

## **Generalizing ACP as per verdict of Hon'ble CAT Patna upheld by Hon'ble Supreme Court**

We all know that the brightest ray of hope for all who are waiting for decades for promotions in the cadre of EA, SEA and AEs is ACP as per verdict of Patna and this one of the three issues on which Central Office is focused. Another two issues are One Cadre One Pay and Tech vs Lighting Assistant issue. Central Office repeat its commitment for implementation of ACP Patna also. Meanwhile organizational efforts are also ON through liaison at various levels in Management.

**It is matter of great satisfaction that Main Applicant of ACP Patna Case Sh. B.K.Roy has got the fixation done from the date of joining.** We welcome the decision and hope it will be done for other applicants also of Patna Case soon. We also hope that Review Petition in Hon'ble High Court Patna will be dismissed very soon.

As informed earlier eleven Applicants including six CWC Members filed a case in Principle Bench CAT Delhi and got a favorable verdict. Deptt. given speaking order to applicants that the case will be considered as per outcome of Review Petition filed in Hon'ble High Court Patna. On the basis of this verdict a detailed representation for generalization of ACP to all similarly placed Members of ARTEE was submitted to Prasar Bharati on 14<sup>th</sup> April 2013 (Available on website). We also caution that there is no need to file any case any where on Individual bases as more number of cases will cause more complications. We can not be sure about the favorable verdict to come from any court. It is always better to take ahead an already delivered favorable verdict.

***Pl. note that we are facing same stigma in EA(5K) issue in which the implementation is delayed due to EA(5K) Gwalior case even when we fought the case and won upto Hon'ble Supreme Court.*** Gwalior case is produce of a thought of two individuals and now because of this all EA (5K) are suffering while Association is compelled to bear big expenditure for the case which is delaying the cause.

**Another glaring example is EA & SEA Merger, few people filed an OA individually to appear in SEA to AE Exam and now situation is becoming more and more complicated day by day.** Management has tried to take advantage of this to downgrade all of EAs and SEAs in Grade Pay 4200 with personal pay. if we repeat the same mistake, it will mean that we have not learned from the experiences. We have to be very cautious as there are enemies all around, who are against granting us this benefit.

**Central Office will take up the issue from the plate form of ARTEE by organizational effort first then best of the best legal support and without any money constraint on appropriate time as and when required as per legal advise.** ARTEE is committed for generalizing ACP to all similarly placed members.

We are serving a reminder to Prasar Bharati and committed that benefit of Patna ACP is generalized for all similarly placed Members and doing our best of efforts.

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