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To
Shri K.K. Jalan, I.A.S.,
Central P.F. Commissioner,
Head Office,
New Delhi.

Sub: Transfer of RPFC-II vide Office
Order HRM-II/T-2(1)2010/539 dated 24/12/2014 -
biased implementation - reg.

Sir,

Kindly refer to the above subject.

The Head Office vide Office Order No. HRM-II/T-2(1)2010/539 dated 24/12/2014 had issued a transfer order of 06 RPFC-IIs with the direction for relieving the officers within 03 days to their new station.

On 29.12.2014, a letter has been issued from the Ministry to CPFC vide letter F.No.A/11017/03/2014-SS/I dated 29.12.2014 with the direction that "no transfer of Group A officer shall be effected till transfer policy of EPFO is submitted for approval. It was also directed that the transfer order of Group A officers issued last week to be kept on hold and also directed that a compliance report may be sent by written post".

In response to the said letter, the ACC (Hqrs) has orally directed the concerned offices to not relieve the officer on that day but by the time 02 officers had already been relieved and they had joined the new place of posting and 04 officers were not relieved. Meanwhile, the Head Office has sent a compliance report to Ministry stating that 04 officers had already joined their new place of posting even though only 02 officers had joined.

Subsequently, Regional Office, Delhi (S) has sought clarification vide letter No.RO/DL(S)/ADM-I/6(17)/Vol-3/2015/1757 dated 6.1.2015 as to whether the officer may be relieved or not and the next day vide letter No. RO/DL(S)/ADM-I/6(17)/Vol-3/2015/765 dated 07.1.2015, the officer was relieved but still 02 officers have not been relieved and when inquired with Head Office, the H.O. has given a vague reply. This shows a biased attitude for implementation of the order on the part of the H.O.

The EPF Officers Association would like to state that in the first place the issue of the order itself is a wrong decision taken by Head Office as the option for Annual General Transfer has been called for and the last date was 07.1.2015. Without assigning any reasons, the transfer order has been issued and it is learnt that in that order some transfer has been accepted on request ground. Issue of such an order at this point of time has stunned the officers fraternity .

It is, therefore, requested that if all the 04 officers have already been relieved and they have joined the new place of posting, a direction may also be issued to relieve the remaining 02 officers to join the new place of posting and ensure that in future such biased decisions are avoided for the benefit of all. Further, till the issue of Annual General Transfers, no other transfer orders may be issued so that the transfer policy remains unbiased and transparent.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
A. Avami
(Saurabh Swami)
Secretary General
9/1/2015