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Dated: 26/11/2022

To,

Chief General Manager Telecom
BSNL, Punjab Telecom Circle.
Chandigarh.

Sub.: - Inordinate delay in issue of CAO (Look After) orders- regarding

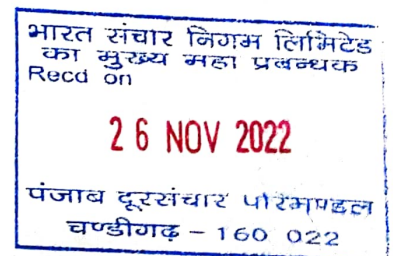
Ref No : PBCO-COMN/11/2/2021-FINANCE/430 dated 28.03.2022

Respected Sir,

Kindly refer to the letter under reference vide which the look after orders were issued in the grade of Chief Accounts Officers and which stood terminated on **02.09.2022 automatically**. The recommendations were duly called for since long but yet the orders are still to be issued.

Sir, with due respect, it is further stated and brought to your esteemed good self that although the look after arrangement expired on 02.09.2022, yet the officers **are made to function on look after basis on the verbal assurances that the look after will be from the back date which is not in the interest of career of the officers as the functions done by the officers without express authority may render the officers in trouble.**

The signing of financial documents/cheques, issue of Financial Sanctions, signing of legal documents, affidavits, appearance before statutory authorities, using powers of CAO in functioning of duties although not expressly given, representation before third parties etc.. may result into serious **repercussions on the careers of the officials as they can be held liable for using the authorities which have not been assigned to them officially, falsely representing BSNL in the capacity without any express authority.** The officers may be held accountable in future without any fault of the officers.





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It has further been learnt that Vigilance clearance for Look After cases is going to expire by end of November 2022.

Considering above, it is requested to :

- A. Issue the Look after orders in the grade of CAO immediately w.e.f 03.09.2022
- B. Ratify all the works done as CAO since 03.09.2022


[YOGESH CHHABRA]

Circle Secretary

Copy to:

- (1) PGM (Finance), % CGMT, Punjab Circle, Chandigarh – For kind information &with a request to look into the matter pls.