


Few Associations which represent subordinate engineering employees in All India Radio & Doordarshan have been continuously misleading everybody by deliberately writing as 'Registered & Recognized by the Govt.' on their Letter Head, News Letter and Website etc. Right to information Act (RTI Act, 2005) has exposed that the leadership of so-called Associations is playing fraud on their members & thus violating the laws of land in collusion with a section of corrupt officers sitting at the helm of affairs in Prasar Bharati/AIR and Doordarshan Directorates. Time has come to raise voice & concern against such unlawful activities.

Replies received from various authorities under the RTI Act are reproduced below :

PRASAR BHARATI
(BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF INDIA)
DIRECTORATE GENERAL ; ALL INDIA RADIO

No.B-12015/1/2004-WL 

New Delhi, dated: 5th April 2004

Subject: - DG's quarterly meeting with Associations.

In terms of DOPT's O.M.No.4/1/94-CS-IV dated 5th February 1998 at present no Association is recognized. However, to keep the spirit of consultation, it has been decided to continue quarterly consultation meetings with Associations as was being done by CEO earlier. From April-June onwards Director General will hold quarterly meetings with the representatives of following Associations:-

1. AIR & DDn Technical Employees Association (not recognized).
2. AIR & DDn Stenographers Association (not recognized).
3. Akhil Bhartiya Akashwani Chaturth Shreni Karamchari Sangh (not recognized).
4. Association of Radio and TV Engineering Employees (Not recognized).
5. AIR & DDn. Programme Staff Association (Not recognized).
6. AIR & DDn. Administrative Staff Association (Not recognized).
7. AIR & DDn. Engineers Association (Not recognized).
8. AIR Motor Drivers Association (Not recognized).
9. Association of Direct Recruits. (C&W)

The schedule for the quarter April-June 2004 for the Director General's meeting with the above Associations will be issued separately.


(SHYAMA KUTTY)
DY.DIRECTOR OF ADMN (SCOR)]

To: - All Association Presidents by name.

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उपस्थित निदेशक
फर्स्ट, सोसाइटीज सर्विस,
इलाहाबाद।

सेवा में,

श्री अनिल कुमार गुप्ता, आजीवन सदस्य
इरदर्शन केन्द्र, लखनऊ।

संख्या 866 / 1-17992 इलाहाबाद दिनांक 28-5-06

विषय:- सोसाइटीज आफ रेडियो टेलीफोन इंजीनियरिंग इम्प्लाइज के सन्दर्भ में।

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषयक आप अपने पत्र दिनांक 01-05-06 को कार्यालय में दिनांक 18-5-06 को प्राप्त हुआ है का सन्दर्भ लेने का कष्ट करें। जिसके द्वारा सुचना के अधिकार के तहत सुचना मांगी गयी है, का शुल्क आज दिनांक 29-5-06 को जमा किया गया है परंतु सुचनाएं विन्दुवार दी जा रही है।-

1. प्रश्नगत संस्था दिनांक 10-10-83 तक वैध थी जिसका पंजीकरण का नवीकरण कराया जाना आवश्यक था। वर्तमान समय में संस्था सो 0 रजि 0 अधिनियम की धारा 35 के अन्तर्गत अप्रवीकृत हो चुकी है।

2. सोसाइटी रजिस्ट्रेशन अधिनियम की धारा 4 के अन्तर्गत वार्षिक आम सभा की बैठक की तिथि से 14 दिन के अन्दर प्रबंधकारिणी समिति की सूची जमा करना आवश्यक है तथा संस्था के क्रियाचक्रों से सन्दर्भित अन्य व्यय विवरण पैकेजिड वार्टर्ड स्काउन्टेन्ट से आडिट कराकर अनिवार्य प्रस्तुत किया जाना चाहिए।

3. संस्था की पंजीकृत नियमावली में किसी भी प्रकार का किया गया संशोधन कार्यालय में दाखिल करना / पंजीकृत कराया जाना आवश्यक है।

4. संस्था वर्तमान में समय में अप्रवीकृत हो चुकी है एवं प्रबन्ध समिति कालातीत हो चुकी है। अतः संस्था के धन का दुरुपयोग न हो इसलिए जमा धनराशि की निकाशी पर रोक रोक होनी चाहिए।

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अतिरिक्त (28/5/06)

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QUESTION DETAILS
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 2947
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.08.2006
ASSOCIATIONS OF AIR AND DD .

