## No. 12-3/Decentralized of C.C./2017-LFP Ministry of Communications Department of Telecommunications Sanchar Bhawan, 20 Ashoka Road, New Delhi -110001 (L.F.-Policy Wing)

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Dated 09-03-2017

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To,

All Pr. CsCA /CsCA

Subject: Delegation of work pertains to court cases of Hon'ble TDSAT and High Courts-regarding.

The competent authority of Department of Telecom has decided to delegate the authority to defend the court cases pertaining Hon'ble High Courts to the respective Pr.CsCA / CsCA offices to whom it pertains.

It is also noticed that all cases related to the TDSAT is being handled by the DoT HQ only considering the fact that the TDSAT bench is located in New Delhi only. However, it is also observed that many cases pertaining to the TDSAT are related with the PrCsCA /CsCA office, Delhi. In view of that, it has been decided to delegate authority and responsibility to the Pr. CsCA / CsCA office, Delhi to deal with those telecom Finance related cases of TDSAT which pertains to them as per decentralization scheme.

The responsibility of the Pr.CsCA / CsCA office regarding dealing with these cases would be as under:

- i. Collection of the petition from relevant place.
- ii. Appointing legal counsel in co-ordination with the DoT HQ, if required.
- iii. Preparing para-wise reply and getting the input of DoT HQ and any other DoT /GOI offices, if required.
- iv. Briefing to the legal counsel.
- v. Getting opinion from the legal counsel.
- vi. Co-ordination with legal counsel regarding filing of reply, date and time of hearing and court order.
- vii. Signing of Affidavit.
- viii. Any other matter dealing with legal cases in their territorial jurisdiction, if required in consultation with concerned division of HQ, Delhi.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

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