

भारत सरकार Government of India नागर विमानन मंत्रालय Ministry of Civil Aviation

No. AV.13030/15/2012-ER

"B" Block, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan New Delhi, dated 17.04.2012

## <u>ORDER</u>

## Sub:- Constitution of a Committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Civil Aviation to examine the recommendations outlined in the Study Report on competitive framework of Civil Aviation Sector in India.

Ministry of Corporate Affairs conducted sector-wise in-depth studies to identify situations which bring out instances of distortions and inhibition of competition. M/s Nathan Economic Consulting Pvt. Ltd., who conducted such study for Ministry of Corporate Affairs on Civil Aviation Sector, submitted its research report (A copy of the report is enclosed).

2. The report identified and analysed potentially competition inhibiting provisions of various rules and regulations in Indian Civil Aviation Sector and has made certain recommendations that will minimize and in some cases eliminate barriers to competition. The recommendations cover a wide range of subjects that are handled by various divisions in the Ministry, Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) and Airports Authority of India (AAI).

3. It has been decided to examine recommendations made in the report with a view to consider making changes in the policy/ regulatory framework wherever appropriate so that barriers to competition are removed and higher levels of efficiency in civil aviation sector achieved. Accordingly, it has been decided to constitute a Committee with the following composition:

i)	Secretary (Civil Aviation)	-	Chairman
ii)	Director General of Civil Aviation	-	Member
iii)	Chairman, Airports Authority of India	-	Member
iv)	Joint Secretary (P)	-	Member
v)	Joint Secretary (S)	-	Member
vi)	Joint Secretary (A)	-	Member
vii)	Economic Adviser (Civil Aviation)	-	Member

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4. The Terms of Reference (TOR) of the Committee:

The Committee shall examine each of the recommendations of the report and take a view on each of them.

5. The Committee shall complete its work within four weeks from the date of issue of this order.

6. This issues with the approval of the HMCA.

(S. Venkata Ramana) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To,

The Chairman and Members of the Committee

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Shri Deepak Khare, Scientist ' F', NIC with a request to upload this order on the website of the Ministry.