Respected Sir,

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With regards, this is in reference of steps being taken by O/o DG(AIR) for EA/SEA Promotions.

I found that these promotions are not in the interest of EA/SEA and AEs. It is pertinent to mention that issue of Merging EA with SEA in Rs.4600 /- Grade Pay is lingering on since 2007 despite favorable verdicts in OA 2940/10 by Praveen Kumar & Ors and OA 282/2018 by Sh. Vijay Haror & ors.

The Department has challenged the Verdict in OA 282/2018 by Sh. Vijay Haror & ors through WPC 8712/2018 in Hon'ble High Court. Last hearing date was on 06.12.18 and argument took place. Next date of hearing is on 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018. We expect that verdict may be delivered in the case on that date.

CWC/General body of ART discussed the issue thread bare for two hours. After discussion following Resolution is adopted :

It is resolved to send a mail on behalf of ARTEE to all authorities to postpone the EA/SEA promotion process till 19th Feb 2019 which is the next date in Vijay Haroor case WPC 8712/2018 for EA/SEA Merger as we expect that on next date Hon'ble High Court Delhi may give verdict in the case.

SEA/AE Exam may be notified only after this date.

| Sensing the | urgency, I humbly request | to postpone the process of these promotions. |
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