प्रसार भारती PRASAR BHARATI भारतीय लोक सेवा प्रसारक (India's Public Service Broadcaster)

Prasar Bharati House, Copernicus Marg, New Delhi — 110001

No. P-1/014(90)/2017-Ops.

Office Memorandum - 5/2019-Ops.

Subject: Regarding issues relating to content procurement in Doordarshan.

A committee is constituted hereunder to study the issues detailed below and make a presentation to the CEO by 28th February 2019.

- 1. Shri Ganesh Iyer, PEx CRD Mumbai
- 2. Shri Srinivasan Sreeram, PEx, DG DD
- 3. Ms. Sharmila Khatri, PEx Operations, Member Coordinator.
- A. Data-points to be examined:
 - I. Investments made by DD to procure content in past 3 financial years tabulated in the following manner:
 - a) Channel(s) for which content was sourced
 - b) Mode of Sourcing/ Applicable Policy
 - c) PB Investment towards the same
 - d) Hours of programming so sourced
 - e) Revenue realised against the investment/ content
 - f) Viewership (Average weekly GVL) as available
 - g) Pendency in Payments/Settlements (amount outstanding/ time period)
 - h) Legal/ Arbitration cases (No. of cases/ which court/ Tribunal)
 - II. Proposed measures to ensure:
 - a) Procurement Process Efficacy
 - b) Production Quality Consistency
 - c) Contract Enforcement/ Execution
 - d) Commissioning to Settlement Process Management to maximize revenue/ viewership and to minimise disputes/ delivery failures.

III. Proposed IT systems to achieve the above.

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- IV. Amendments to existing Policies to achieve objectives laid out in II and necessary to implement III above
- V. New Policy Measures for alternative sourcing models. To what degree have we studied global best practices (BBC etc.) as per earlier Board directives.
- B. The Committee may co-opt any other Officials/(s) as required.

This issues with the approval of the CEO.

(Anjani Kumar) DDG (Operations.)

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Cc:

- DG, Doordarshan with a request to depute concerned DD officials immediately, to report to CEO's office on 20th February '19
- 2. Shri Rajiv Sinha, DDG(A), DG DD
- 3. Staff Officer to CEO, Prasar Bharati
- 4. DDG(T) -For uploading on the PB website.