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S. K. CHATURVEDI
GENERAL SECRETARY-CWC

No. ASTO/CWC/Homage/2018-20

2nd January 2019

To,
President/ Secretary
All ASTO Units

Sub: Homage to martyrs of chopper accident on completion of one year


Dear

Kindly refer to our letter no. ASTO/CWC/Homage/2018-20 dated 27.12.2018 regarding organizing Homage to martyrs of chopper accident on completion of one year on 13.01.2019. The letter is enclosed for your necessary action.

The programme may be organized as per following guidelines:-

1. Main programme shall be held at Helibase Mumbai from 07.00AM to 07.00PM where officers shall pay homage and pray for departed souls by observing one day fast and prayer session.
2. At all other work centers (On-shore and Off-shore), whole day fast may be observed at their respective locations and local ASTO body shall organize candle light prayer at suitable locations like Colonies, office premise, installations as per the feasibility. This program may be organized any time between 04.30 PM to 0700 PM.
3. Photographs of the martyred officers shall be provided by Mumbai ASTO unit.
4. The Program at work center level after finalization, shall be submitted to Head of the work center with a copy to General Secretary, CWC. In the letter to Head of Work Centers, kindly invite them along with their team to participate in the said homage.
5. All the collectives and Retired Officers Association at respective work center shall also be invited with a request to participate in this Homage.
6. A report along with photographs needs to be submitted to General Secretary, CWC by 09.00 PM on same day.

With Warm Regards


(S K Chaturvedi)
General Secretary-CWC

Copy to :

President – ASTO, CWC



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27th December 2018

To,
CMD
ONGC Ltd.,
NEW DELHI – 110 070

Sub: Homage to martyrs of chopper accident on completion of one year

Sir,

This is with reference to unfortunate incident that had occurred on 13th January 2018 when five of our colleagues and two pilots of Pawan Hans laid down their lives for the cause of our nation in a chopper accident.

This accident has remained etched in lives of all Ongcians, past as well as present. It was a blow to their families as well as to all of us. There was a moment of shock in the organization. Bereaved families were not in position to accept the news of loss of their dear ones. We salute all the martyrs' who laid down their lives for the cause of nation.

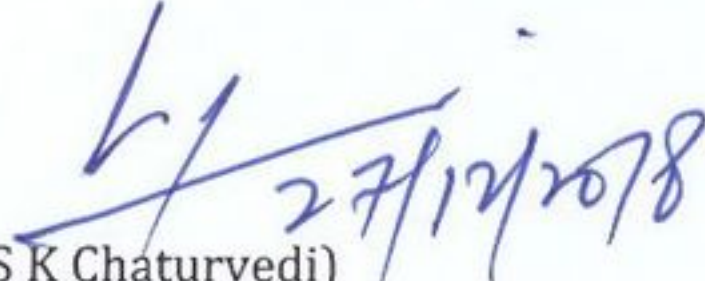
It was a massive blow to offshore operations in particular and onshore operations in general, however, our officers maintained highest degree of patience and continued ONGC operations in overall interest of organization. We appreciate all our employees who continued to work with full dedication.

ONGC management, in particular, took immediate action and also provided all support and help to concerned families. A high power committee was also formed to inquire into entire accident including failure of chopper. It is nearly one year since accident had happened and report is still awaited. We are hoping that report on such gruesome accident would be fast tracked to ensure that remedial measures are put in place to avoid such accidents in future.

It is proposed that officers shall pay homage and pray for departed souls by observing one day fast and prayer session on 13th January from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM at Helibase, Mumbai. Officers at all work centers shall also participate in this homage by observing fast and in evening organize candle light prayers.

It is our humble request that keeping in view overall sentiments, a delegation from management side may also participate in this homage at Helibase, Mumbai. We look forward for your support and blessings.

With warm Regards,


(S K Chaturvedi)
General Secretary CWC

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2. ED - Chief ER
3. President/Secretary – All ASTO units