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No. AIBSNLREA/CHQ/2014/24

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To

Shri Jitendra Singh, Minister of State for (PP), Lok Nayak Bhawan, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110003.

Subject: Non-settlement of the case for removal of anomaly in pension of absorbed BSNL pensioners who retired between 1.10.2000 and 31.07.2001 - a long wait of over 14 years for the affected pensioners seeking justice.

Ref: Item (ix) SI No. 9 of ATR under Para 7 of the Minutes of the 25th Meeting of SCOVA circulated vide F.No. 42/29/2014-P&PW(G) dated 25.09.2014 by DOP&PW

Sir,

We would like to draw your kind attention to our earlier representation vide our No. AIBSNLREA/CHQ/2014/22 dated 15.10.2014 on the above subject wherein we had solicited your kind personal intervention to get the above grievance resolved.

- 2. We had also pointed out that these pensioners, who retired between 1.1.2000 and 31.07.2001, had their pension fixed on the basis of average of last ten months pay which were drawn partly in CDA and partly in IDA pay scales. Since the CDA pay was less, the average of last ten months pay was also less for them. As a result, their resultant fixation of pension was also on lower side. Had their pay been only in IDA scale, the present problem would not have arisen at all. This, in fact, is a case relating to principle for fixation of pension. Therefore in order to remove their hardships, the principle for fixation of pension in this case needs to be relaxed.
- 3. We had further submitted that as all the earlier efforts to get the issue resolved failed, Department of Telecommunication finally sent a proposal to notionally convert the pay drawn prior to 01-10-2000 in the CDA pay into IDA pay and allow fixation of pension on the basis of average of last ten months pay. Currently, this proposal is under consideration of the DOP&PW.

- 4. Now in this connection, we would like to further submit that Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare had already resolved similar issues vide its OM No. 38/86/03-P&PW(A) dated 05.11.2008 and No. 45/86/97-P&PW(A) Part.I dated 18.10.1999 in the cases of the pensioners who retired from organized Accounts cadre following notional upgradation of their pay w.e.f. 1.1.1996 and the Central Government pensioners who retired between 1.1.1996 to 30.09.1996 and faced similar problem after implementation of 5th CPC recommendations respectively.
- 5. In view of the above, since DOP&PW had at least on two earlier occasions resolved similar anomaly by allowing notional pay, we earnestly appeal to you to kindly intervene personally in the matter so that the present case is also settled in the same line.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(S Basu) General Secretary

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