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No. RTOWA/Delhi/MTNL Retirees/5%IDA Neutralization /2019 Dated at ND 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019

To,

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The Member (Finance)  
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Subject: - Regarding 5% IDA neutralization for the combined service pensioners of MTNL , retired before 1/1/2018.

Respected Sir,

The case of 5% IDA neutralization of combined service pensioners , which is due w.e.f. 1/1/2007 notionally and the actual financial benefits to be extended w.e.f 1/1/2018 is under process in the office of DDG (A/C)/ DDG (Fin.) for the want of approval of financial liability of the part of DoT in the subject matter. MTNL Corporate office has already neutralized 5% IDA for its working employees and for the employees retired after 1/1/2018 about one and a half years back. They have received the arrears of the said financial benefit and are getting the revised pension / pay w.e.f. July, 2018. Only a section of pensioners retired before 1/1/2018 are eagerly waiting for a long time to get their actual financial benefit of 5% IDA neutralization w.e.f. 1/1/2018.

Sir , it is also to intimate you that MTNL Corporate Office has owns it's financial liability in the subject matter and communicated the same to DoT vide letter no. MTNL/CO/IRW/21(82)/2015/Pt dated 19/11/2019 in reference to DoT's letter no. 31-52/2017-Pen(T) dated 03/10/2019 . But the confirmation of the financial liability of DoT's part is still awaited. During this intervening period , many of the pensioners have left for their heavenly abode. Government of India says that "Sr. Citizens are the Assets of the Nation, Respect them ".

We , therefore , request your good self to please see personally that the said case file is cleared at the earliest so that the said financial benefit is extended to the left over one part of the section of the pensioner's i.e. very-very old senior citizens, retired before 1/1/2018 .

Awaiting for an earliest approval in the subject matter.

With kind regards.

Yours Sincerely

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