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To:-

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Secretary(T) & Chairman, Telecom. Commission,  
Sanchar Bhavan,  
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**SUB:- Programme of Protest by EX-DOT Retirees/ BSNL Pensioners to HIGHLIGHT the GROSS INJUSTICE & DISCRIMINATION by DoT/ Govt. of India due to NON-SETTLEMENT of their long pending grievances relating to (a) Fifty Percent IDA Merger amounting to 78.2% IDA as on 1/1/2007 granted to BSNL employees/ BSNL Pensioners vide DoT Memo no.61-01/2012-SU dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2013, (b) Extension of CGHS Facility to BSNL Pensioners drawing Pension under CCS Pension Rules 1972**

Respected Sir,

Simple issues of around 1.5 lacs Ex-DOT Retirees/ BSNL Pensioners like 50% IDA Merger amounting to 78.2% IDA as on 1/1/2007, as granted under DPE OMs with respect to second PRC, which have already been extended to all the BSNL Employees/ Pensioners w.e.f. 10/6/2013 vide DoT Memo no.61-01/2012-SU dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2013, are being denied to BSNL Pensioners, retiring between 1/10/2000 and 09/06/2013 even after two and half years of continued representations/ protests by the BSNL Pensioners. Even though DoT gave all positive assurances for its implementation under SCOVA Meetings headed by Hon'ble MOS(P&PW)..

1. The proposal to extend the benefit of 50% IDA merger to BSNL Pensioners, (retiring between 1/10/2000 and 9/6/2013), amounting to 78.2% IDA (as on 1/1/2007) was moved by DOT in January 2014 for approval from DOP/DPE/ Dept. of Expenditure. After several rounds of consultations / clarifications the proposal moved by DoT was approved vide DOE OM No. 582/EV/2014 dated 15/10/2014 with a caveat that DOT should seek Cabinet Approval as well for granting benefit of 50% IDA merger w.e.f. 1/1/2007 to all BSNL Pensioners retiring between 1/10/2000 and 09/06/2013 as granted to working Employees of BSNL vide DoT Memo no.61-01/2012-SU dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2013. **But the preparation and finalization of Cabinet Note is proving to be "BIRBAL KI KHICHDI", which is under cooking/ processing in DoT for around three years apparently with no intention to resolve the issue at an early date.**

**Is it justified to deny the benefit of 50% IDA merger to BSNL Pensioners, retiring between 1/10/2000 and 9/6/2013, while granting the same to a BSNL Pensioners retiring on or after 10/6/2013?**

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2. Similarly grant of CGHS Facility for BSNL Pensioners drawing Pension under CCS Pension Rules 1972 is being delayed for more than two and a half years over one pretext or the other, as can be seen from perusal of SCOVA meetings' agenda, conducted by Hon'ble MoS(P&PW) and the Agenda Items details / Minutes issued over this period.

Several letters have been written by our Association and also by GS, AIBSNLEA and other FORUMS/ organizations to expedite these issues with no concrete results coming out and no seriousness/ sensitivity shown by concerned functionaries to expedite their settlement.

The programme of agitation is as scheduled below to highlight our issues and initiate some momentum in DoT/ Govt. of India for their expeditious settlement:-

**(1) LUNCH HOUR DEMONSTRATION AT SANCHAR BHAVAN ON 06/04/2016**

**(2) DAY LONG DHARANA AND HUNGER STRIKE AT SANCHAR BHAVAN ON 19/04/2016.**

You are requested to kindly look into the matter FOR EARLY RESOLUTION OF BOTH THESE ISSUES. Several representations have already been submitted to your office earlier and need to be expedited.

*K Singh*  
18/3/2016  
(Kishan Singh)  
General Secretary