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In continuation of AIC 13/2009 dated 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2009 and AIC 3/2010 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2010, the following circular is issued for information, guidance and compliance.

  
**(A.K. Sharan)**

Joint Director General of Civil Aviation

### ORDER

**Subject:- Ground Handling Functions at airports.**

The Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in its interim order dated 23.12.2010 in the matter of Federation of Indian Airlines & Ors. Versus Union of India & Ors. In W.P.(C) 8004/2010 & CM 20663/2010, have ordered that the writ petitioners shall continue to carry on the rest of the self handling services barring the thirteen aspects mentioned in BCAS AVSEC Order No.03/2009 dated 21.8.2009.

Accordingly, BCAS has ordered that the AEPs issued to the airlines in this respect will be valid till the final judgment of the Hon'ble High Court.

2. Further, the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, in its order under ref. No. CM No.22244/2010 dated 31.12.2010 in the same matter, ordered that till 07.01.2011 status quo would be maintained in respect of works relating to the thirteen security functions to be carried out by airlines.

In compliance with these directions, the airlines security staff entrusted to perform these functions will continue to do so till 7<sup>th</sup> of January, 2011.

3. All concerned are directed to comply with the above directions in the light of the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi.

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