सेवा पदक सहस्र प्रदान करती हैं:-

1. श्री सज्जाद अहमद खान
प्रभागीय अभिनव शमन अधिकारी

2. श्री फारुख अहमद शाहू
हाईवर

3. श्री मोहम्मद यासीन शाह
फायरमैन

दिनांक 21-3-2007 को 6.15 बजे जम्मू एवं कश्मीर अभिनव शमन सेवा नियंत्रण कक्ष, श्रीनागर में एक सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि 9 सिविलियन, महिलाएं और बच्चे रिहाय्षी स्थान, श्रीनागर में बाढ़ में अस्थायी हानि गए हैं। सूचना प्राप्त होने पर बनवाल नावों के साथ दमकल गाड़ियां तक्कल घटना स्थल पर पहुँचीं। घटना स्थल पर पहुँचने पर, यह पाया कि, आदमी, ओर्जन और बच्चे एक मौजूदी मकान के भूतल में फंस गए हैं जोकि तेज बाढ़ के कारण एक बड़े जलाशय में परिवर्तित हो गया है। बनवाल दल के सदस्य श्री सज्जाद अहमद खान, फारुख अहमद शाहू, मोहम्मद यासीन शाह अपने नावों पर और अपने मार्ग में आने वाली सभी बाधाओं जैसे अद्रूण कोट्टे, बाढ़, ऊंची दीवारें, जिल्लाओं इत्यादि पर तिकार लिये गए हैं। कार्यकर्ता को बताया गया है कि तक्कल आगे बढ़े। अन्ततः: उन्होंने फंसे हुए व्यक्तियों को निम्न: सर्वोपरि नाइजर अहमद, आयु 50 वर्ष, मोहम्मद बक्कूल, 45 वर्ष, असिया, 30 वर्ष, पन्जरिये अख्तर, 12 वर्ष, गुलशन बानो, 12 वर्ष, फुरकान अहमद, 9 वर्ष, इरफाना बानो, 8 वर्ष, राफीका बानो, 6 वर्ष और इकरा, आयु 5 वर्ष को बना लिया।

2. इस प्रकार सर्वोत्तर श्री सज्जाद अहमद खान, प्रभागीय अभिनव शमन अधिकारी, फारुख अहमद शाहू, हाईवर और मोहम्मद यासीन शाह, फायरमैन ने उल्लक्ष्य वीरता, अद्रूण साहस, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक कुशलता और उन्नू कोट्टी की कर्तव्य-परायणता का परिचय दिया।

3. ये यूरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनव शमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासन करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3 (1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामतः नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमोदित विशेष भान्त दिनांक 21-3-2007 से इनके साथ देना होगा।

(परिचय)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 20-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Jammu & Kashmir Fire Service:

1. SHRI MOHAMMAD IQBAL
   LEADING FIREMAN

2. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR
   FIREMAN

On 15.12.2006 at 14.08 hrs a call was received in the Fire Control Room Gandhi Nagar informing that fire has broken out at Mubarak Mandi, Old Secretariat Complex, Jammu. On receipt of the call, Fire Tenders from the nearest Fire Station were rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene the officer in charge observed that the fire was spreading fast in all directions. He positioned the fire tenders at the strategic location and started fire-fighting operations. Leading Fireman, Sh. Mohammad Iqbal and Fireman Sh. Vijay Kumar as part of the team spearheaded the water jets and entered deep into the burning building from the rear side in spite of danger to the life due to leaping flames, black dense smoke etc. and continued fire fighting and saved the Toshkhana where Dogra Maharaja’s Treasure worth thousand of crores besides lives of the occupants of the adjoining offices, institutions in Mobarak Mandi Complex.

2. S/ Shri Mohammad Iqbal, Leading Fireman and Sh. Vijay Kumar, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 15.12.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2008।

0 20-सं/ज़िला/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, जम्मू व कश्मीर अगिनिशन सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

1. श्री मोहम्मद इकबाल लैंडिङ फायररैज़
2. श्री विजय कुमार फायररैज़

15 दिसम्बर, 2006 को 14.08 बजे अगिन नियंत्रण कक्ष, गाँधी नगर में गृहम ग्राह्य हुई कि पंबारक मंडी, गूजा संस्थान दौरोस, जम्मू में आग लग गई है। गृहम ग्राह्य होने पर नज़दीकी अगिनिशन स्टेशन से दंडकर गाड़ियाँ, तुरंत धरती स्थल पर पहुँची। धरती स्थल पर पहुँचने पर भारी अधिकारी ने देखा कि आग सभी दीवारों में तेज़ी से फैल रही थी। उन्होंने अगिनिशन कर्मियों को सामाजिक स्थलों पर लगाना और आग बुझाने की कार्यवाही सार्थक कर दी। टीम के सदस्य, लैंडिङ फायररैज़ श्री मोहम्मद इकबाल और फायररैज़ श्री विजय कुमार ने वाटरजेटस का नेतृत्व संभाला और बहती हुई लपटों, घंटे कारे धुएं आदि के कारण अपनी जान के लिए उत्तम जोखिम की परवाह न रखने में दीवारें और जल रही बांधक के अंदर मुस्कान एवं आग बुझाने की कार्यवाही करने रहे और लोगों को यहाँ पर घूमना महत्वपूर्ण का हजारों के खजाना था कि बचाने के साथ-साथ मुख्य कॉप्लेक्स नंथ फायररैज़ स्थली आसपास के कायदियों, संस्थानों में रह रहे लोगों की जान बचायी।

2. इस प्रकार, स्वतंत्र/श्री मोहम्मद इकबाल, लैंडिङ फायररैज़ और श्री विजय कुमार, फायररैज़ ने इसकु छ वीरता, अदम्य साहस, व्यावहारिक शक्तिता और उच्च कॉट की कर्तव्य परामर्शता का परियोजना दिया।

3. ये पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अगिनिशन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किए जाते हैं और परीक्षण:-, नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भवन दिनांक 15.12.2006 से इनके साथ देंदा होगा।

(विजय मित्रा)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 21-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Maharashtra Fire Service:

1. SHRI RAMESH DAMODAR BHOR
   STATION OFFICER

2. SHRI PRAMOD SHANTARAM SAWANT
   FIREMAN

On 13th March, 2007 at 1855 hours a call was received at Dindoshi Fire Station about the building collapse at Royal Palm Estate, Near Park Plaza, Aarey Colony, Goregaon (E), Mumbai. The Fire Crews with fire tenders were dispatched from Dindoshi Fire Station and the reinforcement from other nearest Fire Stations. On arrival at the scene of the incident, officer-in-charge observed that a building was collapsed and many workers were trapped under the debris in more than 12 feet deep cavity. The unstable structure of the collapsed building was posing the danger of further collapse of huge Concrete slabs threatening the life of the firemen involved in rescue operations. Any slightest mistake by the firemen could have endangered the life of the rescuer and the people trapped inside. Chief Fire Officer along with Shri Ramesh Damodar Bhor, Station Officer and Pramod Shantaram Sawant, Fireman, have made narrow opening by cutting the slabs and crawled through the tunnel and reached the trapped victims. They rescued two people, alive from the rubble.

2. S/SHRI RAMESH DAMODAR BHOR, STATION OFFICER AND PRAMOD SHANTARAM SAWANT, FIREMAN, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 13.03.2007.

[Signature]
(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जनवरी, 2008.

सं 21/प्रेम/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, महाराष्ट्र अभिशापन सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को वीरता के लिए अभिशापन सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करती है:-

1. श्री रमेश दमोदर भोर
   स्टेशन अधिकारी

2. श्री प्रमोद शांताराम सावंत
   फायरमैन

दिनांक 13 मार्च, 2007 को 1855 बजे डिझारी दमकल केन्द्र को सुनना प्राप्त हुई कि मुम्बई के गोरेगाव (पूर्व) की ओर लौहों में पार्क प्लाजा के निकट रायल पॉम एस्टेट में एक इमारत ढह गई है। डिझारी दमकल केन्द्र से दमकल गाड़ियों के साथ अभिशापन कार्यक½ तथा समीप के अन्य दमकल केंद्रों से कुमुद रचना हुए। घटना स्थल पर पहुंच कर प्रभारी अधिकारी ने पाया कि एक इमारत ढह गई थी और कई मजूर 12 मूं फ्रो से अधिक गार्ड गड्डी में मलबे के नीचे दबे हुए थे। वह चूक हमारे के अवसथापन धांने के ग्रामें का खाता था, जिसमें कंक्रीट के बढ़-बढ़े स्लेब थे, जिससे ब्लाउ मार्फ में लगे फायरमैनों की जान को खतरा बना हुआ था। फायरमैनों की छोटी सी चूक बचावकारों और अंदर फंसे हुए व्यक्तियों की जान खतरे में डाल सकती थी। नौकर फायर अफिसर ने श्री रमेश दमोदर भोर, स्टेशन अधिकारी और प्रमोद शांताराम सावंत, फायरमैन के साथ, स्लेब को काटकर एक छोटा सा रास्ता बनाया और उस सुरंग से रंगी के हुए मलबे में फंसे पीड़ितों तक पहुंचे। उन्होंने मलबे में दबे दो लोगों की जिंदा बना लिया।

2. इस प्रकार सर्वश्रेष्ठ रमेश दमोदर भोर, स्टेशन अधिकारी और प्रमोद शांताराम सावंत, फायरमैन ने उक्त पीरता, अद्यतन सहास, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक कुशलता और उन्हें कोटी की कर्मय-परायणता का परिचय दिया।

3. ये पुरस्कार, वीरता के लिए अभिशापन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामतः नियम 5 (क) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 13.03.2007 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(फायर मित्र)
राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 22-Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service:

SHRI PRAKASH CHANDRA NAYAK
FIREMAN

On 16.12.2006 at 22.00 hours a call was received at Athagarh Fire Station informing that a man had fallen into a narrow deep well at Sabarasahi under Tighria Police Station. On receipt of the call, Fire Tenders with crews were rushed to the spot. On reaching the spot it was found that a person named Madhu Behera had fallen into a narrow deep well filled with mud and water. There was danger of life threatening gases in the well. Knowing fully the danger, Fireman, Prakash Chandra Nayak dared to enter in the well with the help of ropes and holding a torch light in the mouth to rescue Shri Behera but could not succeed as there was unbearable stench present inside the well. He did attempted once more by covering his face with a cloth and succeeded in rescuing Sh. Behera who was lying unconscious on the skeleton of the buffalo. Fireman Shri Nayak was also felt dizziness and chest pain for which he was given medical treatment.

2. Shri Prakash Chandra Nayak. Fireman thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 16.12.2006.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
शनिवार, दिनांक 29 मार्च, 2008 के भारत के राजपत्र के
भाग-1, खंड-1 में प्रकाशनार्थ
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जानवरी, 2008.

राजीव 22-प्रज/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, उड़ीसा अभिनव गेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को बीरता के
लिए अभिनव गेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करने हैं:

श्री प्रकाश चन्द्र नायक
फायरमैन

दिनांक 16.12.2006 को 22.00 बजे अभिनव अभिनव गेवा केन्द्र में सूर्यनाम प्राप्त हुई कि
ग्रीडिया पुलिस थाने के अन्तर्गत साबरमठ में एक व्यक्ति एक गाड़ी संकरे कुंड में गिर गया है।
ग्रीडिया मिलने पर दमकल गाडियां, दल के सदस्यों सहित मौके पर पहुंचे। स्थानन्तरण पर पहुंचने
पर यह पता चला कि मधु बेहरा नाम का एक व्यक्ति, बीच और पानी से भरे एक गाड़ी संकरे कुंड में
गिरा हुआ है। कुंड के अंदर जहरीली गैसें होने का खतरा था। खतरे से पूरी तरह विदित होते
हुए भी फायरमैन, प्रकाश चन्द्र नायक ने श्री बेहरा को बचाने के लिए, मुंह में टार्ग कालर
रसस्यों की मदद से कुंड के अंदर प्रवेश करने का साहस किया परन्तु सफल नहीं हो सके क्योंकि
kुंड के अंदर असह्यीय दुर्गम थी। उन्होंने एक कपड़े से अपना मुंह ढक कर एक बार पुनः कुंड में
प्रवेश करने का प्रयास किया और वे श्री बेहरा, जो एक गैस के कंकाल पर बेचुर पड़े ने को बचाने
पर सफल हो गए। फायरमैन श्री नायक को भी चक्कर और चारों में लद्द महसूस होने गा जिसके
लिए उन्हें भिक्कुत्सा उपचार दिया गया।

2. इस प्रकार श्री प्रकाश चन्द्र नायक, फायरमैन ने उक्तस्थ बीरता, अदभुत साहस, व्यवसायिक
उत्तणता और उच्च कोटि की कर्मचारी-परायणता का परिचय दिया।

3. यह पुरस्कार, बीरता के लिए अभिनव गेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली
नियमावली के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है और परिणामतः नियम 5 (k) के तहत
अनुमंडल विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 16.12.2006 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(वि.वि.)
(सचिव)
राष्ट्रपति के संसूचक सचिव
NO. 10-Pres/2008 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2008 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:–

SHRI CLEMENT FLORIAN
ASSTT. STATE FIRE OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI VIJAY KUMR
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI RAJESH CHANDER SHARMA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SUDHIR MADHUKAR RISHI
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA MOHAPATRA
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI BALA RAMA MOHANTY
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI MASAFU JAGGA RAO
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DUSMANT KUMAR GARNAIK
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA
2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2008

No. 11-Pres/2008 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2008 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI BISHNU RAM DAS
SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI LOHIT GOSWAMI
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI SARAT CHANDRA SOUD
SUB OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI KAMESWAR THAKUR
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI GOBARDHAN RAM
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI RAJENDRA BHAGAT
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI RAJBALLAV YADAV
HAVILDAR DRIVER
BIHAR

SHRI MD. ZAINUAL ABDDIN
FIREMAN
BIHAR
SHRI HARBANS LAL ANEJA
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI GURMUKH SINGH CHAUHAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI ARJUN DASS
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SHIV PARSAD
SUB OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI RANBIR SINGH
CUB OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI VIKRAM SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI PREM SINGH RAWAT
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI RAKESH KUMAR
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI SHAMBHU LAL GAUTAM
FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI SUDHEER KUMAR BHAN
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI RAFEEQ AHMAD MEGNOO
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR
SHRI RAJINDER KUMAR KOUL
FIREMAN
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI FAZLUR RAHMAN SHARIEEF
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI FAKIRAPPA HUSSAINAPPA KURAKUNDI
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI T. B. MADAPPA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI CHIKKERRAIAH CHIKKAIAH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI VAMADEVAN V. DAMODARAN NADAR
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
KERALA

SHRI NAJEEB CHEMBOTHPARAMBIL ABDULKHADER
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI APPUKUTTAN BHARGAVAN NADAR
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI GANESH VISHWANATH PATIL
SUB OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI DNYANESHWAR TUKARAM KHEDEKAR
FIRE ENGINE DRIVER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI KANGTEN THAMPU LAMKANG
LEADING FIREMAN
MANIPUR
SHRI RABINDRA NATH SINGH
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SH. BIJAYA KUMAR MOHANTY
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA

SHRI SUNA KAR PARIDA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI PURUSHOTTAM SETHI
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI MANI KUMAR PRADHAN
FIRE STATION OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI CHELLA THEVAR GURUSAMY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PARAMASIVAN ARUMUGARAJAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
Tamil Nadu

SHRI RAMASAMY SUNDARARAJ
UPGRADED DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI CHINNAKANNU PERUMAL
UPGRADED LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SHYORAJ SINGH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

SH. HARVIR SINGH MALIK
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH
SHRI JASRAM SINGH  
LEADING FIREMAN  
UTTAR PRADESH  

SHRI NARESH KUMAR  
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER  
UTTAR PRADESH  

SHRI DIPAK KUMAR SARKAR  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL  

SHRI SAMAR NATH CHAKRABORTY  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL  

SHRI TULSI DAS BHATTACHARJEE  
FEOD  
WEST BENGAL  

SHRI SIB KUMAR MUKHOPADHYA  
FIRE OPERATOR  
WEST BENGAL  

SHRI BABULAL  
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE  
C.I.S.F., MHA  

SHRI RANBIR SINGH  
FIRE SUPERINTENDENT  
D.R.D.O., MOD  

SHRI RATTAN KUMAR  
FIREMASTER  
D.R.D.O., MOD  

These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)  
Joint Secretary to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 5th May, 2008

No. 42/Pres/2008 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of 21 Field Ammunition Depot, Ministry of Defence:

1. SHRI KULDEEP SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMASTER
2. SHRI CHAMAN LAL (POSTHUMOUS) LEADING HAND FIRE (A)
3. SHRI SANJU SINGH BALI (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
4. SHRI DALJIT SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) LEADING HAND FIRE (B)
5. SHRI SUREJ SINGH BALI (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
6. SHRI MUNEER AHMAD LONE (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
7. SHRI BASHIR AHMAD MIR (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
8. SHRI SUDESH KUMAR (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
9. SHRI SARABJEET SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
10. SHRI DAYA RAM (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
11. SHRI ABDUL RASHID BHAT (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
12. SHRI RAJESH KUMAR (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
13. SHRI OPENDER JEET SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
14. SHRI TARIQ AHMAD (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN
15. SHRI RICH PAL SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) LEADING HAND FIRE (A)
16. SHRI RATTAN SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) LEADING HAND FIRE (A)
17. SHRI MOHAN SINGH (POSTHUMOUS) LEADING HAND FIRE (A)
On 11.08.2007 at 9.00 hours an explosion took place in one of the ammunition sheds of 21 Field Ammunition Depot, Khundru, Distt. Anantnag, J&K, and Kashmir. Fire Master Gurmukh Singh, with twenty-one other firemen and smoke all-around. Flying splinters of exploded ammunitions endangered the situation further. But that did not deter the fire crews to stop and retreat, but they preferred to go ahead with fire fighting, rescue and work with such limited resources in such hostile conditions totally for personal safety. In doing so, they saved lives and valuable ammunitions worth several crores of rupees. Fourteen fire crews died in line, and another eight were grievously injured resulting in their permanent disability.


These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) of 08.2007.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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INDIA DATED SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 2008

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2008

No. 95–Pres/2008 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers of Maharashtra Fire Service:-

Shri Anil Vishnu Sawant
Chief Fire Officer

Shri Atmaram Narayan Shinde
Dy. Chief Fire Officer

Shri Deepak Kalipada Ghosh
Station Officer

Shri Jitendra Baliram Rawool
Fireman

Shri Vitthal Premkant Sawant
Fireman

On 18th July, 2007 at 18.19 hrs a rescue call was received in the control room of Mumbai Fire Brigade about building collapse in Laxmi Chhaya Complex situated at L.T. Marg, Babhai Naka Borivali (W), Mumbai. The Fire Crews with Fire Tenders and Rescue Vehicles were dispatched from the nearest Fire Stations. On arrival at the scene of incident, the Officer-in-charge saw that a seven storied residential cum commercial building have collapsed reportedly burying number of residence and shopkeepers under the debris of the collapsed structure. After assessing the situation the officer in charge with his men started the rescue operations. Total 47 people were removed from the debris out of which 19 people could be saved. Through out the rescue operation the precariously hanging large part of the collapsed building was posing danger to the Firemen who were involved in the rescue work.

2. S/Shri Anil Vishnu Sawant, Chief Fire Officer, Atmaram Narayan Shinde, Dy. Chief Fire Officer, Deepak Kalipada Ghosh, Station Officer Jitendra Baliram Rawool, Fireman and Vitthal Premkant Sawant, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, profession expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 18th July, 2007.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-1, SECTION-1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 2008

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2008

No. 96–Pres/2008 – The President is pleased to award the fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer of Orissa Fire Service:-

Shri Rabi Narayan Behera
Fireman

On 21.08.2007 at about 1300 hrs, a rescue call was received by the Fire Service rescue party, stationed at Dobal point Genjuity river regarding two persons being swept away in heavy current in Genjuity river. Immediately after receipt of the call, without caring for his personal safety, Shri Rabi Narayan Behera, Fireman No. 3 jumped into the river and rescued Shri Manoj Kumar Mohapatra, aged about 37 years and Shri Gyan Ranjan Mohanty, aged about 22 years of village Talapada under Dhamanagar P.S. Bhadrak district from the current and dragged them to the safety of the river bank.

2. Shri Rabi Narayan Behera, Fireman No. 3, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 21.08.2007.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2008

संख्या 96-प्रेज/2008 - राष्ट्रपति, उड्डीशा अभिनिमित्त सेवा के निमंत्रित अधिकारी को चीरता के लिए अभिनिमित्त सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करती है:-

श्री रावि नारायण बेहेरा
फायरमैन

दिनांक 21-08-2007 को लगभग 1300 क्षण जिन्नती नदी पर तैनात अभिनिमित्त बघावदल की सूचना मिली कि जिन्नती नदी के तेज़ बहाव में दो व्यक्ति बह गए हैं। सूचना मिलते ही बिना अपनी जान की परवाह किये श्री रावि नारायण बेहेरा फायरमैन नं 0 3 नदी में कूद गए और दोनों व्यक्तियों, श्री मनोज कुमार महापात्र, उम्र लगभग 37 साल और श्री जानरजन गहलोत, उम्र लगभग 22 साल गांव तालाबाड़ा पुलिस धाना धामानगर जिला भदरख, को पानी के तेज़ बहाव से खिचते हुए नदी के किनारे पर सुरक्षित ले गए।

2. इस प्रकार से श्री रावि नारायण बेहेरा, फायरमैन नं 0 3 ने उक्त क्षेत्र चीरता, अद्वम साहस, व्यावसायिक कुशलता और उच्च कोटि की कर्तव्य-पालनता का परिचय दिया।

यह पुरस्कार, चीरता के लिए अभिनिमित्त सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3(i) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामत: नियम 5 (३) के तहत अनुमेय विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 21-08-2007 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(व.ज फिलाडेल्फिया)
(चर्च रिप) राष्ट्रपति के संयुक्त सचिव
NEW DELHI, THE 15th AUGUST, 2008

No. 93-Pres/2008 — The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2008, to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI D. RASHEED
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI N.U. EARAPPA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI P.G. RAJU
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI H.S. VARADARAJAN
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. NARAYANASWAMY
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI TRINATH SAHU
ASST. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI RUSHIKESH KANDI
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI PRABHA KAR BEHERA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA
SHRI MANOJ KUMAR MOHAPATRA
FIREMEN
ORISSA

SHRI UDAY NARAYAN ADHIKARY
D.F.O.
WEST BENGAL

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award
of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

[Signature]
(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 94-Pres/2008 – The President is pleased, on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2008 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI D. GOPAL REDDY
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI SYED RAFEEQ AHMED
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI D. DAMODHARA RAO
LEADING FIREMEN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI D. BASAVA RAJU
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI KANAK CHANDRA MEDHI
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI JOGEN CHANDRA NATH
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI ATUL CHANDRA DEKA
LEADING FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI BICHITRA RAJBANGSHI
LEADING FIREMAN
ASSAM
SHRI SAFIT ALI
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI VIPIN KENTAL
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SARJIWAN KAUSHIK
ASST. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI MAHABIR SINGH Dahiya
STATION OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI RAGHUBIR SINGH
SUB-OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI HANSRAJ GAHLOT
SUB-OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SURESH CHAND
SUB-OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SAHDEV SINGH
DRIVER
DELHI

SHRI SUSIL KUMAR
ASST. WIRELESS OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI BASHIR AHMAD BHAT
STATION OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI BASHIR AHMAD SHIEKH
STATION OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR
SHRI RANGASWAMAIAH M.C
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHR KHAJA SIRAJUDDIN
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI DASOJIBHAIROJIRAO ADHURU
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI SHIVAKUNDAR
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI B.H. KRISHNAMURTHY
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI GURUMALLAIAH KEBBEGONDI
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI JOE KURUVILLA ABRAHAM
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI DIVAKARAN JAYAKUMAR
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM-PUMP OPERATOR
KERALA

SHRI VASANT BALWANT SHETKE
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI RAJA KISHORE JENA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI NILA KANTHA MOHANTY
FIREMAN
ORISSA
SHRI AKSHAYA KUMAR PRADHAN
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI NAREN KUMAR MOHANTY
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI BISIKESHAN DAS
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI ARIYASAMY CHAKARAVARTHI
LEADING FIREMAN
PONDICHERRY

SHRI THANGAVEL SUBRAMANIAM
LEADING FIREMAN
PONDICHERRY

SHRI CHERIYA MEEDHIAL KARUNAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ARUMUGAM KARUNANITHI
UPGRADED ASST. STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI TNANGAVEL JAYABAL
DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI MUNUSAMY SUBRAMANI
UPGRADED DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KUPPUSWAMY SELVARAJ
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI REHIMAN ABDUL SATHAR
UPGRADED LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU
SHRI SUJOY DAS MAJUMDER
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PARTHASARATHI SAHACHOWDHURY
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI TAPAN KUMAR DUTTA
CHIEF MOBILIZING OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI SUDIPTA MUKHERJEE
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI R. VIJAY KUMARAN NAIR
ASST. COMMANDANT/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI SIDDHARTHA RAHA
ASST. COMMANDANT/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI RAKESH KUMAR
HC/FIRE
CISR, MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Brun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2009

No. 5-Pres/2009- The president is pleased to award the President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI DEVI PRASAD SHUKLA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

SHRI SHIV DARAS PRASAD
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI VIRENDRA PRATAP SINGH
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI SATENDRA SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI SARDAR KHAN
FIREMAN

SHRI RAJPAL
FIREMAN

On 30th May, 2007 at 1710 Hrs, a call was received in the Control Room of Fire Brigade informing that fire has broken out in a commercial complex on Mall road, Kanpur. Immediately on receipt of call fire tenders were rushed to the spot from Latouche Road and Mirpur Cantonment fire stations. The fire crew while on way to the fire scene saw a huge ball of smoke coming out from that area. Realizing the situation the officer-in-charge asked the control room for responding senior officer and more fire tenders on the fire scene.

