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US Governments’ Gift of 100 Ventilators Received on June 16, 2020 at IRCS NHQ

IRCS Secretary General, Sh. R. K. Jain, IAS (Retd) accepted the first tranche of 100 ventilators from the US Ambassador to India, Mr. Kenneth I. Juster. This gift from the US Government was received at the National Headquarters of the Indian Red Cross.

Indian Red Cross extends its heartfelt thanks to the US Government for gifting the first tranche of 100 state of the art ventilators to assist India’s fight against COVID19.

This life saving resource will benefit the critically ill patients immensely during this pandemic.

The donation of ventilators is a reflection of solidarity and friendship between the USA and India.

Thanks to the US Govt on behalf of the people of India, who will benefit from these 100 ventilators which can be used in an ICU, an air ambulance & ALS ambulances. Shortage of ventilators is felt all over the world & under the current circumstances, this donation is immensely helpful,’ said Sh. R. K. Jain, IAS (Retd), Secretary General Indian Red Cross Society.

Despatch to State/UT Branches

IRCS Assam:
Face Masks: 15,000;
Gloves: 2,000 pairs; Face shields: 270; PPEs: 50

IRCS Arunachal Pradesh:
Face Masks: 15,000;
Gloves: 2,000 pairs; Face shields: 270; PPEs: 100

IRCS Manipur:
Face Masks: 15,000;
Gloves: 2,000 pairs; Face shields: 270; PPEs: 100

IRCS Nagaland:
Face Masks: 15,000;
Gloves: 2,000 pairs; Face shields: 270; PPEs: 50

IRCS Meghalaya:
Face Masks: 15,000;
Gloves: 2,000 pairs; Face shields: 270; PPEs: 50

IRCS Tripura:
Face Masks: 1,500; PPEs: 100

IRCS Chennai, Tamil Nadu:
Body Bags: 250

Face Masks: 51,000;
Gloves: 4,000 pairs; Face shields: 540; PPEs: 100

IRCS AHMEDABAD: 1,658 units
IRCS JHARKHAND: 350 units
IRCS TAMIL NADU: 316 units
IRCS WEST BENGAL: 79 units
IRCS ASSAM: 62 units

A total of 7,897 units have been collected on the day by State/UT Branches (as per the information received till 5:00 PM today)

IRCS NHQ Blood Bank: 120 units
IRCS Haryana: 1940 units
IRCS Gujarat: 1417 units
IRCS Madhya Pradesh: 1156 units
IRCS Telangana: 832 units
IRCS Maharashtra: 832 units
IRCS Andhra Pradesh: 535 units
IRCS Jharkhand: 350 units
IRCS Tamil Nadu: 316 units
IRCS J&K: 133 units
IRCS Uttar Pradesh: 125 units
IRCS West Bengal: 79 units
IRCS Assam: 62 units

IRCS Secretary General, Sh. Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi, Hon’ble Union Minister of Minority Affairs donated blood at IRCS NHQ on this special day. A regular donor, Sh. Naqvi always leads by example, inspiring millions to make their contribution towards saving lives. “Indian Red Cross is taking all precautionary measures to ensure everyone’s safety during COVID19. I urge all those who can to donate blood. It will not only help save lives, but will also keep the donor healthy,” said Sh Naqvi.

Lives Impacted

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