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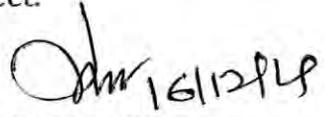
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It has been noticed that many offices are booking the payments related to legal charges under different sub-heads, e.g. in "Programme Expenses" or in "Other Charges" and some in "OE". The booking same expenditure in different subhead by different offices is against the basic principle of accounting and also leading to wrong budgeting.

Therefore, it has been decided that **payments related to legal charges, Audit fees and Arbitration Charges will be booked under sub-head "Other Charges"** besides payments being booked as per current definition of this Subhead. Thus, booking of above related payments to different Sub heads like in "Programme Expenses" & "OE-Routine" should be discontinued with immediate effect.

In case, any office of Prasar Bharati, which is not having budget allocation under Sub head "Other charges" (e.g. DMC, HPTs & CCW) but require funds to meet above related expenditure, should request appropriate authorities for re-appropriation of budgets.

Both the Directorates of AIR, DD and DD News, AIR News are requested to bring this fact to the notice of all the offices/Field formations for strict compliance. This order will be applicable with immediate effect.


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