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Government of India

Ministry of Communications & Information Technology

Department of Telecommunications

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Dated the 28 May, 2014.

Office Memorandum

Subject: Regarding clarification in Grade Pay offered to JTO recruited through UPSC Engineering Services Examination (2011 Batch).

The undersigned is directed to state that the following Junior Telecom Officers (JTOs) working in the Department of Telecommunications have submitted similar representations on the above mentioned subject with the request to revise their Grade Pay from ₹. 4600/- to ₹. 4800/- on their appointment to the grade of JTO in DoT on the basis of Engineering Services Examination-2011:-

- i). Shri Chittaranjan Debata
- iv). Shri Punit Kumar
- vii). Shri Manish Tripathi
- x). Shri Pukhraj Meena
- ii). Shri Lalit Kumar Verma
- v). Shri Yogendra S. Baghel
- viii). Shri Anjaneya Gupta
- xi). Shri Yogesh Goyal
- iii). Ms. Ritu Chauhan
- vi). Shri Amit Arora
- ix). Shri Harendra
- 2. In this regard it is intimated that the matter has been examined in detail with reference to relevant rules/instructions in force and it is observed that as per JTO Recruitment Rules, 1999, the pay scale attached to the post of JTO in DoT is ₹. 6500-200-10500/- (pre-revised). Accordingly, while inducting the post of JTO in Engineering Services Examination-2011 for appointment of JTOs in DoT under direct recruitment quota, the same pay scale was intimated to UPSC vide DoT letter dated 16.12.2010. This position was duly notified in the Gazette Notification dated 08.01.2011 indicating that the post of JTO of DoT will be carrying the pay scale of ₹. 6500-200-10500/- (pre-revised) and is a Group 'B' Gazetted post. Further, as per 6th Pay Commission Recommendations, the corresponding Pay Band for pre-revised Pay Scale of ₹. 6500-10500 is PB-2 ₹. 9300-34800 + Grade Pay of ₹. 4200/-. However, the JTOs of DoT have placed in the pay scale of ₹. 7450-11500 (pre-revised) w.e.f. 01.01.2006 vide PAT Section, DoT's OM No. 1-5(7)/2008-PAT dated 03.06.2009 and, therefore, the JTOs appointed through ESE-2011 have been placed in the Pay Band-II of ₹. 9300-34800/- + Grade Pay of ₹. 4600/- which is corresponding pay of Pay Scale of ₹. 7450-11500/- (pre-revised).
- 3. Therefore, it is amply clear that granting the pay scale in PB-II of $\stackrel{?}{\sim}$. 9300-34800 + GP of $\stackrel{?}{\sim}$. 4600/- to JTO on their appointment in DoT on the basis of ESE-2011 is in consonance with relevant rules & instructions of Govt. of India. Hence, the request of above mentioned JTOs for revising their grade pay from $\stackrel{?}{\sim}$. 4600/- to $\stackrel{?}{\sim}$. 4800/- cannot be acceded to.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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- Shri Chittaranjan Debata, JTO, TERM Cell, Vijayawada/Shri Lalit Kumar Verma, JTO, TERM Cell, Raipur/Ms. Ritu Chauhan, JTO (Monitoring), DoT/Shri Punit Kumar, JTO (AS-V), DoT/Shri Yogendra Singh Baghel, JTO, TERM-HQ, DoT/Shri Amit Arora, JTO (SU-III), DoT/Shri Manish Tripathi, JTO (CS-III), DoT/Shri Anjaneya Gupta, JTO, TERM-HQ, DoT/Shri Harendra, JTO (DS-II), DoT/Shri Pukhraj Meena, JTO, TERM Cell, Jammu/Shri Yogesh Goyal, JTO, TERM Cell, Lucknow.
- ADG (IT), DoT, Sanchar Bhavan, New Delhi for uploading the OM on the web-site of DoT.