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To Shri.Kuldeep Goyal, Chairman and Managing Director, BSNL. New Delhi

Sub: Limited Department Competitive Examination for promotion from JTO (Telecom) to SDE (Telecom) held on 15.07.2007 – Request for rechecking/re-totaling of marks of the candidates who secured a few marks less than the qualifying marks.

Sir.

This is in continuation of our letters No. AIBSNLOA/CHQ/2009/31 dated 26.6.2009 and No. AIBSNLOA/CHQ/2009/34 dated.10.07.2009 on the above mentioned subject, wherein we had requested for re-evaluation of the answer sheets of those candidates who secured a few marks short of the qualifying marks and also issue of necessary correction in the answer key in respect of answer for Q. No. 11 (v) in Sub Part B-3 (CDOT SYSTEM) in Paper II which had been wrongly published as "TST-SRV CARD", whereas the correct answer should be "TST-SRV". Now another mistake in the answer key has been brought to our notice i.e. Answer to Q. No.A16 (d) Page 14 in Paper II has been wrongly given in the answer key. We may clarify here that we are not requesting for grant of grace marks or relaxation of qualifying marks. We are only requesting to correct the mistakes that have been committed by the paper setter and the evaluators.

- 2. We have discussed the matter with GM (Pers) and explained to him that many candidates who were declared unsuccessful in the above said LDCE had applied for and got the marks communicated to them. Many of them have secured just one mark short of the minimum qualifying marks in either of the papers. Some of them even have obtained the Xerox copies of the answer sheets through RTI Act and have found serious mistakes like wrong totaling, non-assignment of marks to answers marked right by the evaluator and even awarding no marks for right answer etc. All such cases need to be reviewed so that the candidates do not suffer for no fault on their parts.
- 3. We now enclose herewith a few specific cases (annexure-I) where the candidates had secured 49 marks in either of the papers along with the copies of their representations and related documents for your perusal. (At sl.no.5, though Smt.Prema Sudha has been declared to have secured only 45 marks in Paper I, the answer sheet will show that she should have been given 51 marks)
- 4. We shall be extremely grateful if the above specific cases are considered at the earliest and the concerned officers are declared successful in the LDCE and

consequently promoted as SDEs in the vacancies of the concerned recruitment years and thereby bestowing justice to them.

- 5. We are further constrained to state that wrong answer key and wrong evaluation of the answer sheets can play havoc in the careers of the affected officers, particularly when they lose the race by just one mark. Though we have given only eleven specific examples which have come to our notice, it is likely that there are many more such unfortunate officers who were not declared successful owing to mistakes in the Answer Key and also due to lapses on the part of the evaluators. Therefore it would be fair and just to examine the answer sheets of all the candidates who have scored 49 marks in either of the papers.
- 6. We, therefore, once again earnestly request you to kindly bestow your personal attention to this issue so that the above candidates are declared successful in the LDCE and promoted to SDE cadre with retrospective effect. All the other cases, where the candidates were not declared successful due to having scored 49 marks in either of the papers, may kindly be reviewed in view of wrong Answer Key and possible mistakes by the evaluators while awarding marks which have already been detected in few cases.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(V.P.Arya) General Secretary

Encl: As stated.

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Annexure-I

SI. No	Name & Desn	Roll No. LDCE	Marks obtained		Remarks
			Paper I	Paper II	
1	Pushkar Sharma, JTO(MSC) Bahu Plaza, Jammu	JKT/SDE(T)/07/22	73	49	 Q.No.17, Page 13(Annex-II) Trasnmission: Answer for all 5 short notes marked correct. But in Answer Key there are 6 answers by mistake. So full mark (5) not given. Wrong answer key for Q.No. A 16(d) Page 14 and also Q.No. 11(v) in Sub Part B-3 in Paper II
2	R.Subramaniyam, SDE,Vellore, Tamilnadu		49	57	Paper I, Section A, Q.No.A.1C: Three marks give for 4 right answers. (4 tick marks done by evaluator)
3	Madhav Patel, SDE, Indore, MP	MP/SDE(T)/07/578	62	49	Wrong answer key for Q.No. A 16(d) Page 14 and also Q.No. 11(v) in Sub Part B-3 in Paper II
4	Smt.Radha Mihani, SDE, Indore, MP	MP/SDE(T)/07/040	62	49	Wrong answer key for Q.No. A 16(d) Page 14 and also Q.No. 11(v) in Sub Part B-3 in Paper II
5	*Smt.Prema Sudha, SDE, Vellore, TN		45	64	 Paper I: Wrong totaling: Total comes to 46. Paper I: Wrong valuation: As per Key, In section B part B2 Q.No.9 is correct & In section C part C1 Questions nos 2,3 and 4 are correct and in part & C2 question No.9 is correct. (so totally six more marks are to be added.
6	Rahul Garg JTO Chhota Shimla HP	HPT/07/SDE/1090	60	49	Regarding retotalling reply still awaited.
7	Varinder Mohan JTO, Batala, Pb	PBT/SDE(T)/07/C/688	49	69	Paper I, Section- A.2, a (E10-B) Q.No. 3, is marked wrong. Swiching involved in system is both space & time switch.
8	Lokanath Das JTO(Comp.) RTTC Bhubaneshwar	ORT/SDE(T)-173/ 2007	75	49	Regarding retotalling reply still awaited
9	Mrs. Vinod Yadav AM(Pers IV) BSNL CO	NTR/SDE-2007/145	54	49	Paper-II, Q-A.1c wrong marking
10	Davider Pal Singh Chawla AM(EB-II/I) BSNL CO	PBT/SDE(T)/2007/c/6 84	49	58	Paper 1, section A: IN and service question no 2 –wrong Answer key as per BSNL notification no 62-17/06-Broadband dated 14-9-2006
11	Tarun Kr. Verma JTO E10-B, Patiala	PBT/SDE(T)/2007/ C/ 334	71	49	Paper-II, Q-4 H- Ans key wrong, Q-1B & 8 one fill in the blanks- un-marked