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To,

**Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad,**  
Hon'ble Minister of Communication & IT,  
Govt. of India,  
**New Delhi 110001**

**Subject: Request for Public Works Organization (PWO) status for BSNL Civil Wing to undertake deposit works in Govt. Organizations as well as Public Sector Undertakings – regarding.**

**Hon'ble Sir,**

BSNL is having a full fledge Civil Wing Organization supported with Architectural and Electrical Wings carrying out various constructions and maintenance works of the buildings. The class-I officers of Civil, Electrical and Architectural Wings are recruited through UPSC since 1963 and are capable to execute the works like CPWD, Railways and MES officers.

At present, the BSNL Civil Wing is carrying the works on consultation/ deposit basis in various organizations in the country.

BSNL Civil Wing is not having the status of Public Works Organization (PWO) under the GFR, 2005 under Rule 126(2). As a result, it is not able to compete for the Government works. The organizations like CPWD, MES, Railways NBCC etc. are having PWO status and thus they are getting large number of works from various Central Govt. Departments / Autonomous Organizations/PSUs etc.

We therefore, request your good office to press upon Ministry of Urban Development, Govt. of India to accord "PWO" status to the Civil Wing of BSNL. With this, we will be able to bid for Government tenders and thereby make effective utilization of qualified and experienced human resources available in BSNL for nation building.

With profound regards,

Yours Sincerely

**Sd/-  
(Prahlad Rai)  
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