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To, -8h.Arun Jaitly, M.P Hon'ble Union Minister, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Shastri Bhavan.

Sub: Ratification of Promotion Orders issued by Prasar Bharati in the JTS, STS and SAG Cadres. Ref: Ministry communication to PB dated 22.03.2016 on Convening of DPCs.

Respected Sir.

New Delhi-110001.

We wish to thank your kindself for the approval of the proposal to allow PB to convene the long pending DPCs in IBPS and other Group-A services. The Programme Cadres stand to benefit profoundly from the step, as it shall mean quicker DPCs, and Promotions as per the DOPT guidelines on an Annual calendar. In this context, we wish to request your kindself to also consider ratifying the promotion orders issued by Prasar Bharati in February 2014 (JTS & STS) and September 2015 (SAG). In the above mentioned three DPCs, the STS & SAG officers are yet to get their salary meant for the cadre, and hence are performing the duties of a Deputy Director or ADG respectively without any financial benefit. In the case of STS promotion, one of the reasons put forward by IRLA in refusing the STS salary was that they were promoted on adhoc basis from JTS Cadre, where they were officiating on an adhoc basis. In this context we wish to draw the Ministry's Kind attention to the Promotion Order issued by Department of Revenue, Central Board of Excise & Customs on 08.04.2016 (F.No.A.32012/48/2015-Ad.II) (Copy attached), whereby 64 Deputy Commissioners on adhoc service have been promoted as Joint Commissioners with the attendant Pay Scales. Taking into consideration the fact that all the Promoted SAG and STS officers are under tremendous workload due to shortage of IBPS Officers, and the above mentioned order issued in the Ministry of Finance, we submit that the Payscales of the SAG & STS officers as per the RR should be granted.

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