

On-line divestment of Temporary COCOs: Process and Non response.

We are pleased to give below ,detailing how to participate in the on-line Temp COCO divestment process and the consequence of non- response/non participation in the divestment process by LOI holders.

We had written to you to provide your Mobile Number (mandatory) and e-mail id (mandatory) and copy of any photo identification document issued by any Government Authority such as PAN card, Voter ID card, Aadhar Card, Driving License, Passport, etc for enabling you to access the web portal so that you can exercise your priority/choice on-line, for allotment of Temp Company Owned Company Operated (COCO) outlets in a transparent computerized on-line process.

The on-line Divestment process is explained below

- You will be able to exercise your choice for allotment of available Temp Company Owned Company Operated (COCO) outlets, on All India basis, on-line.
- List of Temp COCOs available for divestment on All India basis will be available on website<http://retail.bpc.co.in/divestment>.
- The list of eligible pending LOI holders/candidates will be available on the website <http://retail.bpc.co.in/divestment> and updated on the website prior to commencement of every divestment process.
- The commencement of divestment will be notified to you by SMS/email.

Priority/Seniority for allotment of Temporary COCOs

- i. All pending LOI holders under Corpus fund scheme like SC, ST, widows and unmarried women above 40 years of age without earning parents and Dealers of "A site" allotted dealership under SC/ST category who were unable to take possession of the Temporary COCO allotted to them or any other genuine grounds not attributable to the them shall be classified as Group 1.
- ii. Dealers of "A site"allotted dealership under SC/ST category whose RO site has been acquired by Government / Government agencies shall be classified as Group 2.
- iii. Seniority for allotment among the groups shall be assigned as under:-
In case of Group 1 candidates, seniority within the group shall be based on the following parameters:-
 - a) Date of Original LOI.
 - b) In case dates of LOI are identical then the date of interview will be the deciding factor i.e., in such cases the LOI holder whose interview date is earlier will get priority.
 - c) In case of dates of interview are also identical, then the percentage of marks scored by them will be the criteria, i.e. the person who has scored higher percentage will get priority.
 - d) In case % marks scored are also identical, a candidate with higher marks against the following parameters combined would get priority over other(s).
 1. Educational qualification
 2. Age
 - e) In case the marks scored against parameters in above are still equal, the candidate who is younger in Age would get priority.
- iv. Seniority within Group 2 candidates would be based on the date of acquisition of the RO site.

LOI holders/Candidates under Group 1 shall get priority for allotment of Temporary COCO as per their choice over Candidates under Group 2. Seniority of candidates under Group 2 will start after the list of Group 1 candidates.

The LOI holders need to exercise their choice from among the available Temporary COCOs by assigning priority. The pending LOI holders /candidate will have the option to give his/her choice by assigning priority for as many COCOs equal to his/her seniority number or the number of COCOs available for divestment, whichever is less.

