To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (MS),
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110 001


Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the release of Rs. 3,00,00,000/-only (Rupees Three Crore only) towards the first installment of Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) 2014-15 under Revenue Plan, Grants-in-Aid General, (Normal).

"Noted at serial No. 1 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

2. Grants-in-Aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the Memorandum of Understanding entered into between the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting and Prasar Bharati, and the instructions issued in this regard vide this Ministry’s communication No.1/23/2000-B(P) dated 28/02/2001 and No.1/1/2010-B(Fin) dated 08.11.2010. The Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati is also subject to the provisions of Rules 206 to 215 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 as amended from time to time and any other guidelines that might be issued in this regard, and in particular to the following conditions:


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(v) Prasar Bharati shall make reservations for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes or OBCs in the posts or services under its control on the lines indicated by Government of India.

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(vii) The accounts of Prasar Bharati shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of C&AG (DPC) Act 1971 and internal audit by the Principal Accounts Office of Ministry of Information and Broadcasting whenever it is called upon to do so.

(viii) Prasar Bharati shall furnish a Provisional Utilisation Certificate in Form 19A of GFRs for the grants received during the previous year along with its request for release up to 75% of the budgeted Grants. For release of remaining 25%, Prasar Bharati shall furnish Utilization Certificate in Form 19A of GFRs with the Annual Audited Statement relating to GIA released in the previous year as required under Rule 212(1) of GFR.

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4. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of I&B, vide their Diary No. 396/Fin.I/2014 dated 22.05.2014.

Yours faithfully,

(G.S. Arora)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
Tele: 23381109

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No. G-20029/2/2014-B(Fin)-Normal
Government of India
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
A Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Date: 22.05.2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (MS),
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110 001


Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the release of Rs. 70,59,00,000/-only (Rupees Seventy Crore and Fifty Nine Lakh only) towards the first installment of Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) 2014-15 under Revenue Plan for Creation of Capital Assets, (Normal).

"Noted at Serial No. 2 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

2. Grants-in-Aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the Memorandum of Understanding entered into between the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting and Prasar Bharati, and the instructions issued in this regard vide this Ministry's communication No.1/23/2000-B(P) dated 28/02/2001 and No.1/1/2010-B(Fin) dated 08.11.2010. The Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati is also subject to the provisions of Rules 206 to 215 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 as amended from time to time and any other guidelines that might be issued in this regard and in particular to the following conditions:


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To

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Sir,

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"Noted at serial No. 3 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

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4. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of I&B, vide their Diary No.414/Fin.I/2014 dated 03/06/2014.

Yours faithfully,

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Under Secretary to the Government of India
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To

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Sir,

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"Noted at Serial No. 4 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

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(G.S. Arora)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
Tele: 23381109
Date: 19.06.2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (MS),
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi- 110 001


Sir,

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"Noted at serial No. 5 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

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4. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of I&B, vide their Diary No. 459/Fin.I/2014 dated 18/06/2014.

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To

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Sir,

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"Noted at serial No. 6 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

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(vi) The accounts of Prasar Bharati shall be audited by the C&AG or by any person authorised by Comptroller and Auditor General of India in accordance with the provisions laid down in Section 14 of the C&AG (DPC) Act, 1971 as amended from time to time.

(vii) The accounts of Prasar Bharati shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of C&AG (DPC) Act 1971 and internal audit by the Principal Accounts Office of Ministry of Information and Broadcasting whenever it is called upon to do so.

(viii) Prasar Bharati shall furnish a Provisional Utilisation Certificate in Form 19A of GFRs for the grants received during the previous year along with its request for release up to 75% of the budgeted Grants. For release of remaining 25%, Prasar Bharati shall furnish Utilization Certificate in Form 19A of GFRs with the Annual Audited Statement relating to GIA released in the previous year as required under Rule 212(1) of GFR.

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(x) Grants-in-aid to Prasar Bharati is also subject to the Economy Instructions issued from time to time by the Government.

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3. The expenditure involved will be met from the Budget Grant of Ministry of Information & Broadcasting under Demand No. 61 - Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Major Head ‘2221’ - Broadcasting, Sub-Major Head ‘80’ - General, Minor Head ‘80.102’ - Prasar Bharati, 01-Prasar Bharati, 01.00.31- Grants-in-aid- General for the year 2014-15 (Revenue Plan).

4. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of I&B, vide their Diary No. 459/Fin.I/2014 dated 18/06/2014.

Yours faithfully,

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To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (MS),
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110 001


Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry’s letter of even Number dated 06.06.2014, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the release of Rs. 10,03,00,000/-only (Rupees Ten Crore and Three Lakh only) towards the second installment of Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) 2014-15 under Revenue Plan for Creation of Capital Assets, (NE).

"Noted at Serial No. 7 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

2. Grants-in-Aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the Memorandum of Understanding entered into between the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting and Prasar Bharati, and the instructions issued in this regard vide this Ministry’s communication No.1/23/2000-B(P) dated 28/02/2001 and No.1/1/2010-B(Fin) dated 08.11.2010. The Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati is also subject to the provisions of Rules 206 to 215 of the General Financial Rules, 2005 as amended from time to time and any other guidelines that might be issued in this regard and in particular to the following conditions:


(ii) It is certified that the pattern of assistance of rules governing such GIA has received the approval of the Ministry of Finance.

(iii) Terms and conditions of service of the employees employed in Prasar Bharati should not be higher than those applicable to similar categories of employees of Central Government and where it is not in accordance with above, the relaxation of Ministry of Finance have been obtained for such discrepancies as required under GFR 209(6)(iv)(a).
(iv) Assets acquired wholly or substantially out of Government Grants shall not be disposed off without obtaining the prior approval of the sanctioning authority of Grants-in-Aid.

(v) Prasar Bharati shall make reservations for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes or OBCs in the posts or services under its control on the lines indicated by Government of India.

(vi) The accounts of Prasar Bharati shall be audited by the C&AG or by any person authorised by Comptroller and Auditor General of India in accordance with the provisions laid down in Section 14 of the C&AG (DPC) Act, 1971 as amended from time to time.

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3. The expenditure involved will be met from the Budget Grant of Ministry of Information & Broadcasting under Demand No.61 - Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Major Head '2221' - Broadcasting, Sub-Major Head '80' - General, Minor Head '80.102' - Prasar Bharati, 01-Prasar Bharati, 01.00.35- Grants for creation of capital assets for the year 2014-15 (Revenue Plan).

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No.G-20029/2/2014-B(Fin)-Normal
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Date: 19.06.2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (MS),
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting,
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Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry letter of even Number dated 22.05.2014, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the release of Rs. 70,60,00,000/-only (Rupees Seventy Crore and Sixty Lakh only) towards the second installment of Grants-in-Aid to Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) 2014-15 under Revenue Plan for Creation of Capital Assets, (Normal).

"Noted at Serial No. 8 in the Register of Grants (Revenue Plan)"

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