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To,

All Circle Vigilance heads BSNL Telecom Circles/Units. All AGMs O/o CVO BSNL

SUB: Vigilance Clearance -Regarding.

BSNL Vigilance is receiving many RTI applications, Court cases and representations in matters of Vigilance Clearance of BSNL employees who have been discharged/acquitted in lower court and criminal appeal/revision against the order of acquittal pending in higher court.

It has been gathered that DoT is granting necessary Vigilance Clearance in case of identically placed DoT employees currently working in BSNL. Keeping the current DoT practice and Hon'ble High Court's relevant ruling in mind, and also in order to have consistency in dealing with identically placed BSNL absorbed employees vis-a-vis DoT employees posted in BSNL, it has now been decided by BSNL Vigilance to grant Vigilance Clearance to BSNL employees in such cases where officer has already been acquitted in lower court and criminal appeal/revision against the order of acquittal is pending in higher court. Accordingly, Vigilance heads may issue the vigilance clearance in future.

This is issued with the approval of the competent authority.

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