2947. SHRI SILVIUS CONDPAN

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details about the number and name of employees and officers associations/ unions in All India Radio and Doordarshan that are lawfully registered and recognized by Government;
- (b) whether these associations/unions have been complying with the Central Civil Service (Recognition of Service Associations) Rules and other guidelines of the Ministry of Personnel and Training regarding verification of membership for the purpose of recognition;
- (c) whether Government's attention has been drawn towards non-implementation of SIU reports and recommendations in Doordarshan installations since long back, resulting into acute shortage of staff especially in big kendras and TV relay centers across the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps to be taken to streamline association's/union's activities in All India Radio and Doordarshan as well as to implement SIU reports and recommendations in Doordarshan?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

(SHRI P.R. DASMUNSI)

(a) & (b) : There is no association/union recognized by the Government in All India Radio and Doordarshan. However, there are various associations which represent the employees of Prasar Bharati.

(c), (d) & (e) : Doordarshan had projected an additional requirement of 4616 posts in accordance with the staffing norms recommended by SIU in the year 2002-03 for various Doordarshan Kendras, transmitters, earth stations, etc. However, this issue is now under consideration of Group of Ministers (GOM) constituted by the Government to examine various matters pertaining to Prasar Bharati. Appropriate steps would be taken after receipt of the recommendations of the GOM. Although there is no recognized association, yet attempts are made to address their grievances and demands raised by them from time to time.

PRASAR BHARATI
(BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF INDIA)
DIRECTORATE GENERAL : ALL INDIA RADIO

No. B-12017/1-2006-WL | 832

New Delhi, dated 02.11.06

Sub: Seeking information under RTI Act, 2005 regarding recognition of Association of Radio & Television Engineering Employee of the said Association.

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Reference DDA(E) I.D. Note No. 14/23/2006-S.IV(A), dated 25.10.2006 on the subject noted above.

Association of Radio & Television Engineering Employes (ARTEE) is not recognized by the Govt. in AIR & Doordarshan.



(M.K. PANDEY)
DY. DIR. OF ADMN. (WL)
FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL.

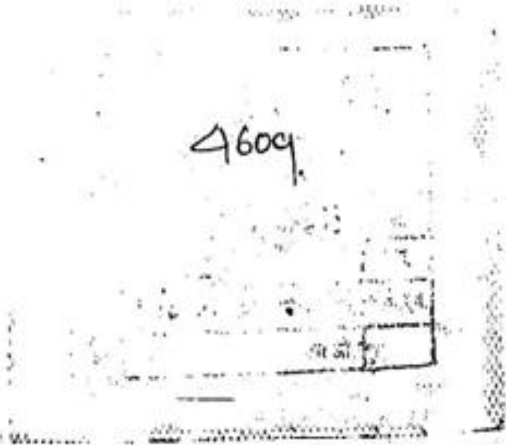
To,

1. Chief Engineer(NZ), AIR & Television, Jamnagar House, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi - 110001.
2. Dy. Dir. of Admn. (E), DG:AIR, New Delhi.

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In
24/11/06
राजेश सिंह
मुख्य अधिकारी

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Most Immediate
RTI Matter

Prasar Bharati
(Broadcasting Corporation of India)
Directorate General:All India Radio

No.B-12017/3/2008-WL

New Delhi, Dated 08-02-2008

To
Ms. ~~Shri~~ Arna Das, Advocate, , Pocket 40/91
Chitta Ranjan Park, Gr.Floor,
New Delhi-110019

Subject: Information sought under RTI ACT, 2005 by Sh. Arna Das
Advocate, Supreme Court, New Delhi.

Reference CPIO/DP (Policy)'s letter No. 29/42/2007-PV/165, dated
28-01-2008 on the subject noted above.

As per CSS (Recognition of Service Associations) Rules, 1993,
ARTEE is ~~not recognized~~. However, Extract of AIR Manual indicating
the names of recognized Associations in AIR is enclosed.


8/2/2008

(R.K.DHALL)

Dy. Director Admn.(WL)
For Director General

Copy to:- 1. CPIO/DP (Policy), DG:AIR
2. Section Officer, Scor Section.

No.45015/29/2009 BA-P
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
BA-P Section.

Dt. 30.06.09

To,

Sh.Praveen Kumar,
Engineering Assistant,
Doordarshan CPC, Khelgaon,
New Delhi:49.

Subject: Information under RTI Act.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to your application dated 27.04.2009 seeking details under RTI Act, sent in this office by DOPT through BA(E) section.

