

## **Métis Veteran Recognition Payment**

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- In March 2017, the president of the Métis National Council wrote to the Prime Minister to highlight that issues related to redress for Métis Veterans had gone unaddressed.
- Budget 2019 provided \$30 Million to Veterans Affairs Canada to recognize the pre- and post-war experiences of Métis Veterans as well as support commemorative initiatives.
- In June 2019, the Métis Veterans Recognition Payment Contribution Agreement in the amount of \$30 Million was signed.
- In September 2019, the Minister of Veterans Affairs issue a statement to recognize the contribution of Métis Veterans of the Second World War.