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To

The Spl. DsG CRPF, J&K / Central / South / NE Zone,  
Jammu / Kolkata / Hyderabad / Guwahati.  
The Addl. DG CRPF Academy, Kadarpur(Gurugram).  
The Sector IsG CRPF including Ops / CoBRA / RAF.  
The IG / Director / Principal CRPF ISA / CTCs / CIATs / CSJWT.  
The IsG(Medical) CRPF all Composite Hospitals.  
The DIsG CRPF including GCs / Ranges / PDG/CWS/CTC(T&IT) / RTCs.  
The DIsG CRPF 50 Bedded Composite Hospitals,  
The Director(Accts), PAO, CRPF, New Delhi.  
The Asstt. Director(Accts), all RPAO, CRPF.  
The Commandants-CRPF Bns including RAF Bns / CoBRA Bns / Mahila Bns / DM  
Bns / Signal Bns and SDG.  
The Principals / Commandants RAPO, Meerut(UP) / Intelligence School, Kadarpur /  
IED Management School, Pune / College of IT, Bengaluru / TOT School,  
Dharampur(HP).

Subject:- **CLARIFICATION REG. SANCTION OF HRA UNDER THE PROVISION OF  
COMPENSATION FOR HOUSING TO PBORs**

On the basis of references being received from various formations of CRPF, the subject matter has been examined meticulously in this Dte General particularly with regard to classification of the Field and Non-Field Posting areas keeping in view the distinctive features, role & responsibilities of our Force and in the light of guidelines issued by DoE, MoF OM No.2/5/2017-E.II (B) dated 07/07/17 & MHA OM No.II-27012/35/CF-3396486/2017-PF-I dated 31/07/2017 (Copy enclosed).

2. The Government has always been very considerate in granting special dispensation to CAPFs in NE Region, J&K Region and LWE affected areas according to our organisational set-up & service conditions. After considering the various facets of the issue and keeping in mind the welfare of PBORs, classification of Field and Non-Field Posting areas is defined as below :-

SL No.	Details of Establishments	Classification	Remarks
I.	All <b>duty Bns</b> (including Mahila / CoBRA / RAF / Signal Bns) deployed <b>anywhere</b> in the Country / Abroad.	Field Posting	---
II.	All <b>Static Institutions</b> stationed in NE Region, J&K Region and LWE affected areas*.	Field Posting	*LWE affected areas for this purpose will be the affected areas / districts ( <i>except State Capitals</i> ) of the concerned State.

III.	All Institutions other than those mentioned at I & II above	Non-Field Posting	---
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3. The above classification has been done exclusively for sanction of HRA with effect from 01/07/2017 under the provision of compensation for housing to PBORs (*Constable to Inspector/SM*) strictly as per MHA OM dated 31/07/2017 *ibid*. It should not be linked with the admissibility of any other allowance, benefit or claim.

4. The issue was under thorough examination due to lack of clarity on the issue of classification of Field and Non-Field Posting for this purpose as a result of which our Force personnel had to suffer undue financial hardship on this account. The Heads of Offices concerned should now ensure that all entitled personnel under their control are sanctioned HRA under the provision of compensation for housing to PBORs as per their admissibility in a time bound manner. This will surely act as a morale-booster for our Force personnel.

5. This issues with the approval of DG CRPF on note dated 16/07/2018.

Encl : As above.

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**Inspector General (Adm)**