2. On arrival, Shri D. P. Shukla, Chief Fire Officer observed that the fire is spreading fast on all the floors of City Center building. People were running out for safety. He instructed the fire crews to start fire fighting and rescue operation. It was difficult to stay there due to smoke and hot gases all-round. Risking their lives Shri D. P. Shukla, Chief Fire Officer along with S/Shri Shiv Daras Prasad, Fire Station Officer, Virendra Pratap Singh, Fire Station Officer, Satendra Singh, Leading Fireman, Sardar Khan, Fireman and Rajpal, Fireman, climbed the adjoining “Heer Palace” building and made an improvised bridge with the help of extension ladders and ropes in between Heer Palace and City Centre building.
They crawled and with great difficulty could make forced entry into the fourth and fifth floor and safely rescued Archana Nigam, Mahesh Verma, Sachin, Sunil Sharma, Amit Gupta, Habib Ullah, Nasir, Ramesh Srivastava, Rajbir Singh one by one.

3. Shri Devi Prasad Shukla, Chief Fire Officer, Shiv Daras Prasad, Fire Station Officer, Virendra Pratap Singh, Fire Station Officer, Satendra Singh, Leading Fireman, Sardar Khan, Fireman and Rajpal, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 30.05.2007

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(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2009

No. 6-Pres/2009- The president is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI GYAN PRAKASH SINGH
FIREMAN

SHRI VINDESHWARI PRASAD TRIPATHI
FIREMAN

On 17th May, 2003 at 1730 hrs a call was received in the control room of Fire Station, Civil Lines, Allahabad informing that gas is leaking from a welding workshop located at 64, Bairahana, near Sant Nirankari Bhawan and thereby affecting many people in the area. Immediately on receipt of call 2nd Fire Officer along with fire crews rushed to the spot.

2. On reaching there 2nd Fire Officer observed that acetylene gas is leaking from a cylinder inside the workshop causing panic in the area. He directed the crew to enter the workshop and stop the leakage. Endangering their own lives, Fireman S/Shri Gyan Prakash Singh and Vindeshwari Prasad Tripathi went inside the workshop with charged fire hose and water spray nozzles and continued diluting the leaking gas to prevent the possibility of fire resulting in explosion of the cylinder. Both of them tried to close the valve but partially succeeded due to its malfunction. Realizing the cause and consequences of leaking gas they lifted leaking cylinder and removed to safe location. Both of them fell unconscious due to inhalation of gas and were removed to the hospital for treatment.

3. S/Shri Gyan Prakash Singh, Fireman and Vindeshwari Prasad Tripathi, Fireman, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 17.05.2003.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-1, SECTION-I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, 21ST FEBRUARY, 2009

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2009

No. 3-Pres/2009 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2009 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI ANNE GOWDA
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ASHOKANAGAR LOKESH
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI RAZAK MIYAN
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI KAIBALYA CHARAN DAS
DY. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI PRANVINDRA KUMAR RAO
COMDT. FIRE SERVICE
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI SANJIB ROY
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
CISF, MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 4-Pres/2009 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2009 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI RAM CHANDRA BHAKAT
SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI KHAGENDRA NATH MEDHI
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI DEBENDRA NATH SARMAR
SUB OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI MOHAN CHANDRA KALITA
LEADING FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI NABA BHATTACHARJEE
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI POAL KATHAR
DRIVER
ASSAM

SHRI SOHAN SINGH VERMA
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI HARI SINGH NEGI
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH
SHRI DEVINDER SINGH JHOUTA
FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI K. CHANDRANATH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. NAGARAJU
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI S. T. NAGARAJ
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. SHEKHAR KOTARI
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI G. RANGASWAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI BHOYA NAGAMUNDI
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI M. HANUMANTHAIH
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI BOLAR LOKESH
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI SYED TAJUDDIN
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. L. JAGANNATHACHARI
DRIVER MECHANIC
KARNATAKA
SHRI PRASAD RAMA KAIMAL  
ASST. DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
KERALA

SHRI DHARANI DHAR NATH  
ASST. STATION OFFICER  
ORISSA

SHRI PARSU RAM BARIK  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ORISSA

SHRI FANINDRA NAYAK  
FIREMAN  
ORISSA

SHRI LAXMAN KUMAR BEHERA  
FIREMAN  
ORISSA

SHRI SRIMANTA SEKHAR PANDA  
FIREMAN  
ORISSA

SHRI AKHTAR SAYEED  
FIREMAN  
RAJASTHAN

SHRI RAM KARAN YADAV  
FIREMAN  
RAJASTHAN

SHRI HANUMAN SAHAI BUNKAR  
FIREMAN  
RAJASTHAN

SHRI B. NANDAGOPAL  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
TAMILNADU

SHRI T. PADMAKUMAR  
ASST. DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
TAMILNADU
SHRI R. KANDASAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMILNADU

SHRI P. VISWANATHAN
DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMILNADU

SHRI S. SUBRAMANIAN
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMILNADU

SHRI A. RAHAMADULLAH
FIREMAN
TAMILNADU

SHRI A. KULANDAIRAJ
FIREMAN
TAMILNADU

SHRI P. M. UNNIKRISHNAN
FIREMAN
TAMILNADU

SHRI ANAND PAL SINGH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI RAJENDRA TIWARI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI ASHOK KUMAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI VAKEEL AHMAD
FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI NETAI CHATTOPADHYAYA
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
SHRI JYOTIRMLOY ROY
SUB OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI BISHNU PRASAD DHAR
SUB OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI BIREN德拉 NATH RAM
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ATAUΛ HAQUE
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI DEBABRATA DAS
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI PRASANTA CHAKRABARTY
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI DHAΝANJAY N. PATIL
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)
M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

SHRI GHANSHYAM DAS SAINI
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)
M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

SHRI SONESWAR GOGOI
ASST. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)
M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.
No. 95-Pres/2009 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Maharashtra Fire Service: -

SHRI NANDKUMAR SAHDEV PALANGE
DRIVER

On 19th September, 2008 four incidents of flash floods in the Godavari river bank, Asharam Bapu Ashram and Gangajal area of Nashik occurred at 1600 hrs, 1630 hrs, 1730 hrs and 2100 hrs resulting in flood water upto 30ft above the bank suddenly entering the houses nearby. Immediately, the Nashik Fire Brigade staff with rescue vehicles rushed to the spot.

2. On reaching the scene of incident it was observed that five men were found stranded on trees to take shelter and struggling to save their lives. Driver, Shri Palange without caring for his life, jumped into roaring water and attempted four times to cover distance of about 200 to 300ft away in pitch dark night time by swimming through many obstacles and rescued all the five men safely.

3. Driver Shri Nandkumar Sahdev Palange thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 19th September, 2008.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2009

No. 96-Pres/2009 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service: -

SHRI BASANTA KUMAR GHADEI
FIREMAN NO. 1578

On 30th August, 2008 at 2025 hrs a special call was received at Cuttack Fire Station regarding drowning of one person in River Kathajodi. Immediately, one unit of Cuttack fire station along with crew rushed to the spot.

2. On arrival it was seen that one person named Shri Devi Prasad Das, aged about 24 years had fallen down from Kathajodi River bridge on Bhubaneswar Cuttack road and was in the water holding a pillar struggling for his life. Immediately, Shri Ghadei with the help of rope ladder, life-buoy and rescue line scaled down to rescue the trapped person. But unfortunately by the time Shri Ghadei reached the trapped person, he was swept away by the strong current of water. Shri Ghadei putting his own life at risk, jumped into the water with a life buoy and swam near the drowning person. With much difficulty he rescued the person who was in unconscious state. Shri Devi Prasad Das was given First-Aid treatment and transported to the S.C.B. Medical College and Hospital, Cuttack for further necessary treatment. The rescuer Shri Ghadei who was feeling uneasy was also sent to the Police Hospital, Cuttack for necessary check up.

3. Fireman Shri Basanta Kumar Ghadei thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 30th August, 2008.

Barun Mitra
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 97-Pres/2009 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Maharashtra Fire Service:

SHRI ANIL VISHNU SAWANT
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

SHRI PRATAP DAMODAR KARGUPPIKAR
JOINT CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

SHRI SUDHIR GOPAL AMIN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER

SHRI KAITAN FRANCIS DSOUZA
STATION OFFICER

SHRI SANJAY WAMAN RANE
STATION OFFICER

SHRI MOSES EZEKIEL PUGAONKAR
DRIVER OPERATOR

SHRI YUVRAJ DHANJIRAO PAWAR
FIREMAN

During a Terrorist strike as a result of large number of explosions, major fires occurred in the Trident Hotel, N.S.B. road, Nariman point, Mumabi, Taj Palace, Apollo Bunder road, Mumbai, and at CST Railway Station between 26th - 28th November, 2008. Putting their lives to great risk Shri Anil Vishnu Sawant, Chief Fire Officer and other officers and men of Mumbai Fire Brigade mentioned above were engaged at various locations despite heavy cross firing to fight fires and rescuing the trapped innocent people. The brave acts of these officers and men fighting fires and rescuing people from upper floors with the help of tall rescue ladders and other equipments was witnessed and appreciated by public through electronic media.

2. Chief Fire Officer Shri Anil Vishnu Sawant, Joint Chief Fire Officer Shri Pratap Damodar Karguppikar, Asstt. Divisional Fire Officer Shri Sudhir Gopal Amin, Station Officer Shri Kaitan Francis Dsouza, Station Officer Shri Sanjay
Waman Rane, Driver Operator Shri Moses Ezekiel Pugaonkar and Fireman Shri Yuvraj Dhanjirao Pawar thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 26\textsuperscript{th} November, 2008.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2009

No. 93-Pres/2009 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2009 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI SHER SINGH THAPA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI NABA KRUSHNA MISHRA
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI LAXMI DHAR PRADHAN
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI DAWOOD MATHAR KHAN
DY. ASSTT. DIRECTOR
N.F.S.C., MHA

SHRI BHOJRAJ RAMBHAU GAHANE
JR. DEMONSTRATOR
N.F.S.C., MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 94-Pres/2009 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2009 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:-

SHRI ABDUR RAHMAN
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI BHUBAN CHANDRA BASUMATARY
SUB OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI PRABIN KUMAR HALOI
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI RAJ NARAYAN PANDEY
DRIVER
ASSAM

SHRI ATUL GARG
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI THAN SINGH SHARMA
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI PREM SINGH Dahiya
ASSTT DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI MADHAB KUMAR CHATTOPADHYAY
STATION OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI ASHOK KUMAR SHARMA
SUB-OFFICER – 760
DELHI
SHRI RATTAN SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN –851
DELHI

SHRI SATYAWAN
LEADING FIREMAN – 86/50
DELHI

SHRI DEVINDER DUTT SHARMA
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI NISAR AHMED
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. LINGEGOWDA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI B. M. NANDESHWARAIH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI G. RANGASWAMAIAH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI N. GOVARDHAN
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. YESU
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. NARAYANAPPA
FIREMAN DRIVER – 654
KARNATAKA

SHRI SATHYAN PENNAPARAMBIL KUTTY
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (ADMN)
KERALA
SHRI VARGHESE MUNDA PUZHAULHANNAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI MURALI EDHARAN PATTATHIL
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI ANANTA CHARAN SETHI
DEPUTY FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI PRASANNA KUMAR PARHI
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI SANKHA MARANDI
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA

SHRI GANESWAR SAHOO
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI RAMENDRA KUMAR SARANGI
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI SUNIL KUMAR MOHANTY
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI TOPDEN BHUTIA
SUB FIRE OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI VADACHERY RAMAKRISHNAN KARUNANIDHI
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI MUTHIAH AYYARSAMY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU
SHRI ARUMUGAM DHANAVELU
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SUDALIYANDI KONAR SUNDARAVANA PERUMAL
LEADING FIREMAN – 3587
TAMIL NADU

SHRI LOGANATHAN SUKUMARAN
LEADING FIREMAN – 3905
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PONNUSWAMY SUBRAMANI
DRIVER MECHANIC – 3845
TAMIL NADU

SHRI CHINNAJI RAO SIVAJI RAO
DRIVER MECHANIC – 3330
TAMIL NADU

SHRI HENTRY MASCARANAS THINAGARAN
UGR. STATION OFFICER – 3326
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SUBBAIAH PILLAI SOMU
FIREMAN DRIVER – 3336
TAMIL NADU

SHRI DURAIRAJ RAMASUBRAMANIAN
FIREMAN DRIVER – 3342
TAMIL NADU

SHRI JAGANATHAN KOTHANDAPANI
UGR. LEADING FIREMAN – 3828
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KITHERIAN FERNANDO CRUZ VINCENT ROBERT
FIREMAN – 4026
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KRISHNAN SHANMUGAM
UGR. LEADING FIREMAN – 4259
TAMIL NADU
SHRI HARA LAL SARKAR  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI TAPAN KUMAR JANA  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ABHIJIT KUMAR DEB ROY  
MOBILISING OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI DILIP KUMAR NANDY  
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR CUM DRIVER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI NEERAJ SHARMA  
CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)  
ONGC, M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

SHRI LAKHI RAM DUTTA  
FIRE OFFICER  
ONGC, M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

SHRI NIRENDRA CHANDRA DAS  
ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)  
ONGC, M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

SHRI RAJENDRA KUMAR  
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER ‘B’  
DEPTT. OF ATOMIC ENERGY

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)  
Joint Secretary to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2010

No. 105-Pres/2010- The president is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers of Tamil Nadu Fire Service:

SHRI CHITHIRAI MANOHARAN
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI GOPAL RAJENDRAN
FIREMAN

SHRI PALANICHAMY SENTHILKUMAR
FIREMAN

On 27.06.2009 at 1730 hrs. a call was received by the Fire Brigade informing that a House No. 64/25, Allapitchai Rawther Lane, Jandamara Street, Dindigul Town has collapsed and people are buried under the huge debris.

Immediately on receipt of call Shri C. Manoharan, Assistant Divisional Officer along with crew members rushed to the scene of the incident. On reaching the spot, Shri Manoharan found that a three-storied building had collapsed and nearby standing public informed that some people are buried under the debris. Shri Manoharan assessed the situation and realized that there are possibilities of further collapse of remaining building. However, without fearing to risk to his and crew members lives, he started rescue work with the help of Fireman 6087 Shri G. Rajendran and Fireman 8322 Shri P. Senthilkumar. They carefully remove the debris to dig a tunnel to make way towards the trapped person and finally succeeded in rescuing Shri V. Santiago, a 35 year old mason from Annmantharayankottai. Shri V. Santiago was given first aid and removed to hospital for further treatment.

Assistant Divisional Officer Shri Chithirai Manoharan, Fireman Shri Gopal Rajendran and Fireman Shri Palanichamy Senthilkumar thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27.06.2009.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2010

No. 106-Pres/2010- The president is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officers of Himachal Pradesh Fire Service: -

SHRI BALVINDER SINGH MAHAL
STATION FIRE OFFICER

SHRI PARAS RAM
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI JAGDISH CHAND
FIREMAN

On 21.12.2007 at 1420 hrs a call of rescue was received at Fire Station Chamba by a local man on telephone and also through SDM Chamba informing that a passenger Bus No. HP-38B-7515 has met with an accident and has fallen into Nallah. Immediately on receipt of call Shri B. S. Mahal with his team rushed to the scene of the accident. On reaching the spot Shri B. S. Mahal noticed that the bus has skidded and rolled in the deep Nallah, about 30 meters below the road and it was risky to climb down the steep gradient covered with 2 feet to 2 ½ feet thick blanket of snow to reach and rescue the trapped passengers. No body amongst the crowd was dared to help. Shri B.S. Mahal, Station Fire Officer, along with Leading Fireman Shri Paras Ram and Fireman Shri Jagdish Chand in spite of risk to their lives slowly went deep into the Nallah and managed to rescue 9 seriously injured passengers.

Station Fire Officer Shri Balvinder Singh Mahal, Leading Fireman Shri Paras Ram and Fireman Shri Jagdish Chand thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 21.12.2007

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2010

No. 107-Pres/2010- The president is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned officer of Orissa Fire Service:

SHRI TAPAN KUMAR MOHANTY
FIREMAN

In the midnight of 20/21.04.2008 a call was received at the Kendrapara Fire Station informing that an old man namely Shri Madhabananda Mohanty aged 84 years has fallen into an unused deep well of 40 feet depth and could not come out. Immediately the Fire Brigade team of Kendrapara Fire Station including Fireman No. 619 Tapan Kumar Mohanty rushed to the spot. On reaching the spot crew members realized that there are chances of fatal poisonous gases, insects and snakes inside the unused well. Fireman Tapan Kumar Mohanty without caring for risk to his own life, dived into the well and rescued the old man.

Fireman Shri Tapan Kumar Mohanty, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 21.04.2008.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 108-Pres/2010 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2010 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI SEODEO YADAV
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI RAMESH UTHAIAH KOPPADA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI CHIKKAIAH KODIGEHALLI POOJAPPAPA
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI POOVAPPA
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI MAHESWAR SWAIN
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI SARBESWAR BARAL
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DAMODARAN PILLAI VELAYUDHAN NAIR
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI UDAI RAJ YADAV
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH
2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Brun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 109-Pres/2010 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2010 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI SURENDRA NATH K.
ASST. DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI SATYANARAYANA KOTHWALI
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI CHITTI SURYA PRAKASA RAO ARAVILLI
FIREFIGHTER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI JANAKI RAMI REDDY MOKKALA
LEADING FIREFIGHTER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI PRAKASH MOD KUMAR BARUAH
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI ATUL CHANDRA BORAH
SUB-OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI RAJANI PRASAD BAISHYA
LEADING FIREFIGHTER
ASSAM

SHRI AWADHESH KUMAR SINGH
SUB-OFFICER
BIHAR
SHRI PRAEJ ALAM
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI RATAN PRASAD GUPTA
FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI N. RUDRAPPAPA MARKANDEYA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. SHANKARAPPA
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI D. R. ANANDA RAO
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K.M.D. SHAFIUULLA
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI AMAVSYE DEVO GOWDA
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. RAJA SHETTY
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI MUNIKRISHNAPPA
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI C. CHALUVAIAH
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI K. DEVAIAH
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA
SHRI JOSEPH ANTONY GOMEZ FELIX
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI DINESAN KAITHAVALAPPIL SUKUMARAN
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI VETTIKATTIL SUKUMARAN RAVEENDRAN
FIREMAN DRIVER
KERALA

SHRI THANKACHAN RAJAPPAN SABARIMUTHU
FIREMAN DRIVER CPÖ
KERALA

SHRI LALTHANKIMA
LEADING FIREMAN
MIZORAM

SHRI CHATURBHUJA ROUT
ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DAYA NIDHI MISHRA
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ORISSA

SHRI PREMA NANDA DAS
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI TEK BAHADUR SUBBA
LEADING FIREMAN
SIKKIM

SHRI GOVINDASAMY SUNDARAM BALASUBRAMANIAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KRISHNAPPA NAIDU CHINNAPPAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU
SHRI SANTOSH KAMAL SINGH PAL
FIREMAN
NFSC, MHA

SHRI NETRA PRAKASH BAKSHI
ASI/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI SURENDER SINGH
HC/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI R J WAKUDKAR
HC/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI SURINDER PAL SINGH BHATIA
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI VASANT BABURAO BOROLE
FIRE OFFICER
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI MALLIKSSERY GOPALAKRISHNAN
ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI SURESH YASWANT PATIL
ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI BHAGIRATH SINGH
FIRE ENGINE DRIVER
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Baran Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 105-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Kerala Fire Service:

SHRI SAMEER UMMERKUTTY (POSTHUMOUS) FIREFMAN

SHRI VINOD KUMAR VISWANATHANKURUP FIREFMAN

2. On 31.12.2009 at 0400 hrs. a call was received by the Fire Brigade informing that one LPG Bullet container going from Mangalore to Parippally had collided with Wagon R Car at Puthenthervuvu on NH-47 and the passengers are trapped in the car. Immediately on receipt of call Fire tenders along with fire crew were rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident it was observed that due to the impact of accident the LPG Bullet Container exploded from the lorry and the LPG started leaking in huge quantity due to broken valve of the container. Fireman Shri Sameer Ummerkutty and Fireman Shri Vinod Kumar Viswanathankurup rescued all the trapped persons in the car safely. While diluting the leaking LPG with the spray of water the vapors caught fire due to spark from nearby passing vehicle and there was sudden spread of fire in the vast area leaving hardly any time for these fireman to save themselves. In this fire both these fireman got severe burn injuries on their body parts. Shri Sameer Ummerkutty succumbed to his burn injuries on 14.01.2010 and sacrificed his life.

