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No. A/STA/AE-21/Settlement of Retirement Benefits/ASJ/2020-21/08
Dated at Mumbai the 12/05/2020

To,
Dy GM (Admn)
Bharat Sanchar Nigam Ltd,
MH CO Mumbai.

Sub:- PG Case Reply wrt letter No. GM/HR/Admn-VI/PG Cases/2019-20 Dtd 07/04/2019 : Non-payment of regular release of gratuity and commuted value of pension case of Shri A S Joshi (**Retired on superannuation on dtd 28/02/2013**) CAO HRMS No.197702174 Aurangabad SSA of Maharashtra Telecom Circle BSNL-Reg.

Ref:

1. PG Case wrt letter No.GM/HR/Admn-VI/PG Cases/2019-20 Dtd 07/04/2019.
2. Letter from Shri.A G Joshi CAO(Retd) Aurangabad No.Nil Dtd 10/03/2020 direct copy.
3. BSNL CO ND vide No: 14-36/2007-SEA-BSNL (Vol.III) Dated : 28.02.2013 (Retirement Order)
4. Final Punishment Order from BSNL CO No.15-6/MH/2016-VM-VI Dated June 6, 2017
5. AO(Pension) O/o CCA MH & Goa vide letters CCA/MH/MUM/PN/ASJ/P-11698 Dated 21/12/2018, 18/04/2019, 31/01/2020.
6. GM(Vigilance) MH CO Mumbai Reply vide No. VIG/MH-2018/CBI/AD-1/SAN/Prosecution case/ Dated 18/04/2020

Vide **ref.1** above Shri S Basu GS AIBSNLREA registered a PG case for ' Non-payment of regular release of gratuity and commuted value of pension case of Shri A S Joshi Retd CAO HRMS No.197702174 Aurangabad SSA of Maharashtra Telecom Circle BSNL.'

With reference to the cited subject and letter at **ref.2**, Shri. ASHOK SRINIWASRAO JOSHI Retired CAO Aurangabad PERNER: 97702174 Retired on superannuation on dtd 28/02/2013, BSNL absorbed employee.

In the retirement Order by BSNL CO ND Dated: 28.02.2013 **ref.3** , it was clearly mentioned that the 'executive is retired provisionally as **vigilance status has been withheld** by Vigilance branch, CO BSNL, vide their letter No. 22-10/2012-VA/RET-VC2 dated 27.02.2013. He will be paid post-retirement benefits as per extant rules, till the final retirement order is issued. Government / BSNL dues, if any, outstanding against the executive may be recovered.' Till date no final retirement order is issued from BSNL CO.

The VC status as on date is also sought from MH Vigilance Cell and vide letter at **ref.4** of AGM(Vig-I) No. VIG/MH-2018/CBI/AD-1/SAN/Prosecution case/ Dated 18/04 /2020, it was confirmed that 'against the officer Shri A. S. Joshi, Retired CAO, Aurangabad CBI Case No. RC/14(A)/2016/CBI/ACB/Pune filed on 26/09/2016 is pending in the Hon'ble Court. At present the case is under trial in the Hon'ble court therefore the VC of the officer Shri A. S. Joshi is **WITHHELD**.'

W. S. Joshi

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The Final Punishment Order dated June 6, 2017 ref.5 imposing a penalty of "3% cut in pension for a period of One year", is attached herewith. The AO(Pension) O/o CCA MH & Goa vide letters Dtd 21/12/2018, 18/04/2019, 31/01/2020 ref.6 addressed to AGM(HR) Aurangabad intimated that 'punishment of 3% pension cut was implemented from 01/08/2017 to 31/07/2018 and if no case is pending then final retirement order in this regard as per Rule 69(1)(b) and (c) of CCS Pension Rules may be sent for release of Pension and Pensioners benefits to the retired officer.'

Hence as per approval of the competent authority, as the VC was withheld at the time of retirement and CBI Case No. RC/14(A)/2016/CBI/ACB/Pune filed on 26/09/2016 is pending and at present the case is under trial in the Hon'ble court therefore the VC of the officer Shri A. S. Joshi is **WITHHELD**. And till the release of final retirement order by BSNL CO New Delhi with VC granted, the payment of gratuity and commuted value of pension cannot be released.

V K Deth
Assistant Director (Staff-A)

Endst. No. CGMT/MH/Admin VI / PG cases/2019-20/19 dtd. 13/05/2020.

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The above letter is in. ref. to PG Case No. DOPPW/P/2020/00507 for kind information please. Therefore your case is disposed off from this office.

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