No.1A/1/49/MFAI/Gen

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IMPORTANT CIRCULAR

To

The Officer-in Charge
All LAO’s
AOGE’s
AAO (BSO)

Sub:-Revenue Generation in respect of setting up of Cell Towers On Wheels as an interim arrangement to extend communication network in Military Stations/cantonments.

Please find enclosed a copy of Gol. MoD letter no. 11026/1/2005/D(Lands) dated 16.05.2016 under which the policy is framed for setting up of Cell Towers On Wheels as an interim arrangement to extend communication network in Military Stations/cantonments.

Para 10 of ibid Govt letter envisages that
(a) Full revenue generated out of license of A-1. Analogous to A-1 and B-4 land will be credited to the Consolidated Fund of India. No portion of this fee/premium/revenue generated will be credited to any non public fund/regimental fund.
(b) Full revenue generated out of license of C land will be credited to the Cantonment Board Fund. No portion of revenue generated out of license would be credited to any nonpublic fund/regimental fund.
(c) Station HQs/DEO/CEO (as the case may be) will maintain a register indication realization of rental /fees/premium and its accounting which will be subject to audit by CGDA and CAG.

It is pertinent to mention that due to raising the objection by LAO(A) Delhi Cantt against 972 Tpt Coy Delhi Cantt and RRRC Delhi Cantt, in accordance with the provisions of ibid Govt letter, the DEO has finalized the License for installation of Cell Towers on Wheel for as many as 34 location of Defence land in Delhi/Delhi Cantt. The monthly rental of Rs 57,10,000/- for these 34 location has been fixed which will be entirely deposited in Govt Treasury. FDR total amount of Rs 3,42,60,000/- has also been deposited by the service providers with the DEO Delhi Circle, Delhi Cantt as security. With the issue of Govt policy, it results in huge amount of revenue generated for the Govt.

It is therefore requested to confirm whether during the periodical audit of Units/formations of installation of Mobile Tower (Cell on Wheel) from a Private Telecom Company has been auditing in accordance with the ibid Govt. policy at your end.

Please accord priority.

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The Officer-in Charge
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