3. Fireman Late Sameer Ummerkutty and Fireman Shri Vinod Kumar Viswanathankurup thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f 31.12.2009

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 106-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Maharashtra Fire Service:

- SHRI BHASKAR TANAJI MIRPAGAR
  CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

- SHRI BHIMRAO WAMAN KHAIRE
  LEADING FIREMAN

On 28.02.2009 at 1610 hrs. a call was received at the Fire Station informing that Fire has broken out at SS Electrical, Hira Oil Factory compound near Wacco Radio Company, Ulhasnagar. Immediately after receipt of call, Fire Tenders with crew rushed to the spot. After reaching the scene of incident Shri B.T. Mirpagar observed that the fire is spreading fast from the ground to the first floor of the factory building. People gathered there informed that 5-6 people working in the factory are still trapped in the fire. Shri B.T. Mirpagar placed water jets at strategic locations to fight the fire and started rescue operations. Putting their lives in danger both Shri B.T. Mirpagar, Chief Fire Officer and Shri Bhimrao Waman Khaire, Leading Fireman went inside the building through the smoke and hot gases and rescued all the trapped persons. During the rescue operations there was sudden explosion in the LPG cylinders creating huge ball of fire in which Shri B.T. Mirpagar and Shri Bhimrao Waman Khaire got serious burn injuries and remained hospitalized for 22 days.

2. Chief Fire Officer Shri Bhaskar Tanji Mirpagar and Leading Fireman Shri Bhimrao Waman Khaire thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.02.2009.

(Suresh Yadav)
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 107-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI JITENDRA KUMAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI ATAR SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI SHIV KUMAR
FIREMAN

SHRI SATISH CHAND
FIREMAN

On 30.10.2009 at 1405 hrs a call was received at Fire Station Moti Bagh, Bulandshahar informing that Ammonia Gas tank has exploded in the Khan Ice Factory, Devipura, Bulandshahar. Immediately on receipt of call Fire Station Officer Shri Jitendra Kumar with his crew rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident Shri Jitendra Kumar observed that there was a huge concentration of Ammonia gas in the area and people were running here and there for safety. In this difficult situation Shri Jitendra Kumar and his team covering their face with the wet clothes and water spray jets went on neutralizing the Ammonia gas. Fire Station Officer Shri Jitendra Kumar, Leading Fireman Shri Atar Singh, Fireman Shri Shiv Kumar and Fireman Shri Satish Chand rescued all the 13 persons who were lying in unconscious state in the Ice factory. They also rescued 16 minor girl students and one teacher of Chameli Devi Girls Inter College.

2. Fire Station Officer Shri Jitendra Kumar, Leading Fireman Shri Atar Singh, Fireman Shri Shiv Kumar and Fireman Shri Satish Chand thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 30.10.2009.

(Suresh Yadav)
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 108-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Delhi Fire Service:

SHRI KRISHAN KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN

On 23rd April, 2009 at 1254 hrs. a call was received at Fire Station Roop Nagar of Delhi Fire Service stating that some personnel of Sewer Department are trapped inside a Sewer at PCR Colony, Model Town, Delhi. Immediately on receipt of call Station Officer Shri K.K. Saxena along with crew rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident he was informed that three persons are trapped inside the Sewer due to presence of toxic gases. The sewer main hole was very narrow and it was not possible to enter the main hole with the breathing apparatus set. Shri K.K. Saxena started the rescue operation by sending three persons in the sewer hole one by one but nobody could reach the bottom of the sewer and came back due to unbearable foul smell and poisonous gases. Under these difficult circumstances Shri Krishan Kumar offered to go inside the sewer to rescue the trapped persons. Without caring for his life he first entered into the sewer main hole with the help of rope and wore B.A. set while inside the main hole. With great struggle he reached the bottom and spotted one trapped person, tied the rope around him and gave a signal to his colleagues outside to pull him up. Both Shri Krishan Kumar and the trapped person were pulled up and brought to the surface. The rescued man was alive. He again dared to enter the sewer and after searching removed the second and the third causality in the same way. Both were unconscious. All the three rescued persons were removed to Hindu Rao Hospital where Shri Vinod and Shri Ajeet were declared brought dead and Shri Bijlesh could be saved.

2. Leading Fireman Shri Krishan Kumar thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 23.04.2009.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 109-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Maharashtra Fire Service: -

SHRI SANJAY HARIBHAU KAPGATE
FIREMAN

On 02.06.2009 a call was received at Fire Station Sakkardara informing that two persons have fallen inside a well at Mr. S. Randive’s residence, Plot No. 14, Besides Shahu Lawn, Vighanaharta Nagar, Hudkeshwar Road, Nagpur. Immediately on receipt of call Fire Tenders alongwith fire crew of Sakkardara Fire Station rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident it was found that two labourers who went down inside the very narrow well to remove silt have become unconscious due to the carbon monoxide emitted by petrol driven pump used for dewatering of the well. Knowing well the risk of carbon monoxide to his own life Shri Sanjay Haribhau Kapgate, Fireman went down the well with the help of a rope and brought out both the casualties one by one. During this rescue operation Fireman Shri Sanjay Haribhau Kapgate was also affected with the poisonous gases. Both the labourers and Shri Sanjay Haribhau Kapgate were rushed to the Hospital for rendering the required treatment. One of the labourers named Shri Subhash Namdevrao Meshram was declared dead by the Doctor and another labourer identified as Shanker Chandansingh Baghel and Fireman Shri Sanjay Haribhau Kapgate were admitted and were out of danger.

2. Fireman Shri Sanjay Haribhau Kapgate thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 02.06.2009.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 110 -Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Odisha Fire Service:

SHRI PRATAP KUMAR TRIPATHY
FIREMAN

On 25.08.2008 at 1445 hrs. a call was received at Padmapur Fire Station informing that a fire has broken out at Vill. Khuntpali, Bargarh. Immediately on receipt of call Fire Tenders along with the fire crew rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was found that a church and orphanage center were on fire. During fire fighting operations Shri Pratap Kumar Tripathy, Fireman heard some human voice screaming for help from inside the church building which was on fire. The church door locked from inside and very difficult to open to rescue the trapped person. With the help of Fire Brigade tools the fire crew made a hole for forcible entry in the wall beneath the window. Shri Tripathy without caring for his life managed to enter the hole by crawling through the smoke and hot gases and reached the victim Father Eddy lying unconscious. While bringing the father Eddy out in the open Shri Tripathy kept Father Eddy alive by giving him artificial breathing.

2. Fireman Shri Pratap Kumar Tripathy thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 25.08.2008.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 111-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Tamil Nadu Fire Service:

SHRI MUTHURAMTHEVAR GAJENDRAN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI LINGAM SUBRAMANI
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI ANNAMALAI SUBRAMANI
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI RAJAPPA PANNEER SELVAM
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI KANSIVAM BASKARAN
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI RAMAKRISHNAN NAMASIVAYA KUMAR
FIREMAN

SHRI NATARAJ MOORTHY
FIREMAN

On 15.09.2009 at 2345 hrs. a call was received by the Fire Brigade informing that there is flood in the water stream of Animadugu which join the Palar River at Ambur Town. Teams of Fire Brigade personnel headed by Divisional Officer Shri Muthuramthevar Gajendran from Vaniyambadi, Natrampalli, Alangayam and Permambut Fire Stations rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident it was found that due to heavy rains water has entered into more than 500 houses behind the OAR theatre on the National Highway. People were seen sitting on the rooftops of the houses and on the southern side of the stream people living in the 150 huts were also stranded in the floods struggling for life. In spite of all odds and danger to their lives the team lead by Divisional Officer Shri Muthuramthevar Gajendran managed to rescue about 435 persons from the floods and retrieve the bodies of five people.
2. Divisional Officer Shri Muthuramthevar Gajendran, Assistant Divisional Officer Shri Lingam Subramani, Assistant Divisional Officer Shri Annamalai Subramani, Leading Fireman Shri Rajappa Panneer Selvam, Leading Fireman Shri Kansivam Baskaran, Fireman Shri Ramakrishnan Namaskivaya Kumar and Fireman Shri Nataraj Moorthy thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 15.09.2009.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 112-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI VIDYA KANT MISHRA
LEADING FIREMAN

On 19th December, 2008 at 1820 hrs. a call was received by the fire brigade stating that fire has broken out in stationery godown of Laxmi Corporation, 142, Collector Ganj, Fatehpur. Immediately on receipt of call Fire Tenders alongwith fire crew rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident Shri Vidya Kant Mishra, Leading Fireman observed that the fire was in the stationery godown and spreading fast towards the first floor of the building. He placed fire fighting jets at strategic locations to control the fire. Suddenly, Shri Mishra heard cries for help from the first floor. Without loosing time he immediately rushed to the first floor to save the trapped person. In spite of danger to his life he reached the first floor of the building through thick smoke and hot gases and rescued the 80 years old man namely Shri Gopi Krishna Gupta.

2. Leading Fireman Shri Vidya Kant Mishra thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 19.12.2008.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 113-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2010 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:-

SHRI AJAY KUMAR SHARMA  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
DELHI

SHRI GOPAL CHANDRA MISRA  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
DELHI

SHRI KRISHNA SHASTRY SRINIVAS  
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

SHRI PRASANNA KUMAR NAYAK  
ASST. STATION OFFICER  
ODISHA

SHRI SOMANATH NAYAK  
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER  
ODISHA

SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA SAHOO  
FIREMAN  
ODISHA

SHRI THANGAIYA DAVID VINCENT DEVADAS  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
TAMIL NADU

SHRI VIRENDRA PRASAD PANDEY  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
UTTAR PRADESH
2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
President's Secretariat

Notification

New Delhi, the 10th October, 2012

No. 114-Pres/2012-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2010 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:-

SHRI PIPPARI VENKATESHWAR
DIRECTOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI A. VEERABHADRA RAO
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI PADAM SATYANARAYAN
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI KANNEBOINA ODELU
DRIVER OPERATOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI NARENDRA CHANDRA MAHANTA
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI BHUPEN CHANDRA DAS
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI KHORCHAND ALI HAZARIKA
STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI DHIRESWAR BAISHYA
FIREMAN
ASSAM

SHRI KHARGESWAR RAJBONGSHI
FIREMAN
ASSAM
SHRI BHASKER PRASAD SINHA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI FAKIRA PASWAN
SUB-OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI RAJESH PANWAR
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI DHARMVIR SINGH YADAV
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI ABHILASH KUMAR MALIK
STATION OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI CHANDERPAL SINGH
FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI RAMESH SINGH
FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI BHUPINDER PAL DOGRA
LEADING FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI SHAM BATTARA PALYA NANJUNDAPPA
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI KUPPE RUDRAIAH VEERABADRAIAH
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI PAREKADAU SATISH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA
SHRI ANNALLI RANGAIH RANGAIH
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI RAMAKRISHNE GOWDA
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI JODAGATTE PAPANNA HANUMAN TEGOWDA
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ASOKA KUMAR CHELLAPPAN
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI RAJASEKHARAN KUNJURAMAN
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

SHRI PRASHANT DADARAM RANPISE
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI ROMAWIA
FIREMAN
MIZORAM

SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR SWAIN
STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

SHRI GANESH PRASAD RANA
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ODISHA

SHRI NITYANANDA JENA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ODISHA

SHRI MANOJ KUMAR SAHU
FIREMAN
ODISHA
SHRI SUBASH SUBBA
SUB FIRE OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI SIVAGNANAM PILLAI ARUMUGAM
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI MOHD. HUSSAIN MOHAMED SADIQ ALI
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI MANUVAL AMIRTHAVASAGAM
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI DANIEL JAGANATHAN
DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PALANIGOUNDER BALRAJ
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SRINIVASAN SHUNMUGAM
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI JAI SHANKAR SAXENA
FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI BIJENDRA SINGH
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI GOUR PRASAD GHOSH
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI SAMIR CHOUDHURY
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
SHRI ASHOK KUMAR BANERJEE
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI SATADAL
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI KIRAN PRASAD DAS
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI SHANKAR
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI S. R. SUBRAMANIAN
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI RANJIT KUMAR RAMLAL BRAHMBHATT
FIRE OFFICER
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI GEORGE MATHEW
SR. ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI PRAKASH CHANDRA SHARMA
ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 33-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI AJAY KUMAR CHAND (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN

SHRI HARI LAL YADAV (POSTHUMOUS) FIREMAN

2. On 31.03.2009 at 1310 hours, a call was received at the Azamgarh Fire Station, informing that fire has broken out in the basement of a paint shop, Mohalla – Harbanshpur, P.S., Sidhri, District Azamgarh, Uttar Pradesh. On receipt of call, Fire Tenders from Azamgarh Fire Station with LFM Afaroz Alam Khan as officer-in-charge rushed to the scene of fire. On reaching the spot, LFM Afaroz Alam Khan saw that the basement of the shop containing drums of paint, thinner and other chemicals had caught fire and spreading fast. FM Harilal Yadav, FM Ajay Kumar Chand, FM Harish Chandra, FM Balajeet Yadav started fire fighting operations and simultaneously the officer-in-charge requisitioned more Water Tenders and of senior officers. In an effort to save life and property from fire, Fireman Ajay Kumar Chand, Harilal Yadav and other crew members got trapped in the fire and received severe burn injuries. Fireman Ajay Kumar Chand and Harilal Yadav died on 8th April, 2009 in Laxmi Medical and Care Centre, Varanasi.

3. Fireman Shri (Late) Ajay Kumar Chand and Shri (Late) Hari Lal Yadav thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 31.03.2009

(Barun Mitra)
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 34-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI AJAY KUMAR SHARMA
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI SULEKH CHAND SHARMA
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI BRIJ MOHAN SHARMA
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI BRIJ PAL SINGH
FIREMAN

On 18.12.2009 at 7.40 hours a call was received at Muzaffarnagar Fire Station informing that an explosion followed by fire has taken place in Megma Industries Ltd., Industrial Estate, Begrajpur, Meerut Road, District Muzaffarnagar, U.P. Immediately Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma, Fire Station Officer with fire crew rushed to the scene of fire. On reaching the spot, Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma saw that the fire was in a Pharmaceutical Company. Highly poisonous, inflammable solvents, hydrogen gas and LPG cylinders were stored in large quantity. There was a high concentration of ammonia gas in and around the factory. It was told that many factory workers are trapped inside the factory. He quickly sized up the situation and placed water jets at strategic locations to fight the fire. Reinforcement from Shamli, Meerut and Saharanpur also reached the spot. Without caring their own lives Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma, Fire Station Officer, Shri Sulekh Chand Sharma, Leading Fireman, Shri Brij Mohan Sharma, Leading Fireman and Shri Brijpal Singh, Fireman fought the fire bravely and saved 13 peoples.

2. Fire Station Officer Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma, Leading Fireman Shri Sulekh Chand Sharma, Leading Fireman Sh. Brij Mohan Sharma and Fireman Shri Brijpal Singh thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 18.12.2009.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 35-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service: -

SHRI SHANKER SHARAN RAI
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI DEENA NATH TRIPATHI
FIRE STATION 2ND OFFICER

SHRI AFROJ ALAM KHAN
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI BALJEET YADAV
FIREMAN

SHRI HARISH CHANDRA
FIREMAN

On 31.03.2009 at 1310 hours, a call was received at the Azamgarh Fire Station, informing that fire has broken out in the basement of a paint shop, Mohalla – Harbanshpur, P.S., Sidhari, District Azamgarh, Uttar Pradesh. On receipt of call, Fire Tenders from Azamgarh Fire Station with LFM Afaroz Alam Khan as officer-in-charge rushed to the scene of fire. On reaching the spot, LFM Afaroz Alam Khan saw that the basement of the shop containing drums of paint, thinner and other chemicals had caught fire and spreading fast. FM Harilal Yadav, FM Ajay Kumar Chand, FM Harish Chandra, FM Baljeet Yadav started fire fighting operations and simultaneously the officer-in-charge requisitioned more Water Tenders and senior officers. Shri Shanker Sharan Rai, Fire Station Officer and Shri Deena Nath Tripathi, Fire Station 2nd Officer also reached there. In the effort to save life and property from fire, Shri Shanker Sharan Rai, Fire Station Officer, Shri Deena Nath Tripathi, Fire Station 2nd Officer, Shri Afroj Alam Khan, Leading Fireman, Sh. Baljeet Yadav, Fireman and Shri Harish Chandra, Fireman bravely fought the fire and received severe burn injuries and admitted in hospital for further treatment.
2. Fire Station Officer Shri Shanker Sharan Rai, Fire Station 2nd Officer Shri Deena Nath Tripathi, Leading Fireman Shri Afroj Alam Khan, Fireman Shri Baljeet Yadav and Fireman Shri Harish Chandra thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 31.03.2009.

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(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 36-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for
Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI PRITHVI RAJ TIWARI
FIRE STATION 2ND OFFICER

SHRI RAMESH SINGH CHAUHAN
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI MITHILESH SHUKLA
FIREMAN

SHRI PYAREY LAL SONKER
FIREMAN

On 17.10.2009 at 14.55 hours a call was received in the Fazalganj Mini
Control Room informing that a fire has broken out in H. No. 118/300-301,
Hanuman Parkwali Galli, Kausalpuri, P.S. Nazirabad. Immediately on receipt of
call, fire tenders were rushed to the scene of fire. On reaching the spot the
officer in-charge saw that the building has collapsed due to explosion in the LPG
cylinder. A large portion of ceiling of the building was precariously hanging. It
was informed that about 17 families were living in the building and people are
trapped inside. Without loss of time, the officer-in-charge placed fire fighting
jets at strategic locations to control the fire and rescue the trapped persons.
Without caring for their own lives Shri Prithviraj Tiwari, Fire Station 2nd Officer,
Shri Ramesh Singh Chauhan, Leading Fireman, Shri Mithilesh Shukla, Fireman
and Shri Pyareylal Sonker, Fireman entered into the building in a very dangerous
situation and rescued Mrs. Kiran Bala Ghambar, Vijay Maurya, Hari Shanker
Dixit and Mrs. Pushpa Devi. A body of a boy named Sonu was also retrieved
from underneath the debris.

2. Fire Station 2nd Officer Shri Prithvi Raj Tiwari, Leading Fireman Shri
Ramesh Singh Chauhan, Fireman Shri Mithilesh Shukla and Fireman Shri Pyarey
Lal Sonker thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage,
professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 17.10.2009.

(Baran Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26\textsuperscript{th} January, 2011

No. 37-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas:

SHRI NAIZU AMBATT VARKEY
DY. MANAGER (FIRE & SAFETY)

SHRI BIMAL RAJ VELAYUDHAN LEELABAI
DY. MANAGER (FIRE & SAFETY)

SHRI SATISH JAGJIWAN ALONE
SR. ENGINEER (FIRE & SAFETY)

On 11.12.2009 at 01.00 hours on-duty security sergeant on duty at the housing colony gate saw that an ammonia tanker loaded with 15 tons of liquefied un-hydrous ammonia has over turned near BPCL-Kochi Refinery Housing Colony gate at Ambalamugal. The trailer got detached from the prime mover. He immediately alerted the refinery Fire Station. On getting this alert the department head of fire & safety, the section head of fire services and a fire & safety engineer rushed to the scene of accident. They found that due to impact of the accident there was profuse leakage of ammonia through the 3 inch nozzle of the ammonia gas bullet. It was difficult to reach closer to the tanker due to thick vapor cloud of ammonia which was moving fast towards the refinery premises and engulfing the refinery main Fire Station, process units and other areas of the refinery endangering many lives. Dy. Manager (Fire & Safety) Shri Naizu Ambatt Varkey, Dy. Manager (Fire & Safety) Shri Bimal Raj Velayudhan Leelabai and Sr. Engineer (Fire & Safety) Shri Satish Jagjiwan Alone without caring for their own lives dared to reach closer to the leakage point of tanker with water spray jets to dilute the ammonia gas and successfully arrested the leakage to save many lives and properties in the refinery area.

2. Dy. Manager (Fire & Safety) Shri Naizu Ambatt Varkey, Dy. Manager (Fire & Safety) Shri Bimal Raj Velayudhan Leelabai and Sr. Engineer (Fire & Safety) Shri Satish Jagjiwan Alone thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.12.2009.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 38-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service: -

SHRI PURNA CHANDRA SWAIN
LEADING FIREMAN

On 26.05.09 at 1800 hours a call was received at Banki Fire Station informing that two persons have fallen in a well at Patapur village, Banki, Distt. Cuttack. On receipt of the call fire crew of Banki Fire Station rushed to the scene of incident. On reaching the spot it was informed that a lady named Smarita Das had fallen in the well while taking bath. Sh. Raju Bhoi who entered the well to rescue the lady is also trapped inside. Local people were anxiously waiting for the Fire Brigade help. At that critical juncture Sh. Purna Chandra Swain, Fireman (now Leading Fireman) with tremendous confidence dared to enter into the well and rescued Smt. Smarita Das and Shri Raju Bhoi one by one in unconscious condition. Sh. Raju Bhoi and Sh. Swain were rushed to the hospital for further treatment.

2. Leading Fireman Shri Purna Chandra Swain, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 26.05.2009.

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(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 31-Pres/2011 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2011 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI ANIL KUMAR NATH
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
ARUNACHAL PRADESH

SHRI NOREN SINGH NAMEIRAKPAM
DIRECTOR
MANIPUR

SHRI JENAMANI RANJAN BIDHUSEKHAR
DY. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI NARAHARI BARIK
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI PRADEEP KUMAR ROUT
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI YOGESH BABU DWIVEDI
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI BIRENDER SINGH
ASSTT. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
CISF, MHA
DR. KHEM CHAND WADHWAL
SCIENTIST “F” (ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR)
DRDO, M/O DEFENCE

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2011

No. 32-Pres/2011 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2011 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the undermentioned officers:-

SHRI CHILUKURI SATYANARAYANA
DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI LAKSHMANA SWAMY KATTA
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI ABDUL GAFFOOR
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI ANANTA NARAYANA EVANI
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI RATISH RANJAN DEY
STATION OFFICER
ARUNACHAL PRADESH

SHRI BRAHMEDEO PRASAD SINGH
ASSTT. STATE FIRE OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI JAGDISH CHOUDHARY
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI LUXMI BHAGAT
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR
SHRI RAMESHWAR PRASAD
LEADING FIREFMAN DRIVER
BIHAR

SHRI SATISH CHANDRA JHA
FIREFMAN
BIHAR

SHRI CHHANIYABHAI MANGALBHAI ROHIT
LEADING FIREFMAN
DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

SHRI MANGUBHAI LAXMAN HALPATI
ASSTT. STATION FIRE OFFICER
DAMAN & DIU

SHRI DHARAMPAL
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI MAHAK SINGH
RADIO TELEPHONE OPERATOR
DELHI

SHRI DATTARAM DHARMAJI REDKAR
SR. STATION FIRE OFFICER
GOA

SHRI MADAN LAL THAKUR
SUB FIREF OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI JAVAGAL HIRIYANNAGOWDA RAVI SHANKAR
REGIONAL FIREF OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI GOVINDAIAH
FIREF STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI H. UMAPATHI
LEADING FIREFMAN
KARNATAKA
SHRI K. SANJEEVA
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI KAMASAMUDRA VENKATAGOWDA KRISHNAPPA
FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI SIVADASAN K.V.
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI RAJAN P.K. KUMARAN
LEADING FIREFRMAN
KERALA

SHRI V.S. RAVEENDRAN
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR
KERALA

SHRI DEVENDRA PRABHAKAR POTPHODE
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI RAYBA BHAGWAN PATIL
FIRE STATION OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI NABACHANDRA SINGH LAISHRAM
SUB OFFICER
MANIPUR

SHRI LALREMTLUANGA VARTE
STATION OFFICER
MIZORAM

SHRI BHIMSEN LENKA
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI NATABARA NAYAK
LEADING FIREFRMAN
ORISSA
SHRI KAMALA KANTA PUHAN
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI PHURDEN LEPCHA
ASSTT. SUB FIRE OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI THIRUVAN MUTHU
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI S. ARUMUGA POOMALAI
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ANTHONY ARULANDU
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI KANNAN RAJENDRAN
DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI GOUSE MOHAMMED HUSSAIN
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI GOVINDAN BALAN
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ZAKIR HUSAIN
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI VIRENDRA PRATAP SINGH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI SOUMYENDRA NATH GHOSAL
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
SHRI SANTI RANJAN GUHA
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI KRISHNA BHOWMICK
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI ASHES MAJUMDER
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI NILKANTA NEOGI
C.M.O.
WEST BENGAL

SHRI RAM AWATAR
LABORATORY ASSISTANT
NFSC, MHA

SHRI NARESH KUMAR SINGH
ASSTT. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI JASWANT SINGH
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI MAROOF AHMED SHEIKH
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI ALAM SINGH
SENIOR FIRE OFFICER
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 120-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Delhi Fire Service:

SHRI NAND KISHORE TIWARI (POSTHUMOUS)
SUB OFFICER

2. On dated 06.10.2010 at 0110 hours a call was received in the control room of Delhi Fire Service informing that a fire has broken out in a factory premises located at 8/45, Nehru Galli, Vishwas Nagar, Delhi. Immediately on receipt of call, fire tenders were responded to the scene of fire. On reaching the spot, the officer-in-charge observed that the fire is in a factory premises used for manufacturing of electric wires/cables and also for the storage, retreading facilities of tyres, which are highly flammable and explosive in nature. He alongwith crew members started fire fighting operations and requisitioned for additional fire tenders and senior officers at the fire scene.

