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Dated: 22.07.2015

Joint Secretary General To

Ashish Kumar, RPFC-II Shri Shankar Aggarwal, I.A.S.,

Sir,

Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Labour & Employment,

Shram Shakti Bhawan,

Vice Presidents: New Delhi.

(Tamil Nadu & Kerala)

Subject: Delay in issue of Annual General Transfers – resultant Himanshu Kumar, RPFC-II uncertainty within EPFO - reg.

(Maharashtra & Chattisgarh)

Manoj Kumar, RPFC-II

Please refer to the above subject matter.

(Gujarat & Madhya Pradesh) Ashwini Kumar Gupta, RPFC-II

(Karnataka & Goa) Shailendra Kumar, APFC

(West Bengal, NER & Jharkhand)

Abhijeet Kundu, APFC

Treasurer C R Vikraman, APFC

In this regard it is submitted that during current year so far no Annual General Transfers have been made by EPFO even though the same used to be completed by the month of April annually. Even those officers who have been promoted from RPFC-II to RPFC-I and RPFC-I to ACC-Gr.II have all been given in-situ promotions during the last two months. Furthermore, all the officers who have completed their tenure are in a dilemma as to when their transfers will materialise, since their wards are studying in schools / colleges for the new academic year 2015-16. The financial implications due to any change in admission on account of transfer of the officers is very high.

Sir, whenever the matter regarding Annual General Transfer has been brought to the knowledge of the concerned management of EPFO, it has been simply informed that the Ministry has issued directions to the management of EPFO that no transfers should be made unless and until new transfer policy is approved. It is also learnt that the Hon'ble Minister has approved the transfer policy and sent it to EPFO

and EPFO has sent the same back to the Ministry after making necessary amendments for final approval. However, the final approved Transfer Policy has not yet been received by the EPFO.

The officers who have completed their tenure or are due for transfer due to promotion are under severe stress & mental pressure and this uncertainty is affecting the overall performance of the Organisation, particulary in these challenging times.

In view of the above, it is felt by the EPF Officers' Association that till the approval of New Transfer Policy, as a one time measure transfers could be made as per the Old Transfer Policy.

As such, the EPF Officers' Association would like to request your good-self to look into the matter and issue suitable instructions for issue of transfers as per the Old Transfer Policy.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(Saurabh Swami)

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Secretary General