A-11013/36/2011-Abs.Cell Government of India Ministry of Communications & IT Department of Telecommunications 20 Ashoka Road, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001

Dated 27th December, 2011

ORDER

Subject: Constitution of Surplus Staff Establishment (SSE) - Redeployment of Surplus Staff - regarding.

Through OM No. A-11013/31/2008-Abs.Cell cated 22nd September, 2011, Group 'A' Officers of all the cadres of Department of Telecommunications including Indian Telecom Service (ITS) were asked to exercise their option for absorption in BSNL/MTNL or to continue in the Government service. Officers who have retired since 1st October, 2000 could also exercise their option. Last date for exercising option for officers working in the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) or on deputation to organizations other than BSNL/MTNL was prescribed as 28th October, 2011. Such date for officers on deemed deputation to BSNL/VTNL was prescribed as 8th November, 2011.

- 2. An O.M. dated 3rd November, 2011 was also issued whereby Group 'A' officers working on deerned deputation in BSNL/MTN, who have either not exercised their option or have opted for Government service or have exercised conditional option by the last date prescribed for exercising option i.e. 8th November, 2011, were desired to report to Do F (\$rDDG, TEC) immediately after having been relieved formally by BSNL/MTNL, as the case may be, as they stand reverted to Government. It was also mentioned that officers in whose cases the courts have granted merim stay or given interim directions would not revert to Government till fin a ization of these cases.
- 3. Several ITS officers have given their options for al sorption in BSNL/MTNL. Action to consider issue of allocation order (Presidential Order) in respect of these officers has been initiated by Establishment Wing of the Deptt. of Telecom.
- 4. As per Rule 37-A (6) of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972, ITS Officers who have opted for Government service and are identified to be in excess of the requirement of the DoT are to be referred and got redeployed through the Surplus Cell of the Government in the Department or Personnel & Training (DoP&T). As on date, grade-wise break-up of total number of sanctioned Group 'A' posts of ITS in DoT is tabulated below:-

Grade	JTS	STS	JAG	SAG	HAG	HAG +	TOTAL
						(Advisor)	
No. of sanctioned posts for ITS	18	280	100	56	5	4	463

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These are total posts sanctioned till date for DoT Hq., Telecom Engil cering Centre (TEC) and Telecom Enforcement, Resource and Monitoring (FIERM) Cells, etc.

- 5. Sanction of the ITS posts in future would be subject to the provisions of Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure) OH No. 7(1)/E.Coord./2011 dated 11th July, 2011 and only with the approval of Ministry of Finance/Cabinet.
- In order to undertake the exercise as mentioned in paragraph 4 above, it has been decided to constitute a Surplus Staff Establishment (SSE) under Deputy Director General (Establishment), DoT with immediate effect. DDG (Estt.) will take expeditious action in accordance with Department of Personnel & Training OM No. 1/18/88-CS-III dated 1⁻¹ April 1989, OM No. 1/1/2002-CS.III dated 26th March, 2002. OI No 25013/6/2001-Estt.A dated 28th February, 2002 and Central Civil Services (Redeployment of Surplus Staff) Rules, 1990 and will *strictly* adhere to the time lines, if any, prescribed for various activities as are envisaged of it.
- 7. The said Surplus Staff Establishment will submit a progress report on weekly basis to the Joint Secretary (T), Dec tt. of Telecommunications so that Secretary (T) could be apprised of the progress.
- 8. This has the approval of Hon'ble MoC&IT in the file of even number.

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- DDG (C&A). It is requested that this letter may kindly be got uploaded on the DoT website.
 - 6. DDG (FEB)/SrDDG(BWS)
 - 7. DoP&T (R&R and DC), 3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi 3