In the effort to control the fire Shri Nand Kishore Tiwari engaged himself in breaking open the premises as otherwise it was impossible to reach the seat of fire. Suddenly there was a huge explosion occurred and he was severely injured. He was immediately rushed to the hospital where he was declared brought dead.

3. Sub-Officer late Nand Kishore Tiwari thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 06.10.2010.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 121-Pres/2011-The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Delhi Fire Service:

SHRI MAHAVIR SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN

SHRI CHARANJEET
FIREMAN (POSTHUMOUS)

2. On 28.11.2010 at 1647 hours a call was received in the fire control room of Delhi Fire Service informing that a fire has broken out at 1034, Galli Gurwali Maliwar, Nai Sarak, New Delhi. Immediately on receipt of call, fire tenders were rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident, the officer-in-charge observed that flames are coming out of the windows on all the floors of a four storied building. It was informed that there is a huge storage of plastic rolls, sarees and chemical drums. He alongwith crew members started fire fighting and rescue operations.

Shri Mahavir Singh, Leading Fireman and Shri Charanjeet, Fireman were fighting fire from top of the building to control the spread of fire to the adjoining buildings. Suddenly an explosion occurred in the chemical drums resulting in collapse of the part of the building. Both of them fell from fourth floor and sustained multiple fracture and burn injuries. Immediately they were rushed to the nearby hospital where Shri Charanjeet succumbed to injuries on 30.11.2010 and Shri Mahavir Singh undergone series of operations.

3. Leading Fireman Shri Mahavir Singh and Fireman Late Charanjeet thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.11.2010.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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DATED SATURDAY, THE 5TH NOVEMBER,, 2011

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 122-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Jammu & Kashmir Fire & Emergency Services:

SHRI GHULAM NABI SHEIKH
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER

SHRI MOHAMAD AKRAM GUROO
STATION OFFICER

SHRI RAFIQ AHMAD PARRAY
FIREMAN

SHRI MOHAMMAD YOUNIS KUTTAY
FIREMAN

On 06.10.2009 a call was received in Srinagar fire control room informing that fire has occurred in the Shahenshah Palace Hotel, Boulevard Road, Dalgate. Immediately on receipt of call, fire tenders were rushed to the spot from Gawkadal and Batamaloo Fire Stations. On reaching the scene of incidents the officer-in-charge alongwith crew members started fire fighting operations to control the spread of fire to the neighbouring buildings mostly hotels. In spite of great danger to their lives from fire and hot gases emanating in the hotel building, Divisional Officer Shri Ghulam Nabi Sheikh, Station Officer Shri Mohamad Akram Guroo, Fireman Shri Rafiq Ahmad Parray and Shri Mohamad Younis Kutty rescued all the guests.

2. Divisional Officer Shri Ghulam Nabi Sheikh, Station Officer Shri Mohamad Akaram Guroo, Fireman Shri Rafiq Ahmad Parray and Shri Mohamad Younis Kutty thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 06.10.2009.

(Barun Mitra)
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 123-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service:

SHRI DHABALESWAR PRADHAN

Fireman

2. On 16.08.2010 at 1750 hours a call was received at Bhanjanagar Fire Station informing that a man has fallen in a well at village Kuliangi, P.S. Gangapur Distt. Ganjam. Immediately on receipt of call, Shri Gopal Ch. Moharana, Station Officer with his team rushed to the spot. On reaching the scene of incident the officer-in-charge observed that a man has fallen in the well and lying unconscious and nobody in the crowd is ready to go inside. Knowing fully well the presence of poisonous gases Shri Dhabaleswar Pradhan, Fireman dared to enter the well and tied a rope around the waist of the victim. The crew thus managed to pull out the victim as well as Sh. Dhabaleswar Pradhan, Fireman both in unconscious condition. Shri Dhabaleswar Pradhan, Fireman and the victim were rushed to the Government hospital for treatment.

3. Fireman Shri Dhabaleswar Pradhan thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 16.08.2010.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 124-Pres/2011 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service:

SHRI SITAKANTA MOHANTA
FIREMAN

On 05th July, 2010 at 1040 hours a call was received at the Rourkela Fire Station informing that two persons have fallen in a deep well at Bisra, Distt. Sundargarh. Immediately on receipt of call, Shri Pravakar Pradhan alongwith his team rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident the officer-in-charge observed that two persons are lying unconscious position in the well. Without wasting time Shri Sitakanta Mohanta, Fireman dared to go down in the well with the help of a rope. When he reached at about 20 feet deep he felt difficulty in breathing due to shortage of oxygen and came out. Then two fans were operated at different levels to pump in fresh air in the well. Shri Mohanta tried again. In spite of all difficulties he managed to reach the bottom of the well and rescued both of them one after another and also giving artificial respiration. Both the injured persons were rushed to the Bishra Community Health Centre for further treatment.

2. Fireman, Shri Sitakanta Mohanta thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 05.07.2010.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2011

No. 118-Pres/2011–The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2011 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI SANTOKH SINGH
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI ARUN KUMAR SARANGI
ASSSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI SASHANKA SEKHAR MOHAPATRA
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI SRIBATSHA KUMAR BEHERA
ASSSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI HEMANTA KUMAR DAS
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI KEDARNATH SAMAL
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI ARVIND KUMAR
DY. DIRECTOR (TECH)
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI MOHAMMAD RAFEEQ
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH
SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD PANDEY
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI GOPAL KRISHNA BHATTACHARYA
DIRECTOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI BIBHAS GUHA
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
WEST BENGAL

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 119-Pres/2011–The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2011 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:-

SHRI T. PRASADA RAO
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI B. SATYANARAYANA MURTHY
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI V. VENKATA SWAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI VIJAY BAHADUR
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI OMPRAKASH
STATION OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI BACHI SINGH ASWAL
SUB OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI NATHU RAM
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI RAMESH CHAND
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI RAJINDER KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH
SHRI KUBAJ SINGH
FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI SANTOSH SHRIDHAR WARICK
DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
MAHARASHTRA

SHRI JIBAN SINGH WAHENGBAM
DRIVER
MANIPUR

SHRI JISWELL NONGSPUNG
ASSTT. FIRE PREVENTIVE OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

SHRI HARI KUMAR KUTTAM
SUB OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

SHRI LALREMMMAWIA
STATION OFFICER
MIZORAM

SHRI K.THANSANGA
LEADING FIREMAN
MIZORAM

SHRI PRAVAT KUMAR MOHAPATRA
STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI BIBEKANANDA DAS
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI KARTIK CHANDRA BEHERA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI BINOD KUMAR MUKHI
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA
SHRI BHASKAR DASH
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI SONAM TSHERING LEPCHA
SUB FIRE OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI N. SUBRAMANIAN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI A. KUMARASAMY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI A. PALANIVEL
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI K. SRINIVASAGAM
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI S. KRISHNAMURTHY
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SARVESH KUMAR SINGH KUSHWAHA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI BADRI VISHAL MISHRA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI RIZWAN AHMAD
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI YOGENDRA MISHRA
FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2012

No. 36-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Kerala Fire Service:

SHRI VINOD KUMAR P. (POSTHUMOUS)
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR

2. On 23-02-2011 at 11.07 hrs. a call was received that one lineman working on the top of the electric post, Kolangattukara is in danger of collapse due to sudden chest pain. On getting information the crew from Fire & Rescue Station, Thrissur rushed to the spot. After being assured from the Kerala State Electricity Board authorities who were present on the spot that the power supply in the 11 KV electric Lines would be switched off, Shri Vinod Kumar P, Fireman Driver Cum Pump Operator No. 9513 climbed the electric post to rescue the lineman. He suddenly fell down from the electric post due to electric shock. He was immediately admitted at the Medical College Hospital, Thrissur. He was dead due to electrocution.

3. Fireman Driver cum Pump Operator (late) Shri Vinod Kumar P. thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 23.02.2011.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
NEW DELHI, the 26th January, 2012

No. 37-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Jammu & Kashmir Fire & Emergency Services:

SHRI R. T. DUBEY
JOINT DIRECTOR

2. On 25-06-2011 at 12:29 hrs a call was received in the Fire Control Room of Fire Service stating that one raft with rafters and joy riders have capsized in the river Sindh at Sonamarg. Immediately, on receipt of call rescue teams were rushed to the spot from Gund and Baltal Fire Stations headed by Shri R.T. Dubey, Joint Director. After reaching the scene of incident it was informed that some of the trapped persons have managed to save their lives. Two females died in the incident. Shri Hilal Ahmad Lone a raft joy rider struck with a wooden plank and managed to land on a slippery stone in the middle of the river. He was becoming restless and about to slip into the running dangerous water.

Immediately a rescue operation was started with the assistance of Police by using ropes and pulleys to rescue the trapped person. Shri R.T. Dubey, Joint Director under a heroic role efficiently got a rope tied around his body and directed the rest of the crew led by Mohammad Sayeed Station officer, Paramjeet Singh and Bashir Ahmad leading fireman to follow him by holding the rope for safety. The officer himself went inside the dangerous stream and reached in the middle of the river. He encouraged the trapped person to cooperate and then provided him the harness. The trapped person was pulled out safely to the river bank.

3. Joint Director Shri R.T. Dubey thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 25.06.2011.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 38-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Orissa Fire Service:

SHRI JITENDRA BHOI
FIREMAN

2. On dated 28.06.2010 at about 09.40 hrs a call was received at Pattamundai Fire Station informing that two men are trapped inside a well in Vill.- Khadianta, Kendrapara. Immediately a rescue team headed by the Officer in-charge, Pattamundai Fire Station rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was observed that two persons namely Shri Ajaya Behera (26) and Shri Abhaya Behera (25) got trapped inside the well and lying unconscious. Nobody in the crowd dared to go inside to rescue them before the arrival of Fire Service. Immediately a rescue rope with chair knot was dropped inside the well and Fireman Jitendra Bhoi No. 456 took courage to enter the well to rescue them. He carefully put both the victims on his shoulder one by one and rescued them safely. Shri Bhoi felt uneasy and breathless due to the effect of poisonous gases. Shri Bhoi along with two victims were then removed to Primary Health Centre, Pattamundai for further treatment.

3. Fireman Shri Jitendra Bhoi thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 28.06.2010.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 39-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Uttar Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI SOM DUTT SONKAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER

SHRI PRAMOD KUMAR
FIREMAN

SHRI MOHAMMAD IRFAN
FIREMAN

2. On 27.07.2009 at 20.56 hrs a call was received from Police Station, Sector – 58, Noida at Fire Station, Sector – 58 Noida informing that many people living in Jhuggies have been trapped under a wall. Immediately Shri Som Dutt Sonkar Fire Station Officer along with his team rushed to the scene of incident. On reaching to the spot he found that a 80 feet long and 20 feet wide wall with its pillar and beams had fallen over the nearby jhuggies trapping many residents. Another nearby wall of 20 feet long lost the foundation and was in precarious condition. Ignoring personal safety and danger to their lives Fire Station Officer Shri Som Dutt Sonkar, Fireman Shri Pramod Kumar and Fireman Shri Mohammad Irfan retrieved 22 persons from underneath the debris out of which 11 could be saved.

3. Fire Station Officer Shri Som Dutt Sonkar, Fireman Shri Pramod Kumar and Fireman Shri Mohammad Irfan thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27.07.2009.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 40-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas Fire Service:

SHRI RAHUL RAMKRISHNA JOSHI  
SR. FIRE OFFICER

2. On 6.9.2011 at 0153 hrs. a fire was reported in the process gas compressor C (PGC-C) at NQG Platform of Mumbai High north field. Immediately after hearing the alarm Shri Rahul R. Joshi, Senior Fire Officer activated the emergency response plan and started fire fighting and cooling operations. His prompt fire fighting and cooling action not only saved property worth crores of rupees comprising number of process units like Glycol Regeneration Units (GRUs), Knock Out Drums (KODs), gas manifold, GCI injector etc. but also many lives working on the platform.

3. Senior Fire Officer, Shri Rahul Ramkrishna Joshi thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 06.09.2011.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2012

No. 41-Pres/2012 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2012 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI SUDHIR KUMAR VERMA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
JHARKHAND

SHRI I.F. BADEBADE
COMMANDANT
KARNATAKA

SHRI ABDUL KALAM
DEPUTY FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI ABHAYA KUMAR JENA
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI RAJKISHORE SAMAL
FITTER STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI NIRANJAN SETHY
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI ISHWARI SINGH SONI
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI MUNENDRA KUMAR TYAGI
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH
SHRI NAGENDRA BAHADUR SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI SHRI NARAIN
COMMANDANT (LR)
CISF/MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Brun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
No. 42-Pres/2012-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2012 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

MD. SHOUKATH ALI SADIQ  
STATION FIRE OFFICER  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI R. ESWARA RAO  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI RAMESWAR MUSHAHARY  
STATION OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI MADHAB CHANDRA LAHKAR  
SUB OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI LANKESWAR DAS  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ASSAM

SHRI ANUP KUMAR GAYAN  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ASSAM

SHRI MAHESHKUMAR RAVIDAN MOD  
STATION OFFICER  
GUJARAT

SHRI GANPAT MANABHAI GANVIT  
FIREMAN  
GUJARAT
SHRI DINU CHHOTUBHAI NAYKA
DRIVER
GUJARAT

SHRI HIRA LAL
STATION FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI INDER SINGH
FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI ABDUL GANI RATHER
I/C ASSTT. DIRECTOR
JAMMU & KASHMIR

MOHD. AYOUB PAUL
FOREMAN
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI ABDUL HAMID WANI
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
JAMMU & KASHMIR

SHRI RAM KRISHNA THAKUR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
JHARKHAND

SHRI SHAILENDRA KISHORE
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
JHARKHAND

SHRI YUNUS ALI KAUSER
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI V. S. SHETTIGAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI T. HARI
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA
SHRI K. PUTTASWAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI N.V. NAGARAJ
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI N. VARANARAYANA
FIREMAN DRIVER
KARNATAKA

SHRI ASOKAN KUTTAPPAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI C.P. SUBRAHMANYAN
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI R.S. THANKACHAN
FDCPO
KERALA

SHRI YUSUFF N.A.
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI SURACHANDRA SINGH KHAIDEM
FIREMAN
MANIPUR

SHRI KAMAL KUMAR SWARGIARY
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

SHRI BISWAJIT MOHANTY
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ORISSA

SHRI DASARATHI MOHARANA
LEADING FIREMAN
ORISSA
SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA MISHRA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ORISSA

SHRI GUNANIDHI SWAIN
FIREMAN
ORISSA

SHRI BEN KUMAR CHERTI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
SIKKIM

SHRI THANGA NADAR EZHILARASU
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI THIRUVENGA DAM PURUSHOTHAMAN
ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI JOHN JAYARAJ KOVILPILLAI KAMALESAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI SELLAPPAN RAMASAMY
LEADING FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI S.M. SERUVARAN KALIMUTHU
DRIVER MECHANIC
TAMIL NADU

SHRI GOVINDAN SAMBAMOORTHY
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI AMAN SHARMA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI KRISHNA NAND RAWAT
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH
SHRI RADHEY MOHAN MISHRA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI KANHAIYA LAL
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI PURAN SINGH SHAH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

SHRI DANI RAM TAMTA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

SHRI RAJESH MADHUSUDAN SABNIS
FIREMAN
NFSC, MHA

SHRI MUTHAIYA ARUMUGAM
ASI (FIRE)
CISF, MHA

SHRI NERAVABDA PONNAPPA SUBBAIAH
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
CISF, MHA

SHRI SOUMITRA BHATTACHARYA
MANAGER FIRE SERVICE
ONGC, M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI VALJI Bhai GODAD Bhai VAGHELA
FIRE INSPECTOR GD-I
ONGC, M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Barun Mitra)
Joint Secretary to the President
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2012

No. 89-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Andhra Pradesh Fire Service:

SHRI V. NARASIMHA RAO
DRIVER OPERATOR

(Posthumous)

2. On 19.05.2012 at 21.15 hours a fire call was received at Madhira Fire Station informing that a fire has broken out at Sri Lakshmi Valabha Cold Storage Private Ltd., Madhira, Khammam District. On receipt of call fire tender from Madhira fire station rushed to the spot. On reaching the spot, fire service staff noticed that the top floor of the cold storage, with red chilly bags stored in it, is under fire. Without caring the risk to his life Driver Operator Sh. V. Narasimha Rao had taken the fire engine to the rear site of the cold storage in spite of huge flames and dense smoke allowing fire crew to fight the fire. During the fire fighting operation debris started falling from the upper floor of the building and he buried under the debris.

3. Driver Operator Shri V. Narasimha Rao thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 19.05.2012.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 90-Pres/2012 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Tamil Nadu Fire & Rescue Services:

SMT. PRIYA RAVICHANDRAN
DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI RANGAN MURUGAN
STATION OFFICER

SHRI KRISHNASAMY ANBALAGAN
LEADING FIREMAN

2. On 16-01-2012 at 00.50 hours a call was received at fire control room informing about the fire incident at “Khalsa Mahal” a heritage building comprising of Directorate of Industries and Commerce and Social Welfare Department located at Ezhilagam Complex. Immediately, the fire units of Triplicane and Egmore Fire & Rescue Service station along with its crew rushed to the spot. On reaching spot they found that the ground floor and first floor of the premises is on fire. Reinforcement from Mylapore, Esplanade, Kilpauk, Teynampet and Vepery also reach the spot. Divisional Officer, Smt. Priya Ravichandran along with Station Officer, Shri Rangan Murugan and Leading Fireman, Shri Krishnasamy Anbalagan entered into the burning premises on one side without caring to risk to their own lives to cut off the flame. During the fire fighting operation the roof of the building collapsed and they trapped in the debris consisting of burning ceiling material and wooden beams and sustained severe burn injuries and admitted in hospital for further treatment.

3. Divisional Officer, Smt. Priya Ravichandran, Station Officer, Shri Rangan Murugan and Leading Fireman, Shri Krishnasamy Anbalagan thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 16.01.2012.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2012

No. 91-Pres/2012-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2012 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI RAM NARESH AWASTHI
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI TAPAN KUMAR GHOSH
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
WEST BENGAL

SHRI AMALENDU BANERJEE
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

SHRI RUPNATH SENGUPTA
CHIEF MOBILIZING OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2012

No. 92-Pres/2012-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2012 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

SHRI K. JAYARAM NAIK
ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI P. RAVINDER REDDY
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI V. POLI REDDY
STATION FIRE OFFICER
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI Y. D. RAJU
LEADING FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI V. SATYANARAYANA
FIREMAN
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI TARUN CHANDRA DEHINGIA
SENIOR STATION OFFICER
ASSAM

SHRI SASHADHAR SAHARIA
SUB OFFICER
ASSAM,

SHRI SHYAM BIHARI RAM
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR
SHRI SAJEEV MAVUNKAL PRABHAKARAN  
STATION OFFICER  
KERALA  

SHRI JOMY K.M. MATHAI  
STATION OFFICER  
KERALA  

SHRI WILSON NARAYANAN NADAR  
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER  
KERALA  

SHRI SURESH NARAYANANKUTTY  
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR NO-1433  
KERALA  

SHRI SIVAKUMAR K. VASUDEVAN  
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR NO. -1544  
KERALA  

SHRI PORIMOL KHARKONGOR  
SUB OFFICER  
MEGHALAYA  

SHRI MERIMEE RYMBAI  
STATION OFFICER  
MEGHALAYA  

SHRI H. BUANKHUMA  
LEADING FIREMAN  
MIZORAM  

SHRI RALKAPCHHUNGA  
LEADING FIREMAN  
MIZORAM  

SHRI INDRA KUMAR RAI  
FIRE STATION OFFICER  
SIKKIM  

SHRI KRISHNARAJ PARTHIBAN  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR  
TAMIL NADU
SHRI MURUGAPPA DAKSHNAMOORTHY
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI ALWARCHETTY NATARAJAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI MATHALAI MUTHU SELVARAJ
LEADING FIREMAN-4519
TAMIL NADU

SHRI AMMASAI KARUPPANASAMY
FIREMAN DRIVER- 4043
TAMIL NADU

MOHAMED HUSSAIN KARAMATHULLA
FIREMAN -4869
TAMIL NADU

SHRI PREM PRAKASH A WASTHI
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI RAMAYAN PRASAD MISHRA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI IFTIKHAR AHMAD
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI RAVINDRA SINGH
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

SHRI HARISH GIRI
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

SHRI KRAPARAM SHARMA
FIREMAN
UTTARAKHAND
SHRI CHANDAN KUMAR DEY  
FIRE PROTECTION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI DIPAK KUMAR NANDY  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI KANAI LAL GHOSH  
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR CUM DRIVER  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI MANJU KUMAR ROY  
FIRE OPERATOR  
WEST BENGAL

SHRI NARESH KUMAR  
ASSISTANT COMMANDANT (FIRE)  
C.I.S.F., MHA

SHRI SRINIVASA HARISHA  
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)  
C.I.S.F., MHA

SHRI A. NARAYANAN  
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)  
C.I.S.F., MHA

SHRI SANJAY KUMAR  
CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)  
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

SHRI SATYA RAM  
ASSISTANT CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)  
M/O PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)  
OSD to the President
No. 23-Pres/2013 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Fire Service Officials of Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited :

SHRI RAJENDRA NANASAHEB THAKARE
MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)

SHRI RAM MADHAV KSHIRSAGAR
SENIOR MANAGER (SAFETY)

SHRI M. NATRAJ
YARDMAN (FIRE SERVICES)

2. On 22-09-2011 at 1125 hrs. a message was received at fire station control room from OHCU field cabin operator that there is a fire incident at Recycle Gas Compressor in Plant 207, Hydrocracker Unit (OHCU) at Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited, Chennai, Tamil Nadu. Immediately first turnout FT-4 Foam Tender from Ref. III fire station and Foam Tender FT-5 from main fire station were rushed to the site. Fire fighting operation was started by operating portable DCP extinguisher and fire water spray hand line from foam tender. DCP tender was also called at site. Crew could not controlled the fire and it was decided to close the suction Motor Operated Valve (MOV) manually to stop the leaking gas. There was high flame with intense heat and some trace of H2S and Hydrogen gases near the MOV. The gaseous fire in petroleum refinery is highly risky due to continuous presence of Hydro Carbons in the surrounding atmosphere and unless isolated and control in time, such fire could jeopardize the entire plant putting the life of all the operating personnel at risk. At a great risk to personal safety Shri Rajendra Nanasaheb Thakare, Manager Fire Services along with Shri Ram MadHAV Kshirsagar, Senior Manager (Safety) and Shri M. Natraj, Yardman (F & S) started closing the MOV manually. There was no emergency escape available at the site. With combined efforts, the MOV was isolated and fire was extinguished.

