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To  
Shri Anshu Prakash,  
Secretary (T),  
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New Delhi 110001

**Sub: Double punishment to a pensioner acquitted of charges by the Court due to undue delay in sanctioning his final superannuation pension and also by sudden stoppage of his 'provisional pension' – Case of Shri Shrikant B. Mohare, Retd Accounts Officer of Karnataka Circle, BSNL (PPO No. 562016081219964, HR Number 198008009).**

Sir,

We are constrained to bring to your kind notice the above case of a hapless pensioner who retired from service on 31.08.2016 but not allowed to receive his final superannuation pension, leave encashment, DCRG and Commuted Value of Pension since a case in a Court was pending against him and some other persons at the time of his retirement. However, he was then sanctioned 'provisional pension'.

2. Subsequently, he and other co-accused in the case were acquitted of their charges by the Court in the judgment that was delivered in October, 2018. Since then he was pursuing with the concerned authorities to sanction him his final superannuation pension and for release of other pensionary benefits which were withheld at the time of his retirement. Unfortunately, though over long two and half years have already passed since he was acquitted of the charges by the Court, his cases for payment of his final superannuation pension in full and release of other pensionary benefits which were withheld at the time of his retirement are still remain as unsettled.

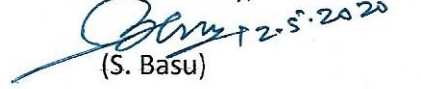
3. Sadly, his problem has now been compounded further with sudden stoppage of his provisional pension from the month of March, 2020 without assigning any reasons. In fact, he has not been paid even provisional pension for the months of March and April, 2020. This has caused a serious financial problem to this pensioner who has his 95-year-old father in the family to be looked after.

4. In view of above, we earnestly request you to kindly intervene in the matter and advise Controller of Communication Accounts, Karnataka and others concerned to immediately restore his provisional pension and pay the arrears of pension for last two months without

further delay till his case for grant of final superannuation pension is settled and release of other pensionary benefits ordered.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

 2.5.2020  
(S. Basu)

General Secretary

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