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No.26-10/TA-I/2014/MTNL-Misc.issue/3579 to 3615

Dated 03-09-2014

To

Mr. P.K.Purwar,
 CMD, MTNL,
 Mahanagar Doorsanchar Sadan,
 5th Floor, 9, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,
 New Delhi.

Sub- Disbursement of pensionary benefits to the combined service pension optee absorbed employees of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) –Non-disbursement to MTNL pensioners retired w.e.f. April 2014 and onwards regarding.

Kindly refer OM No.42-4/2012-Pen(T) dated 28-04-2014 and subsequent accounting instructions issued vide OM No.26-10/TA-I/2014 dated 26-05-2014, dated 30-05-2014 and dated 23/24-06-2014 on the above subject.

2. It has been brought to the notice of Department of Telecom by different Unions and Associations of MTNL employees that MTNL has not disbursed pensionary benefits to its employees retired w.e.f. April 2014 and onwards.

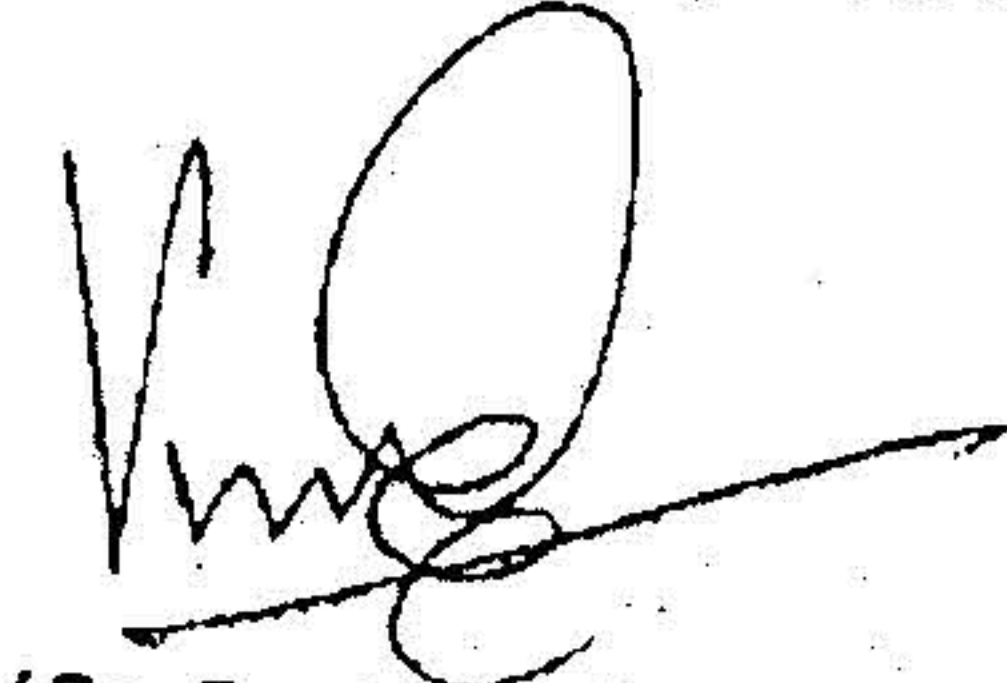
3. The Pr. CCA Delhi and Mumbai have also reported that MTNL has not submitted the complete pension cases in respect of its employees retired w.e.f. April 2014 and onwards for finalization and settlement of pensionary benefits. The month-wise cases yet to be received from MTNL are as under:-

S.No.	Month of Retirement	No. of cases due to be received from MTNL	No. of cases received	Date of receipt	Total AE sent to MTNL	No. of cases not received from MTNL	No. of cases received back from MTNL	No. of Cases pending with CCA
DELHI								
1	April-14	43	39		39	4		Nil
2	May-14	43	17	01/8/14	16	26	-	-
3	June-14	71	NIL	-	NIL	71	-	-
4	July-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MUMBAI								
1	April-14	74	70	23/5/14	70	04	64 (in Aug)	64 (received in Aug)
2	May-14	241	172	-	172	69	12 (12.08.14)	12 (Received on 12.08.14)
3	June-14	114	7	-	7	107	Nil	-
4	July-14	96	NIL	-		96	-	-

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4. The Pr. CCA Delhi has also brought to the notice of DoT that MTNL is not modifying the FMS package in accordance with prevailing orders of the Government. A letter in this regard has already been written to MTNL by Pr.CCA Delhi vide letter No.2-1/MTNL Com-Pen./Part-II/ 2014/Pen. dated 31-07-2014(Copy enclosed).
5. It has been pointed out by the Joint Forum of MTNL Retirees Unions & Associations, New Delhi vide their letter No.JFMRUA/Pens.Benefits/2014 dated 19.08.2014 that the various types of payment such as commutation of pension, gratuity, earned leave encashment and insurance amount of MTNL pensioners has not been made by MTNL management because of paucity of funds w.e.f. January 2014. The responsibility for making these payments rests solely on MTNL Management.
6. I would request your cooperation in the matter so that pensioners do not suffer on account of official processes. It may please be ensured that all pensioners including those retiring w.e.f April 2014 onwards are paid their pensionary benefits timely and reimbursement may be sought as per current instructions. You are requested to issue necessary instructions for immediate modifications in the FMS software and compliance of AEs so that the Pr.CCA Delhi and Mumbai can take over pension disbursement at the earliest.

Enclosure-As above



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