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To

Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad, Minister of Communications & IT, Law & Justice, Government of India, New Delhi 110001

Subject: Non-settlement of the case for removal of Anomaly in fixation of pension to DoT Employees absorbed in BSNL, who retired between 1.10.2000 and 31.7.2001

Ref: Minutes of the 24th Meeting of Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) circulated vide DOP&PW OM F.No 42/2/2014-P&PW(G) dated 24.02.2014

Sir,

We are constraint to seek for your kind and immediate intervention in an issue which still remains unsettled despite long 13 years wait. The above issue was last discussed in the 24th Meeting of Standing Committee of Voluntary Agencies (SCOVA) held on 05.02.2014 and circulated by Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare vide its OM F. No 42/2/2014-P&PW(G) dated 24.02.2014. The decisions taken in the meeting on ATR of 23rd Meeting circulated along with the said minutes in regard to the said item at serial No. 4 is also reproduced below for your kind ready reference:-

SNo	Issue raised in 23 rd SCOVA Meeting as	Gist of Decision taken in the 23 rd SCOVA meeting	Follow up Action and Decision taken in 24th SCOVA meeting
	per minutes		
4	ix) SI No 10 of ATR	D/o P&PW & D/o	D/o P&PW & D/o Telecomm.
	Anomaly in fixation of	Telecomm.	Jt. Secretary (Pension) informed
	pension to DoT	The representative of	that although a proposal in this
	Employees absorbed	D/o Telecomm.	respect was received from D/o
	in BSNL, who retired	Informed that the	Telecomm. on 22.10.2013, some
	between 1.10.2000	matter has been re-	clarifications requested were
	and 31.7.2001	examined by them a	received only on 03.02.2014. The
		fresh proposal will be	proposal of D/o Telecomm is
		sent to D/o P&PW for	under examination. Response of
		consideration before	D/o P&PW will be communicated

30.09.2013.		to Deptt. of Telecommunications
(Action:	D/o	at the earliest.
Telecommunications		(Action: D/o Telecommunications
& D/o P&P\	W)	& D/o P&PW)

- 2. Now, the Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare, as per the above recorded decision, examined the proposal received from Department of Telecommunications and thereafter had asked DOT (Pension Section) to supply some additional information on 28.02.2014 to examine the issue further. But it is regretted to inform you, sir, that the Department of Telecommunication has not supplied the requisite additional information to DOP&PW even though another three months are now already over. This is further delaying the settlement of this long pending case.
- 3. In view of the above, we shall earnestly appeal for your kind intervention in the matter so that Department of Telecommunication send the requisite information to Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare without any further delay and get the issue settled at the earliest.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(S Basu) General Secretary

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- Dr Jitendra Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (PP), New Delhi 110001.
- 2. Shri M F Farooqui, Secretary (T), Department of Telecommunication, New Delhi 110001.