

## About CSBF

The Company Secretaries Benevolent Fund (CSBF) is a society registered with the Registrar of Societies, New Delhi under the Societies Registration Act, 1860. It was established by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) in the year 1976 to create a security umbrella and provide reasonable safety net to the Company Secretaries who are members of the CSBF and their dependent family members in distress.

## Looking towards Secure Future

The Fund provides financial assistance to the families of deceased members, children education allowance to the families of deceased members (upto the age of 60 years) and reimbursement of medical expenses incurred by the members for self or their dependents (in deserving cases). The following financial assistance is provided to life members of CSBF:

- Rs. 10,00,000 to the dependents of the deceased member in the case of death of a member upto the age of 60 years.
- Upto Rs. 3,00,000 to the dependents of the deceased member in the case of death of a member above the age of 60 years (in deserving cases).
- Upto Rs. 75,000 for reimbursement of medical expenses incurred by the members for self or their dependents (in deserving cases).
- Rs. 50,000 per child (upto two children) for education of minor children of the deceased member upto the age of 60 years.
- Limited benefits for Company Secretaries who are not members of the CSBF.
- The assistance is provided in minimum time possible.

## Advantages to you

- Contribution to the Fund is for a noble cause.
- Members of ICSI after becoming the members of CBSF get the additional security shield for the life.
- Contribution to the Fund qualifies for deduction under section 80-G of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

## ... And it's all so easy

- You just have to fill up a form available at link <https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/member/forms/form-A-CSBF.pdf> to become a member of the Fund.
- You have to pay a small amount of Rs.10,000/- as a one-time contribution for your life membership of the Fund.
- You can make online payment for CSBF enrolment by using the steps given below:
  - (a) Click on link <https://www.icsi.in/student/Login.aspx>
  - (b) Login using your user name and password
  - (c) After login, go to 'Members' Option (from top menu) and click on "Manage Account".
  - (d) Click on the link 'Request for CSBF Membership'
  - (e) Click on download link to download the CSBF Form 'A'
  - (f) Upload the scanned copy of form duly filled in and signed.
  - (g) Click on 'Proceed for Payment' button for making payment through Credit card/Debit card/Net Banking.