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To

Shri Anupam Shrivastava,
CMD BSNL,
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan,
Janpath, New Delhi – 110 001

Sir,

Sub: - **Taking over of BSNL buildings and office spaces by the DoT - req.**

We wish to bring the following to your kind notice, for favour of necessary action.

The unions and associations have already drawn your kind attention on a number of occasions, to the above subject. Still, our Union continues to receive complaints that in many circles the DoT is pressurising to handover BSNL buildings and office spaces.

In the meeting held on 24.05.2018, with the All Unions and Associations of BSNL, we drew your kind attention that the entire building at Prasad Nagar, New Delhi, has been taken over by the DoT. In Himachal Pradesh also, the DoT officers are coercing the BSNL administration to hand over more office space, even though sufficient space has already been given to them. To exert pressure, the CCA of Himachal Pradesh is still refusing to take over the GPF payment of BSNL employees.

The Non- Executives and Executives of BSNL are worried that BSNL buildings and office spaces located in prime locations are being taken over by the DoT, one after another.

In this connection, we wish to draw your kind attention that vide DTS office memorandum no.2-31/2000-Restg. dated 30.09.2000, the government has informed that the assets and liabilities of the then Department of Telecom Services and Department of Telecom Operations are transferred to BSNL. However, it is a worrisome matter that this order is being repeatedly violated and BSNL buildings and office spaces are being forcibly taken over by the DoT.

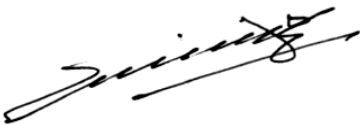
We also wish to bring to your kind notice that, BSNL offices are still functioning in rented buildings in many places, resulting in payment of huge amount as rent. Further, the services of BSNL are ever expanding, due to which the Company needs more and more buildings and office spaces. Under these circumstances, the taking over of BSNL office buildings by the DoT, and office spaces is most unjustified.

We also wish to state that the employees are agitated over the DoT forcibly taking over BSNL buildings. Under these circumstances, we request you to kindly intervene in this matter and to do the needful.

We also request that the assets and liabilities, handed over to BSNL, by the government, may kindly be transferred to BSNL's name without further delay.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,



[P.Abhimanyu]
General Secretary

Copy to: - Ms. Aruna Sundararajan, Secretary, Telecom, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001