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REMINDER

No. AIBSNLEA/CHQ/CMD/2020

Dated 4th May' 2021

To

Shri P.K. Purwar,
CMD, BSNL,
New Delhi -110 001

Subject: Request for extension of Compensation to the bereaved family members of the BSNL employees, who expired due to Covid-19 and Special Insurance Coverage for the BSNL employees who are maintaining essential Telecom Services throughout India against COVID-19 – Reg.

Ref: 1) Our earlier Lr.No. AIBSNLEA/CHQ/CMD/2020 Dated 14.04.2020
2) Our earlier Lr.No. AIBSNLEA/CHQ/CMD/2020 Dated 23.08.2020

Respected Sir,

Kindly refer to the above cited letters under reference, wherein we have requested to extend Compensation/Financial Assistance to the bereaved family members of the BSNL employees, who expired due to Covid-19 and Special Insurance Coverage to the tune of Rs.50 Lakh to the BSNL Executives and Non- Executives actively engaged in the day-to-day maintenance of Telecom Net Work, Customer Service Centers and Accounts Personnel attending Office to complete the targeted work during this Covid-19 period.

Time and again it was brought to the kind attention of CMD, BSNL by AIBSNLEA in various meetings for the past one year for consideration of the same in the background of break out of COVID-19, and some of our Colleagues in the Technical Wing are working as front liners to maintain essential Communication Core Net Work throughout India and Accounts Personnel attending office every day to complete the targeted work during this Covid-19 period were affected by Covid-19 and declared positive **and more than 300 BSNL Executives and non-Executives were expired due to Covid-19.**

During the discussion with CMD, BSNL, it was assured by the CMD that the death cases will be referred to DoT and BSNL Management will try to get Compensation/Financial Support from DoT, since due to heavy financial crunch in BSNL, BSNL Management is not in a position to extend the Special Insurance Coverage.

But we are constrained to bring to your kind notice that till date BSNL Management has not decided for the extension of Compensation/Financial Assistance to the bereaved family members of the BSNL employees, who expired due to Covid-19, even though the death rate of BSNL Employees due to Covid-19 is increasing manifold. The Management cannot shirk its responsibility of extending Financial Assistance to the bereaved family members of the employees, who have laid down their lives in the Service of the Company and should not be the mute spectator.

In this scenario, as a responsible Association, we on behalf of AIBNLEA, once again fervently appeal to you Sir, to kindly consider the proposal of AIBSNLEA for the extension of Compensation/Financial Assistance of Rs.10 Lakh to the bereaved family members of the BSNL employees, who expired due to Covid-19 and Special Insurance Coverage to the tune of Rs.50 Lakh to the BSNL Employees on Humanitarian grounds. Sir, this will certainly boost the morale of the front line Executives and Non-Executives and on the part of the BSNL Management it will reflect the pro-worker attitude.

Sir, We would, therefore, request your good self to kindly consider the above proposal on Humanitarian grounds and save the BSNL employees and their family members from the life threat.

With kind regards,

Yours Sincerely



**(S.Sivakumar)
General Secretary**

Copy for kind information and necessary action to:

- 1. Shri Anshu Prakash Chairman DCC & Secretary(T), DoT, , New Delhi-110001**
- 2. Shri Arvind Vadnerkar, Director (HR), BSNL Board New Delhi- 110001.**
- 3. Ms. Yojana Das, Director (Finance), BSNL Board, New Delhi-110001.**
- 4. Ms.Anita Johri, Sr. GM (SR), BSNL CO, New Delhi- 110001.**
- 5. Shri. A.M. Gupta, Sr. GM (Admin), BSNL CO, New Delhi- 110001.**