In this connection, it is to inform you that No Association is recognized named ADTEA.


(S P Sharma)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
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30/6/09

Copy to :

Sh. S.K. Garg, Under Secy. BA(E), Min. of I&B, Shastri Bhawan in response to Letter no. F.N o. 1601/64/09-BA(E).

RTI Matter

No. H-12017-12/2009-Admn. III
Government of India
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

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Dated: 02.07.2009

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To

Shri Debashish Chowdhary,
General Secretary, UADEE,
Res. Add: c/o Shri Bhaskar Dasgupta,
Block B-306, Chittaranjan Park,
New Delhi - 110 019

**Subject: Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005 by
Shri Debashish Chowdhary regarding details of staff
associations/Unions of AIR/DD.**

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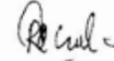
Sir,

I am directed to refer to your application No.RTI/MIB//01/2009 dated 26th June, 2009 seeking information under Right to Information Act, 2005 and to give information as under:-

1 to 12 : In connection with recognition of the Service Associations of Prasar Bharati affiliated to the Departmental Council set up under Joint Consultative Machinery (JCM) this Ministry has sought clarification from Department of Personnel & Training as to whether recognition of the Service Associations of the employees serving in Prasar Bharati under Central Services (Recognition of Service Association) Rules, 1993 may be considered. While seeking this clarification, the presumption that the decision taken in JCM may not be binding on Management of Prasar Bharati was also expressed. DOP&T have clarified that if the decision taken in JCM may not be binding on Management of Prasar Bharati, the recognition of Service Associations under CCS (RSA) Rules, 1993 would become futile. Hence it is not felt desirable to recognize all the service associations under Prasar Bharati Corporation by this Ministry. As regards criteria to get recognition of an association etc. and privileges given to office bearer of the

association are guided by Central Service (Regulation of Services Association) Rules, 1993.

Yours faithfully,



(Ram Phal)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India/CPIO
Tele: 23384990

Copy to Section Officer (IFC) w.r.t. their No. 1/254/2009-IFC dated 29.06.2009 for information.

Appeal under RTI

No. H-12017/14/2009-Admn. III | 1/281/2009-2FC
Government of India
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001

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Dated: 19.8.2009

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APPEAL ORDER UNDER RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005

SHRI ANIL KUMAR SHARMA

VS

CPIO, MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING

Vide application dated the 10th July, 2009 certain information was sought by the applicant under the RTI Act, 2005. The applicant was provided with the information on points 1 to 5 by the Under Secretary (Admn.), CPIO in this case vide his letter of even number dated 15th July, 2009. However, an appeal has been filed vide applicant's letter dated 22.7.2009 stating that the replies given by the CPIO are neither para-wise, nor exact and categorical as envisaged in application dated 10.7.2009.

ORDER

I have gone through the application made by the applicant. The point-wise information is given below:-

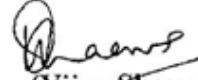
Points No. 1: Hon'ble Minister of Information and Broadcasting is presently the competent authority for granting recognition to the Associations/unions of employees of AIR & Doordarshan presently on deemed deputation to Prasar Bharati.

Point No. 2: The two Associations namely (1) Association of Radio & TV Engineering Employees (ARTEE) and (2) AIR & Doordarshan Technical Employees' Association (ADTEA) functioning in AIR & Doordarshan under the Ministry of I&B, are at present not recognized Associations in accordance with the existing rules of recognition i.e The Central Civil Services (Recognition of Service Association) Rules, 1993.

Point No. 3: As the said associations namely ARTEE & ADTEA are not recognized by this Ministry under the new CCS(RSA) Rules, 1993 so their office bearers are at present not eligible to avail the facilities which are extended only to the office bearers of the recognized associations/union.

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Points No. 4 & 5: Neither the 9 Association/Union of Central Government employees of AIR are recognized by this Ministry under the CCS(RSA) Rules, 1993 nor the employees of AIR whose names figure in AIR Manual as recognized associations are, at present, authorized to represent on Departmental Council of Ministry of I&B.



(Vijay Sharma)

Director/Appellate Authority

Tele: 23381592

To

**Shri Anil Kumar Sharma, SEA,
CRR Unit,
AIR, Broadcasting House,
Sansad Marg,
New Delhi - 110 001**

Copy to Section Officer (IFC) w.r.t. their No. 1/281/2009-IFC dated 23.07.2009 for information.