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**Immediate/Examination**

To

All Heads of the Telecom Circles,  
Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited\*  
\*(Only Recruiting Circles)

**Sub: Holding of Screening Test for promotion to the cadre of Sr.TOA(G)---  
Guidelines regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to say that in the 36<sup>th</sup> National Council Meeting held on 12.06.2018, the Unions have raised the issue of holding of Screening Test for promotion to the cadre of Sr.TOA(G). It is reported that majority of the circles have not conducted the Screening test during the last 5 years. In this regard it is intimated that as per provisions laid in Column-12 of the Recruitment Rules of Sr.TOA(G), there is a provision of Screening Test in respect of eligible cadre officials who do not possess the educational qualification of 10+2 or equivalent. It has already been clarified in the past that no separate communication/instruction with regard to holding of Screening Test shall be issued by Estt./Rectt. branch of BSNL Corporate Office and Circles may conduct the same of their own.

All Heads of the Telecom Circles are hereby requested to conduct Screening Test for promotion to the cadre of Sr.TOA(G) immediately in accordance with the provisions as laid in sub-para 1, 2 & 3 of Column-12 of the Recruitment Rules of Sr.TOA(G)-2007. A copy of the Scheme and Syllabus as has been prescribed vide this office letter of even No. dated 18.09.2006 is enclosed as Annexure-I and Annexure-II. The Screening test shall be conducted as per the aforesaid Scheme and Syllabus.

As confirmation in TOA(G) cadre is mandatory for promotion to Sr.TOA(G) cadre, if there are left out TOA(G) who have not passed the Confirmation test as on date, then Confirmation test may also be conducted in respect of left out TOAs(G) (before holding Screening Test for promotion to Sr.TOA(G) cadre) as per the provisions of the Recruitment Rules of TOA(G) latest by 30.09.2018. All Heads of the Circles are once again requested to ensure that the entire process of holding of Screening Test for promotion to Sr.TOA(G) cadre is completed latest by 31.12.2018.

Encl: Annexure-I & II

Yours sincerely,

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