



Relief to the Staff held up in the difficult stations

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The Chief Executive Officer

Prasar Bharati Secretariat
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New Delhi – 110001.

Sub: Relief to the Staff held up in the difficult stations- Reg.

Ref: 1. MHA Guidelines dated 29-04-2020 AND 01-05-2020
2. PB OM No. Misc-1001/3/2019-PPC Dated 23-04-2020.

Respected Sir,

We thank you for issuing instructions on stranded employees which enabled the staff members to join in their nearby AIR/ DD Stations

With due regard we want your kind attention towards staff posted at various Difficult/ Remote stations of AIR & DD. these staff are facing problems due to the lock down extended up to 17th may,2020. We most humbly request you to kindly intervene to address these issues. Since the lock down started, the same batch of staff members is performing duty at the Difficult/ Remote Stations continuously as their relievers were not able to reach the stations due to lock down. These employees are tired and feeling exhausted due to continued shifts but they are performing duty continuously to keep AIR and Doordarshan inform and educate the public in this testing times. They are separated from their family for long and needs some attention towards their families. We have come to know that, in some of the stations, there is a scarcity of food too. Therefore, there is an urgent need to think about these staff members. They ought to be permitted to visit their families.

As per the new guidelines of MHA referred above, intrastate and interstate travel is permitted in emergency purposes like the movement of the stranded people . We feel this give an opportunity to give much-needed relief to these staff members by allowing

these employees to visit their families. Some employees who are stranded in places other than their place of posting also want to join the duty at their place of posting. It is requested to provide travel passes in coordination with concern government authorities to the employees who want to join duty to relieve these employees. We request your high office to view the matter in a humanitarian way. We request you to kindly make necessary arrangements like sanitized vehicles etc. , in consultation with authorities, to bring staff to these difficult/ remote stations so that the staff working presently in these stations are Relieved. We also request you to kindly sanction fund to provide food to the staff in these Difficult and Remote Stations. The ADG at Zones may kindly be instructed to take up the issue with the Nodal Agencies of States within their zones.

With Highest regards,

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