3. Manager (Fire Services), Shri Rajendra Nanasaheb Thakare, Senior Manager (Safety), Shri Ram MadHAV Kshirsagar and Yardman (F & S), Shri M. Natraj thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, leadership, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.
4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 22.09.2011.

(Suresh Yadav)

OSD to the President
No. 24-Pres/2013 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Tamil Nadu Fire and Rescue Services: -

SHRI SUNDARAMURTHI VIJAYASEKAR  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR

SHRI VELUKONAR MANIVANNAN  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SMT. MEENAKSHI VIJAYAKUMAR  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER

SHRI ANGAMUTHU BHOOPATHY  
FIREFIGHTER

SHRI PAPPU VIJAY  
FIREFIGHTER

SHRI BOSE MUTHAIAH  
FIREFIGHTER

SHRI SANKARAYANARAYANA MURTHY SURESH KUMAR  
FIREFIGHTER

2. A rescue call was received at around at 07.30 hrs on 03.10.2012 in the control room about the building collapse at Sunkuvar Lane in Old Triplicane area of Chennai City. Immediately rescue tenders from Egmore and Esplanade and water tenders from Teynampet, Mylapore Fire and Rescue Station along with crew rushed to the spot. Deputy Director and other senior officers of Chennai city also responded. On arrival they found the collapse of entire building with huge debris. It was told that some of the residents were trapped inside. The sniffer dogs which were used to locate the victim have identified the lives trapped. The victims were located at the back side of the building under the mound of rubble. It was also found that second floor along with the first floor roof have caved in. There were overhanging portions of the concrete roof above the site and would
fall any time. On analyzing the risk involved in rescuing the lives and without fearing to their own lives and personal safety the Dy. Director, Shri Sundaramurthi Vijayasekar alongwith Divisional Officer, Shri Velukonar Manivannan, Divisional Officer, Smt. Meenakshi Vijayakumar, Fireman, Shri Angamuthu Bhoopathy, Shri Pappu Vijay, Shri Bose Muthaiyah and Shri Sankarayanarayana Murthy Suresh Kumar started rescue work. First a small opening was made at a side wall of the terrace. Stabilization of hole was done with the help of hydraulic jack and shoring equipment. The concrete cutters were used to make a big hole on the top of the roof. The crew members entered through hole to reach near to the victims. The victims were reassured and administered glucose and soft drinks to refresh them and make them conscious. They rescued alive a young boy at 1215 hrs and Smt. Bharathy at 1340 hrs and the bodies of Smt. Manjula Devi and Shri Thiyagarajan were retrieved by removing debris and boulders.

3. Deputy Director, Shri Sundaramurthi Vijayasekar, Divisional Officer, Shri Velukonar Manivannan, Divisional Officer, Smt. Meenakshi Vijayakumar, Fireman, Shri Angamuthu Bhoopathy, Shri Pappu Vijay, Shri Bose Muthaiyah and Shri Sankarayanarayana Murthy Suresh Kumar thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 03.10.2012.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2013

No. 21-Pres/2013-The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2013 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:-

SHRI RANJEET KUMAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
BIHAR

SHRI GANAURI PRASAD
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI BISHNU CHARAN SAMANTARAY
ASSISTANT STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

SHRI RAGHUNATH RATHA
HAVILDAR MAJOR
ODISHA

SHRI BIGHNESWAR MOHAPATRA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ODISHA

SHRI BIKRAM KESHWARI NAIK
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ODISHA

SHRI KRUSHNA CHANDRA BISWAL
FIREMAN
ODISHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 22-Pres/2013 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2013 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers :-

SHRI S. NAGABUSHANAM  
ASSST. EQUIPMENT OFFICER  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI S. KRISHNA MURTHY  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI K. SUBBA RAO  
LEADING FIREMAN  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI B. LAXMAN  
DRIVER OPERATOR  
ANDHRA PRADESH

SHRI LOHIT CHANDRA DEKA  
STATION OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI ABU HUSSAIN  
SUB OFFICER  
ASSAM

SHRI SAMĪR ALI  
DRIVER  
ASSAM

SHRI HALDHAR PRASAD MANDAL  
FIRE STATION OFFICER  
BIHAR
SHRI VINOD KUMAR VERMA
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI PRAMOD KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

SHRI BHASKAR TALADAPPA KATTIMANI
ASSSTT. STATION FIRE OFFICER
DAMAN & DIU

SHRI VIRENDRA SINGH
DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SUMESH KUMAR DUA
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI SANJAY KUMAR TOMAR
STATION OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI DEVENDER SINGH
SUB OFFICER
DELHI

SHRI BHIM DUTT
LEADING FIREMAN
DELHI

SHRI PREM LAL THAKUR
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

SHRI RAMASWAMY BALABYRAPPA
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI RAMACHANDRAIAH. K.N.
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA
SHRI AMRUTH SHANKRAPPA CHIMKODE
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI RUKMAYYA SHETTIGAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

SHRI KALAPPA KENCHAIH KUNDALLI
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

SHRI RAPHAEL ANTONY MARKOSE
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

SHRI SIVASANKARAN CHOLA KARA
DRIVER MECHANIC
KERALA

SHRI KURIAKOSE NARANGATHODAN POULOSE
FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR
KERALA

SHRI SANATOMBA SINGH THOUNAOJAM
LEADING FIREMAN
MANIPUR

SHRI PHILIPSON MOMIN
FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA

SHRI VIZAKIE LETRO
DY. S.P. (F & ES)
NAGALAND

SHRI ALEKHA CHARAN SAHOO
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

SHRI GIRISH CHANDRA NAiK
LEADING FIREMAN
ODISHA
SHRI PREMANANDA JENA
LEADING FIREMAN
ODISHA

SHRI RABINARAYAN BEHERA
FIREMAN
ODISHA

SHRI BHARAT BHUSAN NAYAK
FIREMAN
ODISHA

SHRI ARUMUGAM DHARMALINGAM
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI IRULAPPAN NADAR MATHIVANAN
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI LUCAS JAMES JOSEPH AROKIASAMY
STATION OFFICER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI GANESAN RAMALINGAM
FIREMAN DRIVER
TAMIL NADU

SHRI DURAIraj KANDASAMY
FIREMAN
TAMIL NADU

SHRI BRIJENDRA SINGH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADeSH

SHRI MAHENDRA PAL SINGH
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADeSH

SHRI JITENDRA PRATAP PANDAY
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADeSH
2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2013

No. 88-Pres/2013 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Nagaland Fire & Emergency Services:

SHRI MENUHOL ANGAMI
FIREMAN

2. On dated 27.03.2011 at about 11.50 hrs a call was received at the control room about the fire in the New Market Area, Kohima. On receipt of the call, immediately the Fire Crew along with the Fire Tenders rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was observed that the fire was rapidly engulfing the shops and public houses. Fireman Shri Menuhol Angami without wasting time and safety to his own life started fire fighting and entered into the fire area and rescued people from rapidly spreading fire. During combating the fire a retaining wall collapsed and almost engulfed the Fireman Shri Angami inflicting him with serious injuries. In this incident both his legs were fractured and serious injuries to internal organs of his body.

3. Fireman, Shri Menuhol Angami thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 27.03.2011.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 87-Pres/2013 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Odisha Fire Services:

Shri Pratap Chandra Biswal
Leading Fireman

2. On dated 15.07.2012 at about 10.15 hrs a rescue call was received at Binjarpur Fire Station informing that two persons are trapped inside a newly constructed latrine tank of Shri Chintamani Samal. Immediately a rescue team headed by the Officer in-charge, Binjarpur Fire Station rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was observed that two persons were lying unconscious inside the tank measuring 14X12X12 ft with a very narrow manhole. The tank was filled with toxic gasses due to bio-degradation of garbage. Without wasting time and safety to his own life leading fireman Shri Pratap Chandra Biswal entered into the tank. Shri Biswal had rescued two victims one by one on his shoulder with courage and professional efficiency from the tank filled with toxic gases. Both the casualties alongwith Shri Biswal immediately shifted to nearby Community Health Centre, Binjarpur for treatment where one victim was declared dead by the doctor.

3. Leading Fireman, Shri Pratap Chandra Biswal thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 15.07.2012.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
New Delhi, the 15th August, 2013

No. 89-Pres/2013 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2013 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:–

1. SHRI SHASHIDHARA N. REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER KARNATAKA
2. SHRI FAKIRAPPA HUSSAINAPPA KURAKUNDI REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER KARNATAKA
3. SHRI BASAVARAJU H.B. DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER KARNATAKA
4. SHRI SUKANTA SETHI I/C CHIEF FIRE OFFICER ODISHA
5. SHRI NIRMAL KUMAR SINGH STATION OFFICER ODISHA
6. SHRI DILLIP KUMAR PARIJA DRIVER HAVILDAR ODISHA
7. SHRI DEBENDRA KUMAR PARIJA FIREMAN ODISHA
8. SHRI HARVEER SINGH MALIK CHIEF FIRE OFFICER UTTAR PRADESH
9. SHRI CHANDAN SINGH JEENA CHIEF FIRE OFFICER UTTARAKHAND
10. SHRI ACHINTYA KUMAR MUKHOPADHYA DY. DIRECTOR WEST BENGAL
11. SHRI PARTHA PRATIM KAR
   STATION OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL
12. SHRI VASANT BALKRISHNAJI KANOJE
    JR. DEMONSTRATOR
    NFSC, MHA

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
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PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2013

No. 90-Pres/2013 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2013 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers :-

1. SHRI SYED MASIUDDIN
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   ANDHRA PRADESH

2. SHRI N. SUBRAHMANYESWARA RAO
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   ANDHRA PRADESH

3. SHRI M. CHINNA RAO
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ANDHRA PRADESH

4. SHRI M. UTTAMA REDDY
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ANDHRA PRADESH

5. SHRI K. SANJEEVVARAO
   FIREMAN
   ANDHRA PRADESH

6. SHRI PHANIDHAR DAS
   STATION OFFICER
   ASSAM

7. SHRI SAMSUDDIN LASKAR
   SUB OFFICER
   ASSAM

8. SHRI BALJEET KUMAR SHARMA
   STATION OFFICER
   DELHI

9. SHRI KHEM CHAND
   SUB OFFICER
   DELHI
10. SHRI JAGTAR SINGH GILL  
ASSTT. WIRELESS OFFICER  
DELHI

11. SHRI SANT RAM VARDHAN  
STATION FIRE OFFICER  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

12. SHRI DEVI CHAND  
HONORARY LEADING FIREMAN  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

13. SHRI BASAVANNA. C.  
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

14. SHRI CHIKKANNA  
FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

15. SHRI VEERABHADRAPPA. L.B.  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

16. SHRI RAMAKRISHNA. B. M.  
FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

17. SHRI G. SURESH KUMAR  
STATION OFFICER  
KERALA

18. SHRI P.R. BAIJU PANICKER  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA

19. SHRI D. BALARAM BABU  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA

20. SHRI NEPOLAS LYNDOH NONGLAIT  
SUB OFFICER  
MEGHALAYA

21. SHRI ODEST LAMARE  
FIREMAN  
MEGHALAYA
22. SHRI SANJEEB KUMAR PRADHAN
   ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

23. SHRI MEGHANAD PARIDA
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ODISHA

24. SHRI KUMARBAR SAMAL
    FIREMAN
    ODISHA

25. SHRI HARKA MAN GURUNG
    SUB FIRE OFFICER
    SIKKIM

26. SHRI GOVINDHAN ELANGO
    DIVISIONAL OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

27. SHRI RANGANATHAN CHANDRASEKARAN
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

28. SHRI KALIAPPAN KALIMUTHU
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

29. SHRI MARIA MICHEL EDWARD ANTONY
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

30. SHRI KRISHNASAMY SANTHANAM
    FIREMAN DRIVER
    TAMIL NADU

31. SHRI JITENDRA KUMAR SINGH
    DY. DIRECTOR FIRE SERVICE
    UTTAR PRADESH

32. SHRI MAHAVEER SINGH
    CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
    UTTAR PRADESH

33. SHRI VISHAMBHAR NATH SINGH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    UTTAR PRADESH
34. SHRI MUSHIR ALAM  
LEADING FIREMAN  
UTTAR PRADESH

35. SHRI NAND KISHORE  
FIREMAN  
UTTAR PRADESH

36. SHRI MADHUSUDAN SHARMA  
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER  
UTTARAKHAND

37. SHRI DAN SINGH KHAI R  
LEADING FIREMAN  
UTTARAKHAND

38. SHRI SWAPAN KUMAR DAS.  
DIVISIONAL OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

39. SHRI SUNIL GHOSH  
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

40. SHRI SUBHASH CHANDRA MOITRA  
STATION OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

41. SHRI RANJIT KUMAR BOSE  
SUB-OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

42. SHRI MANIK BHATTARCHARYA  
CHIEF MOBILIZING OFFICER  
WEST BENGAL

43. SHRI S. SATHIYAMOORTHY  
STENOGRAPHER “C”  
NFSC, MHA

44. SHRI D. L. MHASKI  
ARTIST-CUM-DRAFTSMAN  
NFSC, MHA

45. SHRI RASHPAL DASS  
ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR(FIRE)  
CISF, MHA
46. SHRI SIDDALINGAYYA
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   CISF, MHA

47. SHRI UTTAR KANWAR SHARMA
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   CISF, MHA

48. SHRI SANJEEV KAPOOR
    CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)
    ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS

49. SHRI MAHESH KUMAR SHAMI
    SENIOR FIRE OFFICER
    ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS

50. SHRI SITARAM JAGANNATH GHARAT
    CHIEF FIREMAN
    ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-I, SECTION-1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 10th MAY, 2014

PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2014

No. 50-Pres/2014 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Chandigarh Fire & Emergency Services: -

SHRI RANDHIR SINGH
FIREMAN

2. On dated 23.01.2013 at 08.01 hrs, a fire call was received at the Control Room, Fire Station, Sector 17, Chandigarh about the fire incident at House No. 2324, Sector 37C, Chandigarh. On receipt of the call, immediately Fire Crew along with Fire Tender rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was observed that the fire was due to a LPG cylinder. The crew started fire fighting operation to contain and extinguish fire. Shri Randhir Singh, Fireman was holding fire fighting branch and spraying water on the fire. He was fully aware of the risk of explosion in case of the cylinder burst. Without caring for his own life, he continued fire fighting operation. During the course of operation of fire fighting, the LPG cylinder burst and seriously injured fireman Shri Randhir Singh. He was evacuated and hospitalized. Due to his courage a major fire incident was averted.

3. Fireman, Shri Randhir Singh, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 23.01.2013.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2014

No. 51-Pres/2014 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Mizoram Fire & Emergency Services:

1. SHRI LALNGHAHMAWIA
   FIREMAN

2. SHRI C. LALAWMPUIA
   FIREMAN

3. SHRI B. VANLALRUATTLUANGA
   FIREMAN

2. On dated 11.05.2013 at 03.30 hrs, a rescue call was received by Fire & Emergency Service Station, Aizawl about the collapse of a five storied PWD, RCC building at Laipuitlang Ramhlun Venglai area, Aizawl, Mizoram. Immediately, Fireman, Shri Lalngahmawia, Shri C. Lalawmpuiia and Shri B. Vanlalruattluanga rushed to the spot with Fire Tender and equipment. On reaching at the scene of incident, it was observed that the five storied PWD, RCC building which was constructed at the top of the hillock was collapsed and tumbled down over the thick residential area about 500ft below. The damage was so devastating that seven numbers of RCC building and eight numbers of Semi-pucca buildings with several vehicles were completely damaged and buried under fragmented RCC buildings and soil. The movement of damaged building and landslide were still going on when the crew surveyed the area. Under the debris, deep inside of one damaged building they heard one person crying for help. These three firemen without caring to the falling debris and to their lives started crawling down through a small hole, removing and clearing heaps of rubbles on the creepy and dark way. After an hour they reached to the place where one lady was trapped and crying for help. The three firemen took their turns to pull a trapped lady named Mrs. Nambaarliani and finally brought her out alive around 0500hrs. The three Firemen kept on rescuing other trapped persons and were instrumental in rescuing eight other persons alive from the rubbles and debris along with 17 dead bodies from deep inside the collapsed RCC buildings.
3. Fireman, Shri Lalngahmawia, Shri C. Lalawmpuia and Shri B. Vanlalruattluanga, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 11.05.2013.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-I, SECTION-1 OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA DATED SATURDAY, THE 10TH MAY, 2014

PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2014

No. 52-Pres/2014 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Tamil Nadu Fire & Emergency Services:

SHRI JAM MESHA SAHIB NIJAM BATSHA
FIREMAN

2. On dated 09.09.2013 at 10.40 hrs, a rescue call was received at Gobichettipalayam Fire and Rescue Service Station that a person Tr. Karna, aged 21 years fell inside a well, 100 feet deep at Kullampalayam Village, Vellalapalayam Section, Gobichettipalayam, Erode, Tamil Nadu while undertaking the cleaning work. On receipt of the call, immediately a rescue team headed by Station Officer along with the Water Tender rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident it was found that the 21 years old student was trapped inside the dilapidated well. Fireman, Jam Mesha Sahib Nijam Batsha, aged 57 years, with his experience of 32 years of service came forward to rescue the student and entered into the well without fearing availability of poisonous gas and risk to his life. After stabilizing himself, he applied the stretcher knot on the victim and brought him out alive from the well with the help of other crew members.

3. Fireman, Shri Jam Mesha Sahib Nijam Batsha, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 09.09.2013.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 53-Pres/2014 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2014 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

1. SHRI FAZLUR RAHMAN SHARIFF
   REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   KARNATAKA

2. SHRI SHIVANNEGOWDA. H.M.
   DISTT. FIRE OFFICER
   KARNATAKA

3. SHRI BHA BAGRAHI GHADEI
   DY. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

4. SHRI MANORANJAN BHAL
   DY. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

5. SHRI SOMANATH BEHERA
   FITTER STATION OFFICER
   ODISHA

6. SHRI DUKHISHYAM DAS
   HAVILDAR MAJOR
   ODISHA

7. SHRI AKSHAYA KUMAR PRADHAN
   ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
   ODISHA

8. SHRI SHISHIR KUMAR BHATACHARJEE
   FIREMAN
   ODISHA

9. SHRI BINOD KUMAR YADAV
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR/FIRE
   CISF, MHA
10. SHRI SEWA RAM
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR/FIRE
   CISF, MHA

11. SHRI DEVENDRA SINGH CHAUHAN
    DY. CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
    DEPTT. OF ATOMIC ENERGY

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award
   of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2014

No. 54-Pres/2014 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2014 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI SUKLA RAM BORO
   STATION OFFICER
   ASSAM

2. SHRI LIKHENDRA BORAH
   SUB-OFFICER
   ASSAM

3. SHRI DINESH KALITA
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

4. SHRI K. L. PATHAK
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

5. SHRI V. B. ROHIT
   SUB-OFFICER
   DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

6. SHRI G. D. SHAIKH
   LEADING FIREMAN
   DAMAN & DIU

7. SHRI ASHOK G. MENON
   DIRECTOR
   GOA

8. SHRI HARICHANDRA D. NAIK
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   GOA

9. SHRI KASHINATH DULBA SAIL
   SUB OFFICER
   GOA
10. SHRI BHISO RAGU GAWAS  
DRIVER OPERATOR  
GOA

11. SHRI JAGDISH CHANDER SHARMA  
STATION FIRE OFFICER  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

12. SHRI SHIVASHANKARA. T. N.  
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

13. SHRI AMANULLA KHAN  
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

14. SHRI KRISHNAPPA. B.  
FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

15. SHRI ANTAPPA  
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

16. SHRI VENKATESH  
ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

17. SHRI GAJENDRA V.  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

18. SHRI MALLESHP  
FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

19. SHRI RAVEENDRAN P. V.  
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER  
KERALA

20. SHRI BIJU V. K.  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA
21. SHRI T. VINOD KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

22. SHRI BABU SINGH KHARABAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR

23. SHRI KHUMAN PETER TANGKHUL
LEADING FIREMAN
MANIPUR

24. SHRI GANESH MUKTAN
SUB OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

25. SHRI PIKHUVI SEMA
DY. S.P. (F & ES)
NAGALAND

26. SHRI W. SASHILEMBA JAMIR
INSPECTOR
NAGALAND

27. SHRI BRAHMANANDA MALLICK
STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

28. SHRI NRU SINGH CHARAN MOHANTY
LEADING FIREMAN
ODISHA

29. SHRI SHYAM SUNDAR NAIK
LEADING FIREMAN
ODISHA

30. SHRI KABINDRA KUMAR JENA
DRIVER HAVILDAR
ODISHA

31. SHRI AJAYA KUMAR SWAIN
FIREMAN
ODISHA
32. SHRI DHRUBA CHARAN PRADHAN
   FIREMAN
   ODISHA

33. SHRI BIRKHA BAHADUR LIMBOO
   SUB FIRE OFFICER
   SIKKIM

34. SHRI MUNIASAMY SIVALINGAM
   STATION OFFICER
   TAMIL NADU

35. SHRI RAMASAMY VALAYAPTHI
   STATION OFFICER
   TAMIL NADU

36. SHRI SAMBANDAM RAJENDRAN
   LEADING FIREMAN
   TAMIL NADU

37. SHRI KALIYAPPA MOORTHY
   DRIVER MECAHANIC
   TAMIL NADU

38. SHRI KALIYAPPA NELLAIYA
   FIREMAN DRIVER
   TAMIL NADU

39. SHRI JOSEPH MARIYADASS
   FIREMAN DRIVER
   TAMIL NADU

40. SHRI DHAN SINGH
    F.S.S.O.
    UTTARAKHAND

41. SHRI PRATAP SINGH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    UTTARAKHAND

42. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH
    SR. COMMANDANT/FIRE
    CISF, MHA
43. SHRI P. VINOD  
   ASST. COMMANDANT/FIRE  
   CISF, MHA  

44. SHRI UPENDRA KUMAR  
   INSPECTOR/FIRE  
   CISF, MHA  

45. SHRI RAM NIWAS  
   HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE  
   CISF, MHA  

46. SHRI HIMANSHU SEKHAR SAHU  
   MANAGER (FIRE SERVICE)  
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS  

47. SHRI MONMOHAN DEBBARMA  
   SR. FIRE OFFICER  
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS  

48. SHRI BIRENDRA SHIVNARAYAN CHOUDHARY  
   CHIEF FIREMAN  
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS  

49. SHRI RAMAN BHAI LAVJI BHAI MAKWANA  
   CHIEF FIREMAN  
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS  

50. SHRI ARUN KUMAR DAS  
   CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE & SAFETY)  
   BPCL, M/O PET. & N. GAS  

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)  
OSD to the President
No. 79-Pres/2014 - The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officers of Tamil Nadu Fire & Rescue Services:

i) Shri Gurusamy Subramanian
   Fireman
   Tamil Nadu

ii) Shri Kasi Pandian Arunachala Pandian
    Fireman
    Tamil Nadu

2. On dated 23.11.2013 at 05.55 hrs, a rescue call was received at the Control Room, Rajapalayam Fire & Rescue Services Station about the collision of a State Government bus with a Private bus Sri Jai Bharath on the route Rajapalayam to Thenkasi Road, near Moolakarai Vinayagar Kovil. Immediately crew with one Fire Tender headed by Shri S. Paramasivam, Station Officer rushed to the spot. On reaching at the scene of incident crew seen a private bus inside a well of 50 feet depth. The bus was upside down in the well and the passengers inside the bus were screaming for help. Fireman G. Subramanian and K. Arunachala Pandian knowing fully that the well had no steps and the possibility of presence of venomous snakes inside the well, entered into the well without caring for their own lives with the help of ropes. On reaching the bus they got into the bus through window and found that three women and two men were in a state of deep shock and screaming for help. They rescued three women and two men one by one with the help of rescue knots. They also rescued the dead body of the driver.

