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To

Shri R K Upadhyay,  
Chairman & Managing Director,  
Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited,  
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan,  
New Delhi 110001.

**Sub: Provision of the concessional Broad Band connection at the residences of the below JAG level retired BSNL Employees.**

Ref: **(1) 2-06/2005-PHA(Pt) dated 27.06.2012**  
**(2) 2-06/2005-PHA dated 03.06.2011**  
**(3) 2-06/2005-PHA dated 24.09.2008**

Sir,

At the very outset, we express our sincere gratitude to BSNL Management for extending the above benefit to the below JAG level *retired* BSNL Employees which was earlier available only to the below JAG level *servicing* employees. This will certainly go a long way in encouraging the retired BSNL Employees to take broadband connection from BSNL – thus increasing the BSNL's customer base to a certain extent.

2 But we regret to say that the benefit has been extended only to the retired employees residing in BSNL area. The Order, as quoted at (1) above, does not have a mention about the below JAG level retired Employees residing in MTNL area. Whereas, the Orders for providing the broadband connection to the below JAG level *servicing* Employees, issued vide BSNL No. 2-06/2005-PHA dated 3.6.2011, allows the benefit to the employees residing in MTNL area also – though for a reduced rate of concession.

3 Thus, discrimination has been allowed between the retired BSNL employees residing in BSNL area and those in MTNL area. We believe that this was not the intention of the Management to divide the retired employees based on the location of their residence. Further, as per Para (b) of the Policy Decision circulated vide No. 2-6/2005-PHA dated 24.09.2008, the BSNL Management Committee itself had approved that *"The facility of concessional residential broadband connection, which was hitherto available to the employees residing in BSNL service area, shall also be allowed to BSNL employees residing in areas*

*other than the BSNL service area*". Therefore, the benefit of concessional broad band connection needs to be ordered also for the retired below JAG level employees residing in the MTNL service area – at least under the similar conditions as applicable to the serving employees.

4 We would, therefore, earnestly request you to kindly intervene in the matter immediately so that the retired below JAG level Officers residing in MTNL service area also gets the benefit as in the case of the serving employees residing in MTNL area and keeping in view of the Policy Decision in vogue as at Para (b) of BSNL Circular No. 2-6/2005-PHA dated 24.09.2008 for providing Broad band connection.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



(S Basu)  
General Secretary

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