Process for on-line divestment

- i. List of Temp COCOs available for divestment on All India basis and will be available for viewing and exercising preferences by the LOI holders/Dealers. Pending LOI holders/candidates are advised to note that the list Temporary COCOs includes Temp COCOs involving pending court cases, arbitration cases & appeal by terminated dealers and without valid lease / expired lease. Pending LOI holders/candidates shall keep these above aspects while exercising the choices/priorities of Temp COCOs.
- ii. We have already sent communication to all eligible Pending LOI holders/candidates seeking details of Mobile Number, e-mail ID and advising about the on-line process for allotment of Temporary COCOs. In case of Non-receipt of details, reminder was also sent for providing the details.
- iii. Seniority list of the LOI holders /candidates (who responded/ whose mobile no & e-mail ID available with Corporation) on all India basis the parameters given above shall be prepared and shall be available for viewing by the LOI holders/candidates.
- iv. Only the LOI holders/Dealers, who have responded to our communication and provided Mobile Number and e-mail ID shall be considered for allotment of Temporary COCOs.
- v. The pending LOI holders/Dealers who have not provided the mobile number and email IDs ,will be not be able to participate in the on-line allotment/divestment of Temporary COCOs and will be considered in-eligible.
- vi. Pending LOI holders/Candidates will be required to access web address <http://retail.bpc.co.in/divestment> , divestment portal, and register using your registered mobile number & email id.
- vii. Corporation shall not be responsible for failure to Register/Participate by the Pending LOI holders/candidates within the due date due to any technical reasons whatsoever and no request for extension of the time/date will be entertained.
- viii. At the start of divestment process , Corporation will send a communication by SMS /e-mail to the pending LOI holders/Candidates ,whose Mobile Number and e-mail ID are updated/available ,to exercise their choice of Temp COCO outlet for allotment.
- ix. On logging into the system, the LOI holders/ candidate will be able to view the All India list/details of temporary COCOs available for divestment, along with Seniority List of the LOI holders/candidates.
- x. Pending LOI holders/Candidates will have to exercise their choice from among the available Temporary COCOs by assigning priority. LOI holders/candidates indicate their choice of option in the order of preference (priority) against each of the Retail Outlets (COCOs) in the fields provided. Please note that the first choice of the Retail Outlet (COCO) should be indicated with "1", second choice as "2" and so on.

- xi. Candidate will have the option to give his/her choice within 21 days of intimation through SMS /e-mail by assigning priority for as many COCOs equal to his/her seniority number or the number of COCOs available for divestment, whichever is less.
- xii. Allotment of Temporary COCO will be done by the system as per choice exercised by the LOI holders/candidates and as per their Priority/LOI Seniority assigned as given above.
- xiii. The allotment of Temp COCOs involving pending court cases, arbitration cases & appeal by terminated dealers and without valid lease / expired lease are subject to LOI holders/Candidates' accepting the conditional offer made. The allotment of such Temp COCOs would be liable for cancellation, in the event of any adverse decision, with 30 days notice by the Corporation . LOI holder/candidate will not be entitled for any claim, damages, etc from Corporation.
- xiv. In addition, an Affidavit cum undertaking that LOI holders are ready to accept such COCOs and would abide by the outcome of the court case/arbitration/other issues will also be obtained from the concerned LOI holder/Dealer before issuance of LOI/LOA(Letter of Appointment).
- xv. The list of Temp COCOs allotted through system along with details of LOI holders/Dealers to whom Temp COCOs have been allotted will be available for viewing by the LOI holders/candidates upon allotment by system
- xvi. Additions/deletions to Seniority List of eligible Pending LOI/candidates & List of temporary COCOs available for divestment will be updated only at the beginning of each round of divestment process.
- xvii. In the event of the court verdict in the pending case going in favour of land lord / terminated dealer, etc., the allottee of the said temporary COCO would be treated as "Dealers of A site (Company Controlled Dealer Operated site i.e., cc site) allotted dealership under SC/ST category who were unable to take/maintain physical possession of the Temporary COCO allotted to them due to litigation or any other genuine grounds not attributable to the dealer" and would be considered for allotment of temporary COCO during the next round of allotment process

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You are requested note the below points carefully in your own interest.

1. The online COCO divestment process will be repeated in a cycle of approximately 3 months till 31.12.2019.
2. LOIs of balance LOI holders, LOI holders who are not Non-responding , those who could not be allotted basis choices/preferences of COCOs exercised by them and those who have declined to accept/take over Temp COCO on allotment in the divestment process, will stand cancelled after 31.12.2019.
3. It is re-iterated that the LOI holders 1)who have not given the mobile no and email IDs ,2) LOI holders who have not participated/responded i.e have failed to give choices/ preferences of Temp COCOs during divestment process and 3) who could not be allotted COCOs basis choices exercised by them during the divestment process,4) who have declined to accept/take over Temp COCO on allotment ,their LOI will stand cancelled after 31-12-2019.

You are requested to be guided by online divestment process above.