

Major Development in MACP Recovery and ACP PATNA.

The issue of MACP Recovery has been causing the fiasco and is a matter of grave concern. After DOPT has reiterated its earlier advice of treating 25/02/1999 scales as an Upgradation while granting MACP, the issue was sent to Department Of Legal Affairs. We have been following the issue with sense of urgency and full sincerity.

We are pleased to inform that as per our information (however yet to be confirmed), the Department of Legal Affairs in its considered view has opined that:

[1]. 25/02/1999 Scales were RESTORATION and not an upgradation.

[2]. Government Employees working in Prasar Bharati on deemed deputation are entitled for ACP and MACP.

[3]. There are only two Categories Pre and post 05/10/2007 joined employees. All Employees joined before 05/10/07 are similar.

[4]. MACP is rightly given by Prasar Bharati over and above 25/02/1999 scales.

This is a major development and if it is true, this will be the first official document which establishes that 25/02/1999 scales are RESTORATION.

This advice will also be milestone document and of big help in all of our other issues. This is a big step towards removing the curse of 25/02/1999. We also feel that issue of Restoration Vs upgradation should have been raised much earlier.

The advice has reached Hon'ble Ministry of I&B. More details awaited and the matter is being pursued further. The above information is as per our sources. To authenticate the information, we have filed RTI application and the actual details will be informed after getting the RTI reply.

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