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To  
Smt. Sujata Ray,  
Director (HR),  
Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited,  
New Delhi.

**Sub: Non-payment of medical allowance against claims for outdoor treatment under 'without voucher facility' to the retired employees for the financial year 2017-18.**

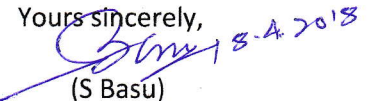
Madam,

BSNL had ordered restoration of the facility for medical claims without voucher for outdoor treatment to the retired BSNL employees vide No. BSNL/Admn.I/15-22/14 dated 11.04.2017 to mitigate their genuine hardships. But it has become a night mare for those who opted for this facility only because the field units of BSNL have not released the payment for the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarters at all, though the financial year is already over. Even many retired employees who opted for this facility are yet to get payment of earlier quarters also. **Since entire payments received under this facility is taxable and the financial year is already over, non-release of payment of all earlier quarters have put the concerned pensioners in a grim difficult situation.**

2. We may mention here that we had earlier represented to your kind self, vide our letter No. AIBSNLREA/CHQ/2018/14 dated 27.02.2018, bringing to your kind notice about the lukewarm response from the field units in clearing the payments. We also requested that all the BSNL Units be advised to immediately clear payment of earlier quarters and also ensure that the payment of subsequent quarters is not delayed. But nothing seems to have been done to avoid the present situation which has caused immense problems to the concerned retired employees.

3. Under the above background, *we earnestly request you to kindly intervene in the matter and advise all the BSNL Units to immediately clear payment of all earlier quarters for the financial year 2017-18.*

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,  
  
(S Basu)

General Secretary

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