3. Fireman, Shri Gurusamy Subramanian and Shri Kasi Pandian Arunachala Pandian, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 23.11.2013.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
New Delhi the 15th August, 2014

No. 80-Pres/2014 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2014 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:-

1. SH. RAJINDER KUMAR HAK
   JOINT DIRECTOR
   JAMMU & KASHMIR

2. SHRI LOKESH B. MUTTAPPA
   ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
   KARNATAKA

3. SHRI RAGHAB MALLICK
   FIREFMAN
   ODISHA

4. SHRI ARBIND KUMAR
   ASST. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

5. SHRI GIAN CHAND
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

6. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 81-Pres/2014 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2014 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:–

1. SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA KALITA
   STATION OFFICER
   ASSAM

2. SHRI UMESH CHANDRA DEKA
   SUB-OFFICER
   ASSAM

3. SHRI NRIPENDRA CHANDRA KALITA
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

4. SHRI R.M. DHODI
   SUB-OFFICER
   DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

5. SHRI S.C. PATEL
   DRIVER
   DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

6. SHRI AMRATLAL KARSAVALA
   ASST. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   DAMAN & DIU

7. SHRI SATYAPAL SINGH BHRDWAJ
   ASSTT. DIVISIONAL OFFICER
   DELHI

8. SHRI ANUP SINGH
   LEADING FIREMAN
   DELHI

9. SHRI AMRESH PAL
   LEADING FIREMAN
   DELHI
10. SHRI ARJUN SHANKAR PARAB
   SUB-OFFICER
   GOA

11. SHRI BHALCHANDRA G. VELIP
    LEADING FIREFIGHTER
    GOA

12. SHRI RAMA DAMODARNAIKN
    DRIVER OPERATOR
    GOA

13. SHRI ROMESH CHANDER RAINA
    ASSTT. DIRECTOR
    JAMMU & KASHMIR

14. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR BHAT
    STATION OFFICER
    JAMMU & KASHMIR

15. SHRI MAHANAND SINGH
    ASST. DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
    JHARKHAND

16. SHRI RISHI KUMAR TIWARI
    LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
    JHARKHAND

17. SHRI RAMANNAGOWDA HANUMAIAH
    DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER
    KARNATAKA

18. SHRI SHANTKUMARCHARI SHANKARACHARI
    FIRE STATION OFFICER
    KARNATAKA

19. SHRI SHIVARUDRAPPA VEERANANAPPA
    ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
    KARNATAKA

20. SHRI KISHORKUMAR
    ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
    KARNATAKA
21. SHRI P.R. SUNIMON
FIREMAN DRIVER-CUM-PUMP OPERATOR
KERALA

22. SHRI MADHUSOODANAN NAIR. G
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

23. SHRI P. S. SREE KISHORE
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

24. SHRI P.K. SARACHANDRA BABU
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

25. SHRI RANJIT SINGH WAHENGbam
SUB OFFICER
MANIPUR

26. SHRI STRONGER NONGREM
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA

27. SHRI BINOY KUMAR MEDHI
LEADING FIREMAN
MEGHALAYA

28. SHRI UGRASEN SAI
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

29. SHRI PRAVAKAR SAHOON
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

30. SHRI SURENDRA NATH GADAPALA
ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
ODISHA

31. SHRI SRIKANTA TAREI
HAVILDAR MECHANIC
ODISHA
32. SHRI BHARAMARABAR SETH
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ODISHA

33. SHRI SRINIVASAN MURALIDARAN
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

34. SHRI RAMASAMY ANNAMALAI
    FIREMAN DRIVER
    TAMIL NADU

35. SHRI PALANIYAPPAN MURUGESAN
    FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

36. SHRI NANDA LAL DAS
    STATION OFFICER
    TRIPURA

37. SHRI BABUL DEBNATH
    SUB OFFICER
    TRIPURA

38. SHRI RAM SANEHI
    CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
    UTTAR PRADESH

39. SHRI SATYAPAL SINGH
    CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
    UTTAR PRADESH

40. SHRI RAJA BAX SINGH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    UTTAR PRADESH

41. SHRI HARI SINGH YADAV
    LEADING FIREMAN
    UTTAR PRADESH

42. SHRI PURAN CHANDRA SHARMA
    FIRE STATION OFFICER
    UTTARAKHAND
43. SHRI HAREESH CHANDRA
   F.S. DRIVER
   UTTARAKHAND

44. SHRI SUDHABINDU SIKDAR
   FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR CUM DRIVER
   WEST BENGAL

45. SHRI PRAN KRISHNA SAHA
   FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR CUM DRIVER
   WEST BENGAL

46. SHRI SUDHIR DIGAMBER INGLE
   COMMANDANT (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

47. SHRI C. NATARAJAN
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

48. SHRI HAMBIR SINGH
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

49. SHRI RAJKISHOR PRASAD SINGH
   ASST. FIRE OFFICER
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS

50. SHRI RAMANBHAI KHODABHAI BHUNATAR
   CHIEF FIREMAN
   ONGC, M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 9-Pres/2015 - The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under-mentioned Officer of Chandigarh Fire & Emergency Services:

Shri Amandeep Singh (Posthumous)
Fireman

On dated 8th June, 2014 at 1650 hrs, fire call was received from the Police Control Room about the fire at National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology (NIELIT), SCO 114-116, Sector – 17, Chandigarh. Immediately fire fighting crew along with Fireman Amandeep Singh who was at Fire Station, Sector -11, Chandigarh rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot, crew observed that the three storey building of NIELIT was completely engulfed in fire. It was very difficult for the crew members to douse the raging flames. Without caring to personal safety and risk to his own life Shri Amandeep Singh, Fireman climbed on to the first floor and started throwing water inside the building to control the raging flames. While he was dousing the flames, the building collapsed and Shri Amandeep Singh, Fireman trapped under the debris and lost his life.

2. Fireman, Shri Amandeep Singh, thus, displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

3. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3(i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5(a) w.e.f. 08.06.2014.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 10-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2015 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI ARVIND RAI
   INSPECTOR
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

2. SHRI TILAK CHANDRA BORAH
   FIRE PREVENTION OFFICER
   ASSAM

3. SHRI MADAN MOHAN DEBATA
   ASST. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

4. SHRI ANAND PAL SINGH
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

5. SHRI GOUTAM KUMAR MUKHOPADHYAY
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL

6. SHRI SIDDHARTHA RAHA
   DY. COMMANDANT/FIRE
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2015

No. 11-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2015 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:-

1. SHRI KUMAR PAUL  
   HEAD CONSTABLE (LEADING FIREMAN)  
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

2. SHRI PATAN CHANDRA ROY  
   SUB FIRE OFFICER  
   ARUNACHAL PRADESH

3. SHRI DHIREN CHANDRA KALITA  
   STATION OFFICER  
   ASSAM

4. SHRI MANIKUDDIN CHOUDHURY  
   SUB OFFICER  
   ASSAM

5. SHRI SIPAHI SINGH  
   FIRE STATION OFFICER  
   BIHAR

6. SHRI DWARIKA PASWAN  
   FIRE STATION OFFICER  
   BIHAR

7. SHRI CHANDRABHAN YADAV  
   SUB OFFICER  
   BIHAR

8. SHRI LAL BABU PASWAN  
   LEADING FIREMAN  
   BIHAR

9. SHRI SOHAN LAL SHARMA  
   SUB FIRE OFFICER  
   HIMACHAL PRADESH
10. SHRI MADESHA L
   FIRE STATION OFFICER
   KARNATAKA

11. SHRI SUBRAYA. V. BALEGAR
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KARNATAKA

12. SHRI ANAND. A
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KARNATAKA

13. SHRI KHADARGMASI
    FIREMAN
    KARNATAKA

14. SHRI SHAJIKUMAR THANKAPPAN
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KERALA

15. SHRI BIJOY KURUKKANTHARAYIL PETER
    FIREMAN DRIVER CUM PUMP OPERATOR
    KERALA

16. SHRI G. AJITHKUMAR
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KERALA

17. SHRI SUONMINTHANG HELTHANG THANGJOM
    DRIVER
    MANIPUR

18. SHRI IBOTOMBI SINGH AKOIJAM
    FIREMAN
    MANIPUR

19. SHRI SATYA PRASAD DUTTA
    SUB OFFICER
    MEGHALAYA

20. SHRI KYNSAIBOR ROYNEE
    SUB OFFICER
    MEGHALAYA
21. SHRI BABAJI CHARAN LENKA
    ASST. STATION OFFICER
    ODISHA

22. SHRI PRAFULLA KUMAR OJHA
    ASST. STATION OFFICER
    ODISHA

23. SHRI DHARANIDHAR BARAL
    DRIVER HAVILDAR
    ODISHA

24. SHRI SANKAR MALLIK
    FIREMAN
    ODISHA

25. SHRI BHASKAR CHANDRA BARIK
    FIREMAN
    ODISHA

26. MD. ISMAIL SHAHUL HAMEED
    JOINT DIRECTOR
    TAMIL NADU

27. SHRI PALANI UDAIYAR KANNAN
    DRIVER MECHANIC
    TAMIL NADU

28. SHRI RAMALINGAM MANOHARAN
    FIREMAN DRIVER
    TAMIL NADU

29. SHRI PAKKIRI VALAYAN GANESAN
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

30. SHRI MACHERLA ILUMALLU
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA

31. SHRI M. A. RAWOOF
    DRIVER OPERATOR
    TELANGANA
32. SHRI PULIN BEHARI DAS
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   TRIPURA

33. SHRI RAVINDRA KUMAR PANDEY
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

34. SHRI VICHITRA KUMAR SINGH
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

35. SHRI ABHAYBHAN PANDEY
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

36. SHRI JANESHWAR PRASAD RATHAUR
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

37. SHRI RAJENDRA SINGH KHATI
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTARAKHAND

38. SHRI GOPAL SINGH BISHT
   LEADING FIREMAN
   UTTARAKHAND

39. SHRI SUBAL CHANDRA MANDAL
   STATION OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL

40. SHRI MANASH KUMAR GHOSH
    STATION OFFICER
    WEST BENGAL

41. SHRI SUBHAS CHANDRA BHATTACHARYA
    MOBILIZING OFFICER
    WEST BENGAL

42. SHRI AJIT KUMAR NASKAR
    LEADER
    WEST BENGAL
43. SHRI NEPAL CHANDRA GHOSH
   FIRE OPERATOR
   WEST BENGAL

44. SHRI PRAVEEN KUMAR
   INSPECTOR/FIRE
   C.I.S.F., M. H. A.

45. SHRI P KUPPU SAMY
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR/FIRE
   C.I.S.F., M. H. A

46. SHRI PRATAP SINGH RAWAT
   HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
   C.I.S.F., M. H. A

47. SHRI SURESH KUMAR
   HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
   C.I.S.F., M. H. A

48. SHRI AMITABH SINGH
   CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)
   O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

49. SHRI SURESH CHANDRA GAUR
   ASST. FIRE OFFICER
   O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

50. SHRI KAILASH MISHRA
    CHIEF FIREMAN
    O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3(ii) of the rules governing the award of
Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
No. 82-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Kerala Fire & Rescue Services :-

Shri Chithendran Thyparambil Vasu (Posthumous)
Fireman

2. On dated 20.09.2013 at 02.29 hrs, a rescue call was received at Seethathode Fire & Rescue Station that a large number of Ayappa devotees are trapped on the bank of Pamba river due to the sudden flood occurred in Pamba. Immediately a Mobile Tank Unit along with crew dispatched to the spot. After receiving the message from Additional District Magistrate, Assistant Divisional Officer, Shri P. Dileepan along with the crew and the Rescue van from Sethathode Fire & Rescue Station also rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot, crew found that the devotees are trapped between the Ramamurthy Mandapam and Flyover and not been able to reach to the Flyover. Since the water level was continuously rising, the devotees were panic stricken and the Fire Service personnel has no other option than entering the water and rescuing them without any further delay. Fireman Shri Chithendran Thyparambil Vasu without caring to his life and personal safety take this challenge and enters the water after putting life jacket and tying the Bowline. As he entered the water and moves towards the devotees the water level suddenly increased which causes to lose his control and he entangled around the fencing chain and could not be drawback to safety. Crew rescued him only after the shutters of the Dam were closed and rushed to the nearby taluk hospital where the doctor declared him dead.

3. Fireman Shri Chithendran Thyparambil Vasu, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 20.09.2013.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
2. दिनांक 20.09.2013 को 2.29 बजे सीताधोड़े अभिनव एवं बचाव केन्द्र में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि पप्पा नदी के अस्थायी बांध के कारण बड़ी संख्या में अस्थायी भक्त पप्पा नदी के किनारे पर फॉस गये हैं। तत्काल बचाव दल मोबाइल टैंक से नदी घाटा स्थल के लिए रवाना किए गए। अतिरिक्त जिला मुख्यमंत्री के सूचना देने पर, सहायक संगठन अधिकारी श्री पी दिलीपन श्री बचाव दल रेस्क्यू बैन ने साथ सीताधोड़े बचाव केन्द्र से घाटा स्थल के लिए तुरंत रवाना किया। घाटा स्थल पर पहुँचने के बाद दल ने पाया कि अस्थायी भक्तों की बड़ी संख्या उत्पालु गडप और फालंडोर के बीच पानी हुई है, जो फलस्वरूप तत्काल पहुँचने में असमर्थ है। पानी का त्याग और भी बचाव जा रहा था। भक्तों की भीड़ कोसाहल गया रही थी। समय व्यस्त ना करते हुए पानी में उतर कर उन्हें बचाने के लिए बचाव दल के पास कोई रास्ता नहीं था। फायरमैन श्री वितरंगन ध्यापारस्विन वासु ने अपनी जान की परवर्ष किए बिना बचाव जीकेसी फनकर रेस्क्यू गांठ की सहायता से पानी में उतर गए। जैसे ही पानी में उतारे और भक्तों को और बढ़ने लगे तभी अस्थायी भक्तों का बहाव बढ़ गया जिसके कारण वे अपना नियंत्रण खो बैठे और तार से उलझ गए और अपना बचाव ना कर सके। बॉड के दराजों बंद करने के बाद ही बचाव दल ने श्री वासु को बचाव र वापस के तालुक अस्पताल में ले गए जहां डॉक्टर ने उन्हें मृत घोषित कर दिया।

3. फायरमैन श्री वितरंगन ध्यापारस्विन वासु ने उत्कृष्ट दीर्घ, अदम्य साहस, व्यवसायिक कुशलता एवं उच्च कोटिका की कर्तव्य पूर्वाभास का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनव सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणाम: नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमय विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 20.09.2013 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(सुरेंद्र यादव)
राष्ट्रपति के विशेष कार्यधिकारी
No. 83-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officers of Maharashtra Fire & Emergency Services:-

1. Shri Sunil Haribhau Nesarikar
   Deputy Chief Fire Officer

2. Shri Sarjerao Krishna Bandgar
   Station Officer

3. Shri Nitin Bhaguram Yewlekar (Posthumous)
   Fireman

2. On dated 18.07.2014 at 09.44 hrs, a fire call was received in the Control Room of Mumbai Fire Brigade about the fire at Lotus Business Park, Opposite Laxmi Industrial Estate, Link road, Andheri (W), Mumbai. Immediately the crew along with the senior officers rushed to the spot and found that the fire was on 20th floor of high rise commercial building with single stair case. The water jets from T.T.L. and additional water lines from the podium of the high rise building was pressed into operation to douse the fire. Due to high wind velocity and cloudy atmosphere, the flames were shooting out from three sides of 20th floor. At around 1230 hrs one falling Aluminum Composite Panels pears into the duct outside the staircase at 10th floor level and ignited fire at 10th floor also. The situation summoning additional fire force to handle the situation. Approximately 60 vehicles responded to the fire call. The fire travelled from 20th floor to 19th floor trapping 33 officers and men on 20th floor and terrace. Without fearing to their own live and keeping in mind trapped fellow they continued fire fighting by using all available resources. There was a situation when the officers and man trapped could have succumbed to radiative fire and flames and they were desperate to jump from the terrace and from 20th floor. Dy. CFO Shri Nesarikar continuously in touch with Station Officer Shri Bandgar guided other crew members to behave patiently on trapped floors and asked them to keep calm and ensure cohesiveness amongst all fire fighters present on the floors. Shri Nesarikar led two rescue teams, continuous supply of water, crew rushed on 19th floor and to secured escape route on 19th floor.

Due to the tireless efforts, motivations of Shri Nesarikar Dy. C.F.O. and Shri S.K. Bandgar, Station Officer it was possible to douse the fire, rescue the
stranded fire personnel including themselves. Fireman Shri Nitin Bhaguram Yewlekar who tried to find out the alternate way to reach at terrace lost the patl, and got suffocated as the air from breathing apparatus got exhausted. S.O. Shri P.A. Sawant along with other crew found him in lying condition and removed him to Cooper hospital where he was declared dead.

3. Deputy Chief Fire Officer, Shri Sunil Haribhau Nesarikar, Station Officer Shri Sarjerao Krishna Bandgar and Fireman Shri Nitin Bhaguram Yewlekar, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise, leadership and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 18.07.2014

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2015

संख्या 83–प्रेज/2015 – राष्ट्रपति, महाराष्ट्र फायर एवं इमरजेंसी सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को राष्ट्रपति का वीरता के लिए अनिष्ठम सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:-

1. श्री सुनील हरीमाह नेसरीकर
   उप अनिष्ठमन अधिकारी

2. श्री सरजूराव कृष्णा बंडगर
   स्टेशन अधिकारी

3. श्री नितिन भागुराम येवलेकर (मरणोपरांत)
   फायर मैन

2. दिनांक 18.07.2014 को 9.44 बजे मुम्बई फायर ब्रिगेड के कंट्रोल रूम में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि लोटस व्यापारी पार्क, विपरीत तकमी उद्योगिक क्षेत्र, लिंक रोड, अंधेरी (पश्चिम), मुम्बई में आग लग गई है। बचाव दल, उच्च अधिकारियों के साथ घटना स्थल के लिए तुरंत रवाना हुए और देखा कि आग धीरे-धीरे मजबूत उच्च इमारत की 20वीं मजबूत पर लगी है जिसमें जाने के लिए कंवर्ल एक ही सिडी है। आग को बुझाने के लिए टी टी एल से पानी की जेट एवं अतिरिक्त पानी की लाईनों द्वारा पोशाक से आग बुझाने का कार्य आरम्भ किया गया। हवा के तेज बहाव और बादलों ने वातावरण के कारण आग की लपटें 20वीं मजबूत से तीनों तरफ फैल रही थी। करीब 12.30 बजे एलोमिनियम का कम्पोजिट पैनल उपर से 10वीं मजबूत के डबल होने का लगा पता हुआ था। बाद में अतिरिक्त सेवा दलों को बुझाया गया। करीब 60 गाड़ियां घटना स्थल को रवाना की गई। आग 20वीं मजबूत से 19वीं मजबूत पर भी लग गई जिसके कारण 33 सेवा दल कमियों और अधिकारी 20वीं मजबूत की छत पर फैल गए। बिना प्रभाव के अपनी जान की परवह ना करते हुए और अपने फैंस हुए साथियों को ध्यान में रखते हुए उन्होंने आग बुझाने का काम उपलब्ध सभी संसाधनों के साथ जारी रखा। एक तरफ ऐसा भी आया जब सेवा दल व फैंस हुए अधिकारी फैंसी हुई धारा से पूरी तरह झुलस भी सकते थे। उप अनिष्ठमन अधिकारी श्री एस एवं नेसरीकर और स्टेशन ऑफिसर, श्री एस के बंडगर ने सभी दल कमियों एवं अधिकारियों से समर्पन बनाए रखा और उन्हें वैश्विक एवं स्कॉटलैंड में नेपाल होकर आग बुझाने के लिए प्रेरित करते रहे। श्री नेसरीकर ने दो बचाव दलों के नेतृत्व किया जिनमें वे शहीद पहले थे और एक एवं गर्म स्थलों का पानी काटते रुत्थ आग नहीं की लाइनों की मदद से 19वीं मजबूत पर जाकर आग पर काबू पाया और बचाव के साथों को सुरक्षित किया व फैंस हुए लोगों को बचाया।
श्री एस एच नेसरीकर, उप अभिशमन अधिकारी और स्टेशन अधिकारी, श्री एस के बंडगर के अथक प्रयास एवं प्रेरणा के कारण ही आग पर काशू पाया जा सका और कंसे हुए सेवा कर्मियों के साथ खुद की भी जान बचाई। कायरमैं श्री नितिन भागुराम जालेकर जो कि छत पर जाने के अन्य रास्ते की तलाश कर रहे थे, अपने मार्ग से भटक गए तथा श्री. ए. रैंट की हवा खाम हो जाने के कारण घुंटे से उसका दम घुट गया, स्टेशन अधिकारी श्री पी.ए. सावंत व अन्य बचाव दल के सदस्यों ने उन्हें गिरा हुआ पाया तथा उन्हें निकाल कर कुपर अस्पताल ले गए जहां उन्हें मृत घोषित कर दिया।

3. उप अभिशमन अधिकारी, श्री सुनील हरीनाथ नेसरीकर, स्टेशन अधिकारी सर्जराव कृष्णा बंडगर, एवं फायर मैन श्री नितिन भागुराम वेंकलेकर, ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अद्यतन साहस, कुशल, नेतृत्व, व्यवसायिक कुशलता एवं उच्च कोटि की कर्तव्य परायणता का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार दीर्घा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिशमन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियोजकली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामत: नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमय विशेष भव्य दिनांक 18.07.2014 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(सुरेश यादव)
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PRESIDENT’S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi the 15th August, 2015

No. 84-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officers of Maharashtra Fire & Emergency Services :-

1. Shri Amit Genba Padwal
   Asst. Station Officer

2. Shri Manojkumar Prakash Erande
   Asst. Station Officer

3. Shri Suryakant Pandurang Patil
   Leading Fireman

4. Shri Manik Sarjerao Ogale
   Leading Fireman

5. Shri Vishwanath Digambar Lot
   Fireman

6. Shri R. M. Fernandes
   Fireman

2. On dated 18.07.2014 at 09.44 hrs, a fire call was received in the control room of Mumbai Fire Brigade about the fire at Lotus Business Park, Opposite Laxmi Industrial Estate, Link road, Andheri (W), Mumbai. Immediately the crew rushed to the spot and found that the fire was on 20th floor of the high rise commercial building with single stair case. The water jets from T.T.L. and additional water lines from the podium of the high rise building was pressed into operation to douse the uncontrolled fire. Due to high wind velocity and cloudy atmosphere, the flames were shooting out from three sides of 20th floor. At around 1230 hrs one falling Aluminum Composite Panels pears into the duct outside the staircase at 10th floor level and ignited fire at 10th floor also. Approximately 60 Fire Tenders and specialized vehicles and appliances responded to the fire call. The fire travelled from 20th floor to 19th floor trapping 33 officers and men on 20th floor and terrace. Without fearing to their own lives and keeping in mind the trapped fellow, they continued fire fighting by using all available resources. There was a situation when the officers and man trapped could have succumbed to radiative fire and flames and also they were desperate
to jump from the terrace and from 20th floor. Assistant Station Officer Shri Amit Genba Padwal, Leading Fireman Shri Suryakant Pandurang Patil and Fireman Vishwanath Digambar Lot started ventilating the 18th floor by breaking few glasses with help of P-axe for charging the line. When the intensity of fire heat and smoke increased all officers & staff members were moving here & there and tried to take the shelter of RCC beam & column. This serious condition on 20th floor was persist approximately more than one hour. The offices of the terrace level were gutted in fire & due to heavy wind velocity, fire spread to entire terrace level. Dy. C.F.O. S.H. Nesrikar, A.D.F.O. S.B. Karade, A.S.O. M.P. Erande, Leading Fireman, Shri Manik Sarjerao Ogale, and Fireman, Shri R.M. Fernandes reached up to terrace level by using smoke filled staircase and controlling the fire at 19th and 20th floor.

