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**GRANT OF NOTIONAL INCREMENT JUN/DEC RETIREMENT CASES PERTAINING TO MES CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES**

1. It is mentioned that as on date more than approximately 30 to 40 cases are running in the AoR of MES pertaining to subject matter. Out of them this office has received 25 cases (Para-43 documents) and, being a settled preposition in the Hon'ble Apex court, the cases for issue of Govt sanction for implementation of Hon'ble court orders regarding grant of notional increment on 1<sup>st</sup> July/ 1<sup>st</sup> Jan i.e next date of retirement of pertinent applicants, have been processed by E-in-C's Branch to competent authority (involving 04 Ministries i.e DoP &T, Min of Finance, Ministry of Law and Min of Def). Due to a large influx of similar nature case files there is an inadvertent delay in the issue of GSL.
2. It is directed to take all necessary steps, duly complying with the provisions of SoP, in order to defend the CP cases filed in this regard. It is emphasized that Chief Engineer Zone and CWE should be present during the hearing in ibid CP cases so that the stand of the Deptt and efforts being taken to implement the Hon'ble court order can be explained by them on behalf of Def Secy/E-in-C.
3. This is for strict compliance.

  
(Nitin Bhardwaj)  
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