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भारत सरकार/Government of India  
संचार मंत्रालय/Ministry of Communications  
दूरसंचार विभाग/Department of Telecommunications  
Sanchar Bhawan, 20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi -110001

Date: 27 September, 2018

**ORDER**

**Subject : Appointment of Independent External Monitor (IEM) for overseeing and implementation of Integrity Pact in Department of Telecommunication.**

The competent authority, Department of Telecommunications has appointed the following Independent External Monitors (IEMs) in Department of Telecommunication for overseeing and implementation of Integrity Pact in procurements of DoT:-

- i. Sh. Arvind Kumar Arora, Indian Defence Service of Engineers (IDSE), Ex. DG, Indian Defence Engineers Services, Ministry of Defence, B-333, Chittaranjan Park, New Delhi-110019 (Tel. no. 01126273406; Mob no. 8130588577 & 9868236340, E-mail Id: arvindarora333@gmail.com)
  - ii. Sh. Pradeep Kumar Gupta, Central Engineering Service, Ex Special Director General, Central Public Works Department, T-17, Green Park Extension, New Delhi-110016 (Tel no. 01126191696, Mobile no. 9971491696, E-mail Id: pradeepkgupta53@gmail.com)
2. The above appointments are made keeping in view of the following references:-
- i. CVC Officer Order no. 02/01/2017 [F No. 015/VGL/091 dated 13.01.2017] regarding Revised Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for adoption of Integrity Pact in major Government procurement activities
  - ii. CVC Office Order no. 012/VGL/035-3740 dated 19.03.2018 regarding appointment of IEMs in Department of Telecommunications (DoT).
3. The appointment of IEMs shall be governed by the following terms & conditions:-
- **FEE:** The IEMs shall be paid fees @ Rs. 10,000/- (Ten thousand Rupees only) per sitting, exclusive of any pension drawn by the IEM.
  - **TA/DA:** TA/DA to the IEMs will be the same as per their entitlement at the time of their retirement as per rates prescribed by the Government of India from time to time.
  - **TRANSPORT:** The transportation entitlement to the IEMs will be as per their entitlement at the time of their retirement as per rates prescribed by the Government of India from time to time.
  - **TENURE:** Initially for a period of three Years from the date of issue of this letter.

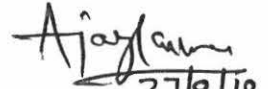
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- **OTHER ITEMS:** As per Para 4.10 of the Guidelines issued by the CVC vide Circular No. 02/01/2017 dated 13.01.2017, the Department may provide secretarial assistance to IEMs.

4. The IEMs are requested to sign and return the copy of the Confidentiality Agreement and declaration of absence of conflict of interest undertaking (copy attached) within 15 days.

5. Accordingly, all the concerned officer(s) are requested to take the following actions immediately:-

- (i) All RFPs/Tenders where the estimated cost exceeds Rs. One Crore, the name of the IEMs may be suitably incorporated.
- (ii) In cases where RFPs have already been issued, the appointment of the IEM may be intimated to the concerned vendors immediately and in any case, before the signing of the Integrity Pact.
- (iii) If the Pact has already been signed, the concerned vendors(s) may be suitably apprised about the appointment of IEMs in DoT at the earliest by the concerned officer(s).

  
27/9/18  
(Ajay Kumar)

Under Secretary (VM)/ADG (V.Tech)

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**To:**

- i. Sh. Arvind Kumar Arora, Indian Defence Service of Engineers (IDSE), Ex. Director General, Military Engineer Services, Ministry of Defence, B-333, Chittaranjan Park, New Delhi-110019
- ii. Sh. Pradeep Kumar Gupta, Central Engineering Service, Ex. Special Director General, Central Public Works Department, T-17, Green Park Extension, New Delhi-110016

**Copy for kind information to :-**

- i. PS to MoSC (IC) / PPS to Secretary (T) / PS to CVO
- ii. CVC with reference to CVC OM no. 012/VGL/035-3740 dated 19.03.2018.
- iii. Notice Board (E-office)

**Copy for information and necessary action as para-5 above:**

- i. Member (F)/Member (T)/ Member (S)/DGT/CGCA, DoT.
- ii. SS(T)/ Sr. DDG (TEC)/ Wireless Advisor/Administrator (USOF)
- iii. All Sr. DDGs/DDG / JS(A)/Director (WMO).
- iv. All LSA Units (through DGT)
- v. All Pr. CCA/CCA offices [through DDG (TPF & Accts.)]