Due to tireless efforts, they able to extinguish the fire of offices of the terrace level and rescued all the trapped personnel and saved property. They displayed their courage and extra ordinary efforts not only saving their own lives, property, adjoining buildings but also lives of other crew members and got severe injuries. The injured personnel were shifted to near by hospital.

3. Assistant Station Officer Shri Amit Genba Padwal and Shri Manojkumar Prakash Erande Leading Fireman Shri Suryakant Pandurang Patil and Shri Manik Sarjerao Ogale Fireman Shri Vishwanath Digambar Lot and Shri R.M. Fernandes, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise, leadership and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 18.07.2014.

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2015

संख्या 84-प्रेज/2015 – राष्ट्रपति, महाराष्ट्र फायर एवं इमरजेंसी सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को वीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं:—

1. श्री अमित गेनवा शार्ल
   असिस्टेंट स्टेशन एफिसर

2. श्री मनोजकुमार प्रकाश एडर्ड
   असिस्टेंट स्टेशन एफिसर

3. श्री सुरेंद्रकांत पादुःएंग पाटील
   लिडिंग फायरमैन

4. श्री बृजेश सर्वेक्षान ओगले
   लिडिंग फायरमैन

5. श्री विश्वनाथ दिगम्बर लोट
   फायरमैन

6. श्री आर, एम फानड्डीस
   फायरमैन

दिनांक 18.07.2014 को 9.44 बजे मुंबई फायर बिग्रेड के कंट्रोल रूम में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि लोटर व्यापारी पार्क, विपरीत लक्ष्मी उद्योगी क्षेत्र, लिंक रोड अन्चेरी (पश्चिम), मुंबई में आग लग गई है। बदाय दल, उच्च अधिकारियों के साथ घटना स्थल के लिए तुरंत रवाना हुए व देखा कि आग बीस मंजिल उच्च इमारत की 20बी मंजिल पर लगी है जिसमें जाने के लिए केवल एक ही सिर्फ है। आग को बुझाने के लिए टी टी एल से पानी की जेट एवं अतिरिक्त पानी की लाइनों द्वारा पोडियम से आग बुझाने का कार्य आरम्भ किया गया। हवा के जेब बहाव व बादलों वाले वातावरण के कारण आग की लपटे 20बी मंजिल से तीनों तरफ फैल रही थी। करीब 12.30 बजे एलोमिनियम का कम्पोजिट पेनल उपर से 10बी मंजिल के उपर जो कि सिलिकॉन के पास था, आकर गिरा और 10बी मंजिल पर भी आग लग गई। तभी अतिरिक्त सेवा दलों को बुलाया गया। करीब 60 गाड़ियों घटना स्थल का और रवाना की गई। आग 20बी मंजिल से 19बी मंजिल पर भी लग गई जिसके कारण 33 रेतवा दल कमी के अधिकारी 20बी मंजिल की छत पर फंस गए। बिना भय के अपनी जान की
परवाह ना करते हुए एकम अपने फंसे हुए साथियों को ध्यान में रखते हुए उन्होंने आग आने का काम उपलब्ध सभी संसाधनों के साथ जारी रखा। एक समय ऐसा भी आया जब संसार दल व फंसे हुए अधिकारी फंसती हुई आग से पूरी तरह शुल्कस भी सकते थे। जो छत पर फंसे हुए थे वे 20से मिजल से कूदने के लिए मजबूर हो रहे थे। सहायक रेड्डर अफिसर श्री अमित गेनबा पडवाल, लिडिंग फायर मैन श्री सुर्यकुमार पांडुरंग पाटील और फायर मैन बिश्वनाथ दिगम्बर ने 20से मिजल पर रोशनदान के शीर्षों तोड़ने और घुमने के लिए कर दिए। जब आग से गर्मी व ठंडा बादा तो सभी अधिकारी व बचाव दल के सदस्य इमर्गे उठकर भागने लगे और आए जी जी के मिलने के पिछे छुपने लगे। यह स्थिति 20से मिजल पर एक घटने से अधिक समय तक चलती रही। 42 छत पर घायल की अवधारणा के कारण आग पूरी 42 छत पर फैल गई। उप मुख्य फायर अफिसर श्री एस एच नसरीकर, अतिरिक्त डिविजनल फायर अफिसर श्री एस बी कसरे, अतिरिक्त रेड्डर अफिसर एम बी इशान्दे, फायरमैन श्री मनोज सर्जरिय एंडले और फायर मैन श्री आर एम फर्नाडीज रिह्यों पर दुर्ग व आग को कबू करते हुए 19से व 20से मिजल को पार कर के छत पर पहुँचे।

थकान भरी कोशिश के बावजूद वे आग पर पानी झालें जा रहे थे और 42 छत पर फंसे हुए लोगों व समस्त को बचाने में कामयाब हो गए। उनकी उत्कृष्ट वीरता एवं अधक प्रयास के कारण ही आग पर कबू पापा और फंसे हुए सेवा कर्मियों के साथ सम्पत्ति व घायलों को बचाने में भी कामयाब मिली। घायलों को नजदीक के अस्पताल में भरती कराया गया।

3. असिस्टेंट रेड्डर अफिसर श्री अमित गेनबा पडवाल, श्री मनोजकृमार प्रकाश एंडले, लिडिंग फायरमैन श्री सुर्यकुमार पांडुरंग पाटील, श्री मनोज सर्जरिय ओगले, फायरमैन, श्री बिश्वनाथ दिगम्बर लोट, फायरमैन, एवं श्री आर। एम फर्नाडीज ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, आदर्श साहस, कूशल नेतृत्व व्यवसायिक कृतिनता एवं उच्च कोटी की कर्तव्य परम्परात का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अन्नदाता सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शास्त्री नेता नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणाम: नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमय विशेष भत्ता दिनका 18.07.2014 से इसके साथ दे रहे होगा।

(पुरस्क यादव)
राष्ट्रपति के विशेष कार्यधिकारी
No. 85-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Nagaland Fire & Emergency Services:

Shri Zeneilie Kire
Driver Constable

2. On dated 15.04.2015 at 09.38 hrs, an emergency call was received at control room that two persons Mr. Retsu Yimchunger and Mr. Tsuknunngkumzuk are trapped inside the Ring Well while cleaning. Immediately the crew from Kohima Fire Station rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot crew found that the trapped personnel were losing consciousness due to shortage of oxygen as the ring well was constructed inside the RCC building. Despite the risk of asphyxiation and danger to life, Driver Constable Shri Zeneilie Kire dared to enter into the 35 feet deep well with the help of rescue knot and rescued Mr. Retsu Yimchunger and Mr. Tsuknunngkumzuk in unconscious state and admitted to hospital for treatment. During the operation Driver Constable Shri Kire also lost his consciousness due to shortage of oxygen and exhaustion.

3. Driver Constable Shri Zeneilie Kire, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. This award is made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 15.04.2015

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President
संख्या 85–प्रेज/2015 – राष्ट्रपति, नागालंड फायर एण्ड इमरजेंसी सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को बीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक सहर्ष प्रदान करते हैं—

श्री जेनीली कैंरी
झाइवर सिपाही

2. दिनांक 15.04.2015 को 09.38 बजे अनिश्चित एवं बचाव केन्द्र में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि दो व्यक्ति, श्री रशु जिमचुनगर व श्री तसुकनुनज़कमज़ुक, सफाय करते समय गोल कुएँ में फंस गए हैं। कोहीमा फायर स्टेशन से तकालब बचाव दल घटना स्थल के लिए रवाना हो गया। घटना स्थल पर पहुँचने के बाद दल ने पाया कि फंसे हुए दोनों लोग ओक्सीजन की कमी के कारण धीरे–धीरे मुर्खी हो रहे थे, क्योंकि गोल कुएँ आर सी सी की बनी हुई एक ईमारत के अंदर था। दम घटने के जोखिम और जीवन के लिए खतरे को जानने हुए भी झाइवर सिपाही श्री जेनीली कैंरी ने 35 फीट गहरे कुएँ में बचाव गाँठ की सहायता से प्रवेश करने की जिम्मेदारी की व कुएँ में दाखिल होकर श्री रशु जिमचुनगर व श्री तसुकनुनज़कमज़ुक को बेहोश की हालत में कुएँ से बाहर निकाला व ईलाज के लिए अस्पताल में भर्ती करवाया। बचाव के पीछे झाइवर सिपाही श्री जेनीली कैंरी, ओक्सीजन की कमी व बालाकाळ के कारण बेहोश हो गये।

3. श्री जेनीली कैंरी झाइवर सिपाही ने उल्कृष्ट बीरता, अद्भुत साहस, व्यवसायिक कुशलता एवं उच्च कॉटी की कर्तव्य परायणता का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अनिश्चित सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली नियमावली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामस्वरूप: नियम 5(क) के तहत अनुमय विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 15.04.2015 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(पुरेर साहि)
राष्ट्रपति के विशेष कार्यवाहिकारी
No. 86-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2015 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

1. SHRI MARKANDEYA N. R. 
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER 
   KARNATAKA

2. SHRI GOUR PRASAD GHOSH 
   DEPUTY DIRECTOR 
   WEST BENGAL

3. SHRI SANAT KUMAR SINGHA ROY 
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER 
   WEST BENGAL

4. SHRI R. VIJAYA KUMARAN NAIR 
   DEPUTY COMMANDANT/FIRE 
   C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yadav) 
OSD to the President
संख्या 86-प्रेज/2015- राष्ट्रपति, स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2015 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनिधन सेवा पदक पहचान प्रदान करते हैं:-

1. श्री मार्केंडेश एन०आर०
   चीफ फायर ऑफिसर
   कर्नाटक

2. श्री गौर प्रसाद घोष
   हिप्टी डाइरेक्टर
   पश्चिम बंगाल

3. श्री सनात कुमार सिंह राय
   डिभिजनल फायर ऑफिसर
   पश्चिम बंगाल

4. श्री आर० विजय कुमारन नायर
   हिप्टी कमांडेंट/फायर
   सीआईएसएफ०, एमएचएफ०

2. यह पुरस्कार विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिनिधन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार के शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है।

(सुरेश यादव)
राष्ट्रपति के विशेष कार्य अधिकारी
New Delhi the 15th August, 2015

No. 87-Pres/2015 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2015 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI DILIP KARMAKAR
   SUB INSPECTOR
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

2. SHRI ALBAN
   HEAD CONSTABLE (LFM)
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

3. SHRI TAKHE HORMING
   SUB FIRE OFFICER
   ARUNACHAL PRADESH

4. SHRI MAHANTHI RAMACHANDRA
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   ANDHRA PRADESH

5. SHRI GURUBILLI SIMHACHALAM
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ANDHRA PRADESH

6. SHRI SIVA SURYANARAYANA ANDRA
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ANDHRA PRADESH

7. SHRI KRISHNA KANTA MEDHI
   SUB OFFICER
   ASSAM

8. SHRI BISWAJIT RAJKUMAR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

9. SHRI BHAGWAT CHOUDHARY
   FIRE STATION OFFICER
   BIHAR
10. SHRI BINAY KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN
BIHAR

11. SHRI LAKHBIR SINGH
SUB FIRE OFFICER
HIMACHAL PRADESH

12. SHRI GURULINGAIAH. C
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

13. SHRI OBAYYA MOOLYA. S
DISTRICT FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

14. SHRI CHANNAPPA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

15. SHRI BASHA SAHEB
PAINTER
KARNATAKA

16. SHRI E.B. PRASAD
DIRECTOR (TECHNICAL)
KERALA

17. SHRI A.T. GEORGE
DRIVER MECHANIC
KERALA

18. SHRI MOHENDRO SINGH MANGSHATABAM
SUB OFFICER
MANIPUR

19. SHRI KHUMAN SHANG JOHNSON TANGKHUL
LEADING FIREMAN
MANIPUR

20. SHRI DHON W MARAK
STATION OFFICER
MEGHALAYA
21. SHRI DHWAJA JAGAT
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ODISHA

22. SHRI MANAS KUMAR PRADHAN
    LEADING FIREMAN
    ODISHA

23. SHRI NAR PRASAD PRADHAN
    ASSTT. SUB FIRE OFFICER
    SIKKIM

24. SHRI SUNDARAMURTHY VIJAYASEKAR
    JOINT DIRECTOR
    TAMIL NADU

25. SHRI MUTHIAH THIYAGARAJAN
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

26. SHRI KALATHIL HOUSE VILVATHIRINATHAN
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

27. SHRI JEBAMALAI KULANDAIRAJ
    DRIVER MECHANIC
    TAMIL NADU

28. YOUSUF ALI KHAN MOHAMMED
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA

29. SHRI K. VENKAT REDDY
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA

30. SHRI GOKUL CHANDRA SINGH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TRIPURA

31. SHRI HARIBAL DAS
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TRIPURA
32. SHRI DHARAM CHAND
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

33. SHRI RAM GOPAL SHUKLA
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

34. SHRI DHRUVA NARAYAN DUBEY
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTAR PRADESH

35. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR PAUL
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

36. SHRI HARADHAN CHATTERJEE
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

37. SHRI GOPAL DAS
FEOD
WEST BENGAL

38. SHRI SK. AZAD ALI CHOBDER
FEOD
WEST BENGAL

39. SHRI JAYDEEP CHAUDHURY
ASST. COMMANDANT/FIRE
C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

40. SHRI DALBIR SINGH
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

41. SHRI HARIHIRA DASH
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
C.I.S.F., M.H.A.

42. SHRI CH. VENKATESWARALU
HEAD CONSTABLE/FIRE
C.I.S.F., M.H.A.
43. SHRI DINESH KUMAR  
CHIEF MANAGER (FIRE SERVICES)  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

44. SHRI MANHARLAL JAMNADAS GANDHI  
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

45. SHRI GOVINDBHAI SHANKARDAS PATEL  
CHIEF FIREMAN  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)  
OSD to the President
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2016

No. 5-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Jharkhand Fire & Emergency Services:-

Shri Biman Chandra Majee
Fireman Driver

2. On dated 11.06.2014 at 19.38 hrs, a call was received at control room about the fire incident in Samsung Office, J.D. Corporate Building, Main Road Ranchi. Immediately the fire crew along with 6 Fire Tender and Hydraulic Platform rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot crew found that the smoke emanating from the floors where the fire broke out, hindering the entry of fireman. In this situation, Shri Majee without considering his personal safety climbed up the fire ladder, broke the glass panes and successfully lead his colleagues into the building. Firefighting team extinguished fire and saved the life and property under his leadership. Despite suffering injuries, Shri Majee remained at the front of the firefighting team. Shri Majee’s right hand was very badly mutilated from the falling glass panes. Several of his veins and finger were cut and the bleeding was so severe that he lost consciousness. Prompt medical attention and operation of his almost severed hand, could saved his life.

3. Fireman Driver Shri Biman Chandra Majee, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 11.06.2014

(Suresh Yadav)
OSD to the President of Ind
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 201

No. 6-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day 2016 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI LOHIT GOSWAMI
   SENIOR STATION OFFICER
   ASSAM

2. SHRI PREM SINGH DHAIIYA
   ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER
   DELHI

3. SHRI JAGDEV SINGH YADAV
   LEADING FIREFMAN
   UTTAR PRADESH

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(Suresh Yad: OSD to the President of In
New Delhi, the 26th January, 2016

No. 7-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2016 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI VIJAYA KUMAR
   SUB-INSPECTOR (STATION OFFICER)
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR

2. SHRI M. RAMBIR
   HC (LEADING FIREMAN)
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR

3. SHRI SOMESWAR KAKATI
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

4. SHRI DILIP KUMAR BORAH
   SUB OFFICER
   ASSAM

5. SHRI VEDPAL
   ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL OFFICER
   DELHI

6. SHRI NARENDER SINGH
   STATION OFFICER
   DELHI

7. SHRI SURENDER KUMAR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   DELHI

8. SHRI BRIJ MOHAN PANWAR
   ASSISTANT WIRE LESS OFFICER
   DELHI

9. SHRI SUKH DEV
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   HIMACHAL PRADESH
10. SHRI KAILASHO RAM  
STATION FIRE OFFICER  
HIMACHAL PRADESH

11. SHRI RAJ KISHORE SINGH  
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER  
JHARKHAND

12. SHRI UTTAM KUMAR MAHTO  
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER  
JHARKHAND

13. SHRI NARASIMHAMURTHY RAMAIAH MADHUGIRI  
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

14. SHRI REVANNASIDDAPPA BAJJIAH YARAMANCHANAHALLI  
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

15. SHRI SHIVRAJ  
ASSISTANT FIRE STATION OFFICER  
KARNATAKA

16. SHRI SHIVAKUMAR KUNNAIAH SOSALE  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

17. SHRI PAPAIH VENKATAPPA  
FIREMAN  
KARNATAKA

18. SHRI ALEXANDER CHENNAMPILLY ANNAKUTTY  
STATION OFFICER  
KERALA

19. SHRI C.V. DINESAN  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA

20. SHRI K.A. MANOJ KUMAR  
LEADING FIREMAN  
KERALA
21. MD. HABIBULLAH SHAH
   LEADING FIREMAN
   MANIPUR

22. SHRI JAOGAI DANGMEI RONGMEI
    FIREMAN
    MANIPUR

23. SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA SETHY
    DEPUTY FIRE OFFICER
    ODISHA

24. SHRI DUSASANA ROUT
    HAVILDAR MAJOR
    ODISHA

25. SHRI KUDURAM MUNDUYA
    DRIVER HAVILDAR
    ODISHA

26. SHRI JANGBU SHERPA
    ASST. SUB FIRE OFFICER
    SIKKIM

27. MD. MOHIDEEN DHOWLATHMOHAMED
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

28. SHRI KRISHNAPILLAI RAMU
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

29. SHRI ALAGAIAH KARPOORAM
    DRIVER MECHANIC
    TAMIL NADU

30. SHRI ARUMUGAM DHATCHINAMOORTHY
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

31. SHRI K. SRISAILAM
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA
32. SHRI MD. YASEEN
LEADING FIREMAN
TELANGANA

33. SHRI BISWANATH DEB
DRIVER
TRIPURA

34. SHRI KISHORE KUMAR SINGH
FIREMAN
TRIPURA

35. SHRI SURYA NATH PRASAD
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

36. SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD PANDEY
FIRE STATION SECOND OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

37. SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

38. SHRI JAGAT SINGH BOHRA
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

39. SHRI DEVENDRA SINGH CHAUHAN
FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
UTTARAKHAND

40. SHRI TARUN KUMAR SINHA
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

41. SHRI DIPAK KUMAR GHOSH
STATION OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

42. SHRI MD. JAMIL AHMED
FIRE ENGINE OPERATOR CUM DRIVER
WEST BENGAL
43. SHRI MAHADEB GHOSH  
FIRE OPERATOR  
WEST BENGAL

44. SHRI OMVIR PRASAD SHARMA  
ASSISTANT COMMANDANT/FIRE  
C.I.S.F., MHA

45. SHRI T. DHANAPAL  
SUB-INSPECTOR  
C.I.S.F., MHA

46. SHRI DEVENDER SINGH  
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)  
C.I.S.F., MHA

47. SHRI HARBANS LAL  
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)  
C.I.S.F., MHA

48. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR TRIPATHI  
DGM (FIRE SERVICE)  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

49. SHRI VASANT TANAJI KOLI  
SENIOR FIRE OFFICER  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

50. SHRI KUMUD KUMAR GOGOI  
ASSTT. CHIEF INSPECTOR (FIRE)  
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(Suresh Yadav)  
OSD to the President of India
PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2016

No. 98-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Maharashtra Fire & Emergency Services:-

1. Shri Sunil Haribhau Nesarikar
   Chief Fire Officer
   (Posthumous) (1st Bar to President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry)

2. Shri Sudhir Gopal Amin
   Dy. Chief Fire Officer
   (Posthumous)

3. Shri Sanjay Waman Rane
   Asst. Divisional Fire Officer
   (Posthumous)

4. Shri Mahendra Madhusudan Desai
   Station Officer
   (Posthumous)

2. On dated 09.05.2015 at 16.29 hrs, a call was received at control room about the fire incident at Gokul Niwas, Old Hanuman Lane, Kalbadevi, Mumbai. Immediately three Fire Engines and two Water Tankers along with the crew headed by Shri A.D. Mulik rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot he found that fire plumes are shooting up to the upper floors of the old building comprising of ground plus four floors, mostly of wooden structure with large stock of synthetic cloth, plastic and paper packing material, LPG cylinders etc. By sensing the severity of fire spread he transmitted message to the control room to send additional appliances along with senior officers. The main staircase was totally involved in fire. The occupants were trapped on the upper floors. In this situation, Shri Nesarikar along with crew, without considering to their personal safety, entered into the building by using charged hose line, ladder and rescued 18 persons (10 male, 07 female and 01 girl child) from the building.

