

Veer Parivar Sahayata Yojana

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The National Legal Services Authority (NALSA) recently launched 'Veer Parivar Sahayata Yojana', a scheme to strengthen legal aid for defence personnel and their families.

About Veer Parivar Sahayata Yojana

- It is a **joint initiative** of the **National Legal Services Authority (NALSA)**, the **Kendriya Sainik Board (KSB)**, **Rajya Sainik Boards (RSBs)**, and **Zilla Sainik Boards (ZSBs)**, under the **Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, Ministry of Defence**.
- **Objective:** Providing **free** and competent **legal services** to **defence personnel, ex-servicemen, and their families**.
- It will be implemented through a **nationwide network of Legal Services Clinics** established across **Rajya** and **Zila Sainik Boards** in all states and union territories.
- These clinics will **operate in close collaboration** with the **Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare**, **Ministry of Defence**, and **respective Directorates of Sainik Welfare**.

- The scheme is especially **relevant for personnel posted in remote locations** who often find it difficult to appear in court or follow up on legal matters involving family property, land disputes, or domestic issues.
- Through this initiative, **NALSA will facilitate proper legal representation** in such cases across the country.
- **Panel lawyers and paralegal volunteers of the legal services authority** will provide free legal aid to soldiers.
- The **support** will **also extend to paramilitary personnel**, including those from the Border Security Force (**BSF**), Central Reserve Police Force (**CRPF**), Indo-Tibetan Border Police (**ITBP**), and **others who serve in similarly isolated** and high-risk **conditions**.

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