Press Note

This is with reference to a News Item published in a Hindi Daily dated 31.1.2017 alleging that the CHB has created some new posts to promote the favoured ones.

In this regard, it is clarified that the news is not based on facts as no new posts have been created in the Engineering department of CHB. In fact some of the officers have been re-designated & some have been given additional charges (as detailed below) of higher posts for convenience and smooth disposal of the office work & to facilitate the general public. The charge of CE CHB (technical powers only) has not been assigned to any XEN but to SE CHB.

There are 8 sanctioned posts of Executive Engineers (EE) in CHB and presently 8 officers are working/designated as EEs in CHB and no additional posts have been created. The EEs in CHB have been given the financial powers to allot works upto Rs.5.00 lac only and not Rs.30.00 lac as mentioned in the news report. To cope up with the work, some senior most AEs in their cadre have been given the additional charge of the posts of SDEs (which were lying vacant).

S.No.	Name of the Officer with designation	Remarks
1.	Sh. Rajeev Singla, SE	Additional charge of CE
2.	Sh. Sunil Malik, EE	Designated as EE (IT)
3.	Sh. Kailash Garg, SDE	Additional charge of EE-VI
4.	Sh. Charanjiv Bansal, SDE	Additional charge of EE-VII
5.	Sh. Amarjit Singh, SDE	Additional charge of EE-III & also designated as EE (Enf)
6.	Sh. S.P.Singh, SDE	Additional Charge of EE-V
7.	Pawan Kumar Narial, AE	Additional charge of SDE
8.	Avtar Singh, AE	Additional charge of SDE
9	Pawan Sharma, AE	Additional charge of SDE
10.	Rajeev Khanna, AE	Additional charge of SDE
	Y.P.Batra, AE	Additional charge of SDE
		Additional charge of SDE
13.	Abnesh Kumar Dadwal, AE	Additional charge of SDE
14.	Harinder K. Sethi, AE	Additional charge of SDE

Moreover, no additional financial burden is being borne by CHB due to the said arrangements as all such officers are drawing the pay of their substantive posts and not the posts for which they have been given additional charge.

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