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Ref. No. ARTEL 11/2022

To.

1. The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of I&B, Shastri Bhawan Dr. R. P.Road, New Delhi-11

2. The Chief Executive Officer, Prasar Bharati, Tower C, Mandi House, New Delhi -110\001.

The Director General, Akashvani

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Akashvani Bhawan,

he Chief Controller of Accounts, Principal Accounts Officer. Ministry of Information & Braodcasting, 703-703A, 'A' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110 001.

5. The Director General, Doordarshan, Doordarshan Bhawan, Mandi House, New Delhi -110 001.

Subject:- Issuance of fresh guidelines for sanction of pension and gratuity and other retirement benefits to the government employees on deputation to Prasar Bharati.

Ref: Hon'ble CAT, Principal Bench, New Delhi Judgment dated 05/07/2022 passed in OA No. 2691/2021.

Sir,

Your kind attention is invited to the order No.G-11502/Pr.AO/I&B/Court Case/2021-22/632, dated 19/08/2021 issued by the CCA, Ministry of I&B (with the approval of Secretary, MIB) directing all the PAOs to settle the retirement cases of the retiring government employees who are beneficiary of



MACPs as well as pay scales granted by MIB's order dated 25/02/1999, by providing provisional pension and provisional gratuity under Rule 64 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 till the final conclusion of the pending litigation. This order was issued in the backdrop of ongoing litigation which is subject matter of WP 9890/2019 in which Hon' able High Court of Delhi has issued order dated 13/09/2019 for maintaining status-quo in re-fixation and recovery of pay.

- 2. The said order dated 19/08/2021 issued by the CCA, Ministry of I &B, being against the statutory provisions of CCS (Pension) Rules, was challenged by 15 applicants before Hon'ble Principal Bench of CAT, New Delhi though OA No. 2691/2021.
- 3. Hon'ble CAT, New Delhi vide para 11 of the judgment dated 05/07/2022 in the OA has set aside the said order No. G-11502/Pr.AO/I&B/Court Case/2021-22/632, dated 19/08/2021 issued by the CCA, Ministry of I&B, with the direction to the respondents to issue appropriate orders, sanctioning pension and gratuity, as admissible to the applicants, in accordance with CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972, as envisaged under the Rules within the time lines prescribed.

In the circumstances as mentioned above, I therefore request you to kindly issue fresh guidelines on granting regular Pension and Gratuity to the retired and retiring government employees as directed by Hon'ble Court.

Dated:

Yours faithfully,

(Har Gopal Sharma)

President

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Encl: 1. CCA's order dated 19/08/2021.

2. Hon'ble CAT's judgment dated 05/07/2022 in OA No. 2691/2021.