

■ Over 18 Lakh Mahila Samman Savings Certificate Accounts Opened in 6 Months



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A one-time new **small savings scheme**, Mahila Samman Savings Certificate for a two-year period up to March, 2025

Deposit facility upto **₹2 lakh** in the name of women or girls for a tenure of **2 years** at fixed interest rate of **7.5%** with partial withdrawal option.

The Ministry of Communication has reported that over 18 lakh accounts with a total deposit of more than Rs 11,000 crore have been opened under the *Mahila Samman Savings Certificate 2023* scheme within six months of its launch. This new scheme, initiated on April 1, offers an attractive and fixed interest rate of 7.5 percent compounded

quarterly over a two-year tenure. The scheme remains valid until March 31, 2025. Delhi alone has seen the opening of over 33,000 accounts with deposits totaling 405 crore rupees.