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The National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) and the Army Postal Service Corps under the Ministry of Defence signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on 27th August 2025 at NCERT Headquarters, New Delhi. The MoU will enable the availability of NCERT textbooks to the children of troops stationed in remote and far-flung parts of the country through the extensive network of Field Post Offices.

The MoU was signed by Shri Aman Sharma, Secretary, NCERT and Major General Shipra Sharma, Additional Director General, Army Postal Service, in the presence of Prof. Dinesh Prasad Saklani, Director, NCERT and Prof. P.C. Agrawal, Joint Director, NCERT.

This partnership will significantly enhance the availability of genuine NCERT textbooks to the children of defence forces, stationed in remotest parts of the country, through the large network of Field Post Offices, which serve the Army, Air Force as well as the Indian Navy.

This collaboration marks an important step towards creating a reliable and inclusive distribution system for NCERT textbooks, thereby advancing the goals of the National Education Policy 2020 and promoting equitable access to quality education for all.