Due to the blast of LPG cylinders, fire spread to the adjoining Ram Niwas building. Immediately four senior officers, namely Shri S.H. Nesarikar, Shri S.G. Amin, Shri S.W. Rane & Shri M.M. Desai went on the east side of the building. During the reassessment for the critical decision making, the portion of the Gokul Niwas on east side collapsed due to the sudden blasts and the burning debris directly fell on these four officers. Fire crew rescued all of them from the burning debris. Shri S.W. Rane and Shri M.M. Desai were declared dead and Shri S.H. Nesarikar & Shri S.G. Amin died during the treatment in Hospital.
3. Chief Fire Officer, Shri Sunil Haribhau Nesarikar, Dy. Chief Fire Officer, Shri Sudhir Gopal Amin, Asst. Divisional Fire Officer, Shri Sanjay Waman Rane and Station Officer, Shri Mahendra Madhusudan Desai thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of President’s Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 09.05.2015

(A. Rai)
Officer on Special Duty
No. 99-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Maharashtra Fire & Emergency Services:-

(i) Shri Amol Dadasaheb Mulik
    Asst. Station Officer

(ii) Shri Bhushan P. Nimbalkar
     Fireman

2. On dated 09.05.2015 at 16.29 hrs, a call was received at control room about the fire incident at Gokul Niwas, Old Hanuman Lane, Kalbadevi, Mumbai. Immediately three Fire Engines and two Water Tankers along with the crew headed by Assistant Station Officer, Shri A.D. Mulik rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot he found that fire plumes are shooting up to the upper floors of the old building comprising of ground plus four floors, mostly of wooden structure with stock of synthetic cloth, plastic and paper packing material, LPG cylinders etc. By sensing the severity of fire spread, he transmitted message to the control room to send additional appliances along with senior officers. The main staircase was totally involved in fire. The occupants were trapped on the upper floors. In this situation, Shri Mulik, A.S.O. along with crew members including Fireman Nimbalkar, without considering to their personal safety, entered into the building by using charged hose line, ladder and rescued 18 persons (10 male, 07 female and 01 girl child) from the building.

3. Asstt. Station Officer, Shri Amol Dadasaheb Mulik and Fireman Shri Bhushan P. Nimbalkar thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 09.05.2015

(A. Ra)
Officer on Special Duties
No. 100-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Uttar Pradesh Fire Services:–

(i) Shri Gyan Prakash Sharma
    Fire Station Officer

(ii) Shri Sanjeev Kumar
     Fireman

2. On dated 24.10.2014 at 0131 hrs, a call was received at control room about the fire incident at Durga Plaza Complex, P.L. Sharma Road, Near Begum Bridge, Meerut. Immediately the fire crew under the leadership of Shri Gyan Prakash Sharma, Fire Station Officer along with Fire Tenders and rescue equipment rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot he found that the fire is spreading from ground floor to upper floors of Durga Plaza Complex and few trapped persons were crying for help from the roof top. Shri Gyan Prakash Sharma, Fire Station Officer along with Shri Sanjeev Kumar, Fireman, after wearing B.A. set and charged water line and without considering the risk to their lives moved inside heavy smoke filled staircase of the building. Nothing was visible in smoke filled stair-case and persistent heat was multiplying hurdles. Fearlessly piercing dangerously high degree of heat and dense smoke, they rescued injured Shri Pawan Kumar from 3rd floor and 04 persons, including a young lady and 03 minor children from the roof-top.

3. Fire Station Officer, Shri Gyan Prakash Sharma and Fireman Shri Sanjeev Kumar Desaithus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, leadership, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 24.10.2014

(A. Rai)
Officer on Special Duty
शनिवार, दिनांक 24 सितंबर, 2016 को भारत के राज्य के भाग 1, खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशार्थ
राष्ट्टपति सचिवालय
अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2016

संख्या 100-प्रज/2016 - राष्ट्रपति, उत्तर प्रदेश अभिनिष्ठन सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों
को वीरता के लिए अभिनिष्ठन सेवा पदक सह्य प्रदान करते हैं:-

1. श्री जान प्रकाश शर्मा
फायर स्टेशन ऑफिसर

2. श्री संजीव कुमार
फायरमैन

2. दिनांक 24.10.2014 को सर्टिफिकेट 01:31 बजे कंट्रोल रूम में सूचना प्राप्त हुई कि दुर्गों
प्लाजा काम्प्लेक्स, पी.एल. शर्मा रोड, भेगम ब्रिज के पास, मेरठ में आग लग गई है। तुरंत
अभिनिष्ठन दल, श्री जान प्रकाश शर्मा, फायर स्टेशन ऑफिसर के मैत्रूत्र में फायर टेक्स्ट के
साथ घटना स्थल की ओर रवाना हुए। घटना स्थल पहुँचने पर उन्होंने देखा कि आग दुर्गों
प्लाजा काम्प्लेक्स में नीचे से ऊपर की मंजिलों तक फैलती जा रही है और इमारत में फैरे
लोग मदद के लिए क्षत से चिंतित रहे हैं। श्री जान प्रकाश शर्मा, फायर स्टेशन ऑफिसर और
श्री संजीव कुमार, फायरमैन ने झी.ए. सैट पहुंचकर, पानी की लाईन के साथ अपनी जान की
परवाह न करते हुए, घुसने से बचाए और नीचे से बचाये। इमारत में धूम-धूम के लिए
सेवानिवृत्त मैट्रिक्स की परवाह न करते हुए नीचे से बचाए नीचे से बचाये। वह अभिनिष्ठन दल
के साथ अभिनिष्ठन सेवा पदक सह्य प्रदान करते हुए नीचे से बचाये।

3. फायर स्टेशन ऑफिसर, श्री जान प्रकाश शर्मा और फायरमैन, श्री संजीव कुमार ने
उल्लूस-फैक्टरी, कुशल नेतृत्व, अदम्य साहस, व्यक्तिवादित कुशलता एवं उच्च कॉटि की कल्तिद्वा
परायणता का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनिष्ठन सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाली
नियमावली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किये जाते हैं और परिणामत: नियम 5(क) के
तहत अनुमोदन विशेष मंत्रा दिनांक 24.10.2014 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

जान शर्मा
(अ. राय)
विशेष कार्य अधिकारी
Notification

New Delhi, the 15th August, 2016

No. 101-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2016 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI K. VASUDEVAN
   STATION OFFICER
   KERALA

2. SHRI P. SATHYAVA VALSALAN
   STATION OFFICER
   KERALA

3. SHRI SANIL KUMAR S.S.
   STATION OFFICER
   KERALA

4. SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR SWAIN
   ASST. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

5. SHRI BIJENDRA SINGH
   FIRE SERVICE DRIVER
   UTTAR PRADESH

6. SHRI SAMIR CHOWDHURY
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL

7. SHRI K. P. CHANDRAN
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

8. SHRI KULDIP SINGH
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

9. SHRI BABULAL
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA
10. SHRI SURINDER PAL SINGH BHATIA
   CHIEF MANAGER (FS)
   O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of
   President's Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

(A. Rai)
Officer on Special Duty
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 15 अगस्त, 2016

संख्या 101-पेज/2016- राष्ट्रपति, राष्ट्रपति, स्वतंत्रता दिवस 2016 के अवसर पर निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों को उनकी विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए राष्ट्रपति का अभिभाषण सेवा पदक सहर्ष पदानुसार अभिलेखित करते हैं:-

1. श्री के. वासुदेवन स्टेशन ऑफिसर केरल

2. श्री पी. सत्यव सालसलन स्टेशन ऑफिसर केरल

3. श्री सतील कुमार एस.एस. स्टेशन ऑफिसर केरल

4. श्री सबीन्दु कुमार स्वाइंस असिस्टेंट फायर ऑफिसर ओडिशा

5. श्री विजेन्द्र सिंह झारवर उत्तर प्रदेश

6. श्री समितर चौधरी डिविजनल फायर ऑफिसर पश्चिम बंगाल

7. श्री के.पी. चन्द्रन (फायर) असिस्टेंट सब-इंस्पेक्टर श्री.आई.एस.एफ., एम.एच.ए.

8. श्री कुलदीप सिंह हेड कॉन्स्टेबल (फायर) श्री.आई.एस.एफ., एम.एच.ए.
9. श्री बाबू लाल
हेड कॉन्स्टेबल (फायर)
सी.आई.एस.एफ., एम.एच.ए.

10. श्री सुरिन्द्र पाल सिंह भाटिया
चीफ मैनेजर (एफ. एस.)
ओ.एन.जी.सी., एम/ओ पेट्रोलियम एंड नेचरल गैस

2. यह पुरस्कार विशिष्ट सेवा के लिए सांप्रदायिक का अभिनवम सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वाले नियमों के नियम 3(ii) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता है।

(सी. राय)
विशेष कार्य अधिकारी
No. 102-Pres/2016 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2016 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. **SHRI UPENDRA NATH BAISHYA**
   SQUAD COMMANDER
   ASSAM

2. **SHRI KULADHAR CHOUDHURY**
   SUB-OFFICER
   ASSAM

3. **SHRI AMAN ULLA ALI**
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

4. **SHRI SUNIL PRASAD**
   SUB-OFFICER
   BIHAR

5. **SHRI KHARKHUNI RAM**
   LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
   BIHAR

6. **SHRI DEVUBHAI POSHLABHAI PATKAR**
   SUB-OFFICER
   DADRA &NAGAR HAVELI

7. **SHRI CANJI NARANE**
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   DAMAN & DIU

8. **SHRI SAXICANT MANGRI**
   ASST. STATION FIRE OFFICER
   DAMAN & DIU

9. **SHRI KHEM RAJ SHARMA**
   LEADING FIREMAN
   HIMACHAL PRADESH
10. SHRI TEK CHAND THAKUR
    LEADING FIREMAN
    HIMACHAL PRADESH

11. SHRI SHIV SHANKAR YADAV
    LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
    JHARKHAND

12. SHRI SUDHIR KUMAR SINGH
    LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
    JHARKHAND

13. SHRI SHEKAR MARIGOWDA BUDANOOR
    FIRE STATION OFFICER
    KARNATAKA

14. SHRI SHIVANANDAPPA NINGAPPA M.
    ASST. FIRE STATION OFFICER
    KARNATAKA

15. SHRI HIRANYAGOUDA BHARMAGOUDA HAKYALAVAR
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KARNATAKA

16. SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR F.
    LEADING FIREMAN
    KERALA

17. SHRI SATHIKUMAR A.
    DRIVER MECHANIC
    KERALA

18. SHRI LEKIARSON A MARAK
    FIREMAN
    MEGHALAYA

19. SHRI RUPERSON M SANGMA
    FIREMAN
    MEGHALAYA

20. SHRI PRASANA KUMAR BEHERA
    ASST. STATION OFFICER
    ODISHA
21. SHRI BOAS KUJUR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ODISHA

22. SHRI SILADITYA NAG
   DRIVER HAVILDAR
   ODISHA

23. SHRI MADHU SUDAN ADHIKARI
   LEADING FIREMAN
   SIKKIM

24. SHRI SHOLAMADEVI RAMANATHAN CHANDRAN
   DISTRICT OFFICER
   TAMIL NADU

25. SHRI LAZER KULANTHAIRAJ
   STATION OFFICER
   TAMIL NADU

26. SHRI THANGAVEL RADHAKRISHNAN
   FIREMAN DRIVER
   TAMIL NADU

27. SHRI GOPALSAMY GANESAN
   FIREMAN DRIVER
   TAMIL NADU

28. SHRI INNASI KIRISTHURAJA
   FIREMAN
   TAMIL NADU

29. SHRI BOLLIKONDA MALLAIAH
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   TELANGANA

30. SHRI VALDASU EDAIAH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA

31. SHRI K. SHANKARIAH
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TELANGANA
32. SHRI DIPAKLAL DE
   SUB-OFFICER
   TRIPURA

33. SHRI MAHAVEER PRASAD
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

34. SHRI BRAMHA NAND DUBEY
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

35. SHRI SOBARAN SINGH
   FIREMAN
   UTTAR PRADESH

36. SHRI SURENDRA KUMAR SHARMA
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTARAKHAND

37. SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH MAHAR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   UTTARAKHAND

38. SHRI ANINDYA CHAKRABORTY
   DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL

39. SHRI ASHIM SARKAR
   STATION OFFICER
   WEST BENGAL

40. SHRI DEBASIS DAS
    LEADER INSTRUCTOR
    WEST BENGAL

41. SHRI RATAN DAS
    LEADER
    WEST BENGAL

42. SHRI VINOD KUMAR
    ASST. COMMANDANT (FIRE)
    C.I.S.F., MHA
43. SHRI K. SREEKUMARAN NAIR
   SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

44. SHRI S. CHANDRA SEKARAN
   ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

45. SHRI SURENDER SINGH
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

46. SHRI KATA BENJAMINE
   HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., MHA

47. SHRI GOBIN MOHAN
   MANAGER (FS)
   ONGC, M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

48. SHRI ARUN KUMAR NARPAT SINGH JADAV
   FIRE OFFICER
   ONGC, M/O PET. & NATURAL GAS

49. SHRI SUBHASH KUMAR
   GENERAL MANAGER (FS)
   A.A.I., M/O CIVIL AVIATION

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service.

(A. Rai)
Officer on Special Duty
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th January, 2017

No. 13-Pres/2017 — The President is pleased to award the Fire Service Medal for Gallantry to the under mentioned officer of Chandigarh Fire & Emergency Service:-

Shri Naveen Kumar
Fireman

2. On dated 18.05.2016 at 10.19 hrs, a call was received at Fire Station, Manimajra, Chandigarh about the leakage of Chlorine Gas at Plot No. 27, Transport Area, Sector 26, Chandigarh. Immediately the team along with Fireman, Shri Naveen Kumar rushed to the spot. After reaching on the spot they found that the Chlorine Gas is continuously leaking from the cylinder in a densely populated area. Chlorine is a toxic gas that attacks the respiratory system, eyes and skin. Immediately, Fireman Shri Naveen Kumar without caring to his personal safety and life entered inside the plot no. 27 and started spraying water to contain the leakage until the cylinder got empty. He simultaneously suggested the other crew members to get the cylinder buried in the ground. Due to his tireless efforts and technical skill he not only saved his life but lives of other crew members and nearby public also.

3. Fireman, Shri Naveen Kumar, thus displayed conspicuous gallantry, exemplary courage, professional expertise and devotion to duty of a very high order.

4. These awards are made for gallantry under Rule 3 (i) of the Rules governing the award of Fire Service Medal for Gallantry and consequently carries with it special allowance admissible under rule 5 (a) w.e.f. 18.05.2016

(A. Rai)
Officer on Special Duty
नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 26 जानवरी, 2017

संख्या 13-प्रज/2017 - राष्ट्रपति, चंडीगढ़ अभिनिष्किन एवं आपातकालीन सेवा के निम्नलिखित अधिकारी को वीरता के लिए अभिनिषक्षण सेवा पदक सम्मान प्रदान करते हैं:-

श्री नवीन कुमार फायरमैन

2. दिनांक 18.05.2016 को 10.19 बजे फायर स्टेशन मनीमुखर, चंडीगढ़ में सूखना प्राप्त हुई कि प्लॉट नं. 27, परिवहन क्षेत्र सेक्टर 26, चंडीगढ़ में क्लोरीन गैस का रिसाव हो रहा है। फायरमैन, श्री नवीन कुमार, बचाव दल के साथ घटनास्थल की ओर तुरंत रवाना हुए। घटनास्थल पहुंचने पर उन्होंने देखा की घनी आबादी वाले क्षेत्र में सिलेंडर से क्लोरीन गैस का लगातार रिसाव हो रहा है। क्लोरीन एक जहरीली गैस है जो स्वस्थ प्रणाली, आंखों और त्वचा को नुकसान पहुँचाती है। फायरमैन श्री नवीन कुमार ने स्वयं की सुरक्षा व जीवन की परवाह न करते हुए प्लॉट नं. 27 के अंदर धूसरे और रिसाव एवं सिलेंडर पर तुरंत ही बहादुरी के साथ पानी का छिड़काव करना शुरू कर दिया जब तक सिलेंडर का गैस खत्म नहीं हुआ। उन्होंने अपने अन्य बचाव दल को सुधार दिया कि सिलेंडर को जमीन में गाढ़ दें। अपने अधिक प्रयास और तकनीकी कौशल के कारण उन्होंने अनेक अपने जीवन को बचाया बलिक अन्य सहकर्मियों और आस-पास के लोगों की भी जान बचाई।

3. फायरमैन, श्री नवीन कुमार, ने उत्कृष्ट वीरता, अदम्य साहस, व्यवसायिक कृत्य एवं उच्च कोटि की कर्तव्य परायणता का परिचय दिया।

4. यह पुरस्कार वीरता के लिए अभिनिषक्षण सेवा पदक पुरस्कार को शासित करने वालों नियमावली के नियम 3(1) के तहत प्रदान किया जाता हैं। और परिणामतः नियम 5(क) के तहत आयुष्मान विशेष भत्ता दिनांक 18.05.2016 से इसके साथ देय होगा।

(अ. राय)
विशेष कार्य अधिकारी
No. 14-Pres/2017 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2017 to award the President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service to the under mentioned officers :-

1. SHRI RAVISHANKAR HIRIYANNAGOWDA JAVAGAL
   COMMANDANT
   KARNATAKA

2. SHRI ASOKA KUMAR C.
   STATION OFFICER
   KERALA

3. SHRI NABACHANDRA SINGH LAISHRAM
   DIVISIONAL OFFICER
   MANIPUR

4. SHRI LAXMAN KUMAR BEHERA
   STATION OFFICER
   ODISHA

5. SHRI NAREN KUMAR MOHANTY
   STATION OFFICER
   ODISHA

6. SHRI NILAKANTHA MOHANTY
   STATION OFFICER
   ODISHA

7. SHRI SUBODHIA CHANDRA MAJHI
   DRIVER HAVILDAR
   ODISHA

8. SHRI VIRENDRRA PRATAP SINGH
   CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH

9. SHRI MAMCHAND BADGUJAR
   FIRE STATION OFFICER
   UTTAR PRADESH
10. SHRI NARESH KUMAR SINGH
   COMMANDANT (FIRE)
   C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

11. SHRI SURENDRA SINGH
    ASST. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
    C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

12. SHRI MURALI PEDADA
    HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
    C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

13. SHRI DHANANJAY N PATIL
    DY. GENERAL MANAGER (FS)
    O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

2. These awards are made under Rule 3 (ii) of the rules governing the award of
   President’s Fire Service Medal for Distinguished Service.

   (A. Rai)
   Officer on Special Duty
No. 15-Pres/2017 – The President is pleased on the occasion of the Republic Day, 2017 to award the Fire Service Medal for Meritorious Service to the under mentioned officers:

1. SHRI RAJESH KUMAR SINGH
   INSPECTOR (A.D.O.)
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR

2. SHRI RAJ MOHAN
   HEAD CONSTABLE (LFM)
   ANDAMAN & NICOBAR

3. SHRI BIDESH NUNISA
   STATION OFFICER
   ASSAM

4. SHRI AFAZ UDDIN AHMED
   SUB-OFFICER
   ASSAM

5. SHRI DILIP TALUKDAR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   ASSAM

6. SHRI MADAN KUMAR
   SUB-OFFICER
   BIHAR

7. SHRI SATYADEO SINGH
   SUB-OFFICER
   BIHAR

8. SHRI RAMESH KUMAR
   LEADING FIREMAN
   BIHAR

9. SHRI DHARAM CHAND SHARMA
   STATION FIRE OFFICER
   HIMACHAL PRADESH
10. SHRI JAGDISH CHAND
LEADING FIREMAN
HIMACHAL PRADESH

11. SHRI SHAILENDRA KUMAR
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
JHARKHAND

12. SHRI KAULESHWER PASWAN
LEADING FIREMAN DRIVER
JHARKHAND

13. SHRI RAMAKRISHNA LAKSHMINARASIMHAIAH THYAMKONDI
REGIONAL FIRE OFFICER
KARNATAKA

14. SHRI BASAVARAJ GENIKEHAL
ASSTT. FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

15. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR
FIRE STATION OFFICER
KARNATAKA

16. SHRI RAJAN PAPANNA
LEADING FIREMAN
KARNATAKA

17. SHRI SABU THOMAS
STATION OFFICER
KERALA

18. SHRI BENNY MATHEW
LEADING FIREMAN
KERALA

19. SHRI A. NOUSHAD
FIREMAN
KERALA

20. SHRI AJIT SINGH SERAM
SUB-OFFICER
MANIPUR
21. SHRI PRASANTA KUMAR DASH
   ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
   ODISHA

22. SHRI BICHITRA KUMAR PANDA
    ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
    ODISHA

23. SHRI GURU CHARAN SAHOO
    ASSTT. STATION OFFICER
    ODISHA

24. SHRI SHYAM SUNDAR BARIK
    DRIVER HAVILDAR
    ODISHA

25. SHRI DHANIRAM MAJHI
    HAVILDAR MECHANIC
    ODISHA

26. SHRI SAMSER SUBBA
    ASSTT. SUB FIRE OFFICER
    SIKKIM

27. SHRI RAMAN PALANISAMY
    STATION OFFICER
    TAMIL NADU

28. SHRI AMIRTHAM NAIDU RAJABOOSANAM
    LEADING FIREMAN
    TAMIL NADU

29. SHRI THANGAMUTHU NESAKUMARAN
    DRIVER MECHANIC
    TAMIL NADU

30. SHRI VELLAIYAN MARIMUTHU
    FIREMAN DRIVER
    TAMIL NADU

31. SHRI SYED DASTAGIRI
    STATION FIRE OFFICER
    TELANGANA
32. SHRI BHADRAIAH GUTUPA
LEADING FIREMAN
TELANGANA

33. SHRI ALSA SATYANARAYANA
FIREMAN
TELANGANA

34. SHRI BALASWAMY KESHAPAGA
LEADING FIREMAN
TELANGANA

35. SHRI CHANDRA SHEKHAR SHARMA
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTAR PRADESH

36. SHRI RAMA PATI TIWARI
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

37. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR YADAV
LEADING FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

38. SHRI VIPUL KUMAR SINGH
FIREMAN
UTTAR PRADESH

39. SHRI NARENDRA SINGH KUNWAR
CHIEF FIRE OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

40. SHRI BRIJMOHAN NAUTIYAL
FIRE STATION OFFICER
UTTARAKHAND

41. SHRI KAMAL KUMAR NANDY
DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER
WEST BENGAL

42. SHRI UT TAM KUMAR CHAKRABORTY
SUB-OFFICER
WEST BENGAL.
43. SHRI KARAMAT ALI KHAN
LEADER
WEST BENGAL

44. SHRI NIRMAL KUMAR GHOSH
FIRE OPERATOR
WEST BENGAL

45. SHRI DEVENDER SINGH
ASSTT. COMNDT. (FIRE)
C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

46. SHRI VENKATESWARLU PATI
ASSTT. SUB-INSPECTOR (FIRE)
C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

47. SHRI VIRENDER PAL
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

48. SHRI RISHI RAJ
HEAD CONSTABLE (FIRE)
C.I.S.F., M/O HOME AFFAIRS

49. SHRI TAREM SINGH SIDHU
ASSTT. FIRE OFFICER
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

50. SHRI BACCHA PRASAD
CHIEF FIREMAN
O.N.G.C., M/O PET. & N. GAS

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