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To,
Mr. Santosh Kumar,
OSD (Registrar) & In-Charge, MCPC
Mediation and Conciliation Project Committee (MCPC),
Supreme Court Mediation Centre,
Supreme Court, New Delhi.

Subject: Recall of office order dated 05.01.2024.



Respected Sir,

This is in reference to the office order dated 05.01.2024 issued by the Mediation and Conciliation Project Committee of the Hon'ble Supreme Court regarding incentives of the mediators. The policy issued as per the office order regarding payment to the mediators is unreasonable. As per the office order mediators will be entitled for the incentives after successfully completion of two mediation. The office order dated 05.01.2024 denies the mediators to get incentive for the hard work and the expenses incurred for settling the dispute between the parties.

It is also unfair that new mediators also. As per the office order new mediators will be entitled for incentive after handling 5 mediation cases before receiving incentive for the 1st one, and further that the new mediators are entitled for incentive after successfully completing 2 mediation proceedings. This is also very unfair for the members of the bar, as the same is discriminatory between the mediators who all are learned members of the bar.

It is requested to you to kindly review the office order dated 05.01.2024 and bring a uniformity with respect to the incentives for the mediators irrespective of the outcome of the mediation proceeding.

I would appreciate if immediate steps are taken in this regard.


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