

## **Minutes of ARTEE Central Council ONLINE Meeting held on 25.09.2021**

An urgent Central Council meeting in virtual mode under the chairmanship of the President Sh. M.P Chaudhari held on 26.09.2021 at 12.00 pm. Central Council members attended the meeting as follows :

1. Sh. M.P Chaudhari President
2. Sh. Yogesh Kumar, VP (TV)
3. Sh. Joseph Martin CJ, VP (AIR)
4. Sh. Manoj Kumar Gupta, General Secretary
5. Sh. R.B. Dwivedi, Treasurer
6. Sh. Anup Katiyar Secretary (Tech-Sr.Tech)
7. Sh. Subhranshu Ghosh, VP (East Zone)
8. Sh. Nandkumar P. Wankhede, VP (West Zone)
9. Sh. R. Ramasubramaniam, VP (South Zone)
10. Sh. Prodip Goswami, VP (NE Zone)
11. Sh. Ved Prakash, VP (North Zone) Jt. Charge

### **The meeting was called to discuss the following issues :**

- 1). Mass closure of ATT DD Transmitters & other installations.
- 2). Provisional Pension issue & legal options
- 3). Zonal Membership Data sought since 16.08.2021 from all Zonal VPs.

### **Following decisions were taken in the meeting .**

**1).** The House discussed the issue of closure of ATT transmitters of Doordarshan. The House unanimously decided to oppose such steps of the Prasar Bharati at highest level with full might and **unanimously decided to make an aggressive political campaign through MPs, MLAs, and Ministers and through eminent personalities.** House also discuss about HR policy of Prasar Bharati and opined that we should be ready to perform duties like camera operation, program activities and Admin related activities if the department is coming with any such proposals in future for accommodating our staff in nearby stations.

House also discussed to form a task force to update members and prepare letters to submit to MPs, MLAs, Ministers and political leaders. President desired to General Secretary to lead this campaign & coordinate such Task Force also. House also requested Zonal VPs to form a team state-wise for aggressive and effective political lobbying.

**2).The House unanimously decided to exercise legal options in the issue of provisional pension now.**

**A single case shall be filed in CAT Delhi to quash the 18th & 19th August order of Provisional Pension issued by MIB and there is no restriction to be an applicant of this OA among ARTEE Members who are due for retirement in the next one year. Willing members may provide their names & required documents through their concerned VP only, but in a stipulated time period decided by CC.**

**3). House requested to all CC members to collect membership data without further delay from State Secretaries in word /Excel format so that data should be completed timely for declaration of next election.**

Meeting ended with the vote of thanks by the chairman of the meeting. Sh. M.P.Chaudhari ,the President .

**Sh. M.P. Chaudhari  
President, ARTEE**