# BSNL EMPLOYEES UNION

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To

All Circle Secretaries, Central office-bearers & District Secretaries.

Comrades,

# United struggles to settle wage revision and to stop the subsidiary tower company.

For the past few months, the CHQ has been continuously trying to forge united struggles for the settlement of wage revision w.e.f. 01.01.2017. A very powerful one day strike was also organised on this issue, on 27.07.2017, by the unions and associations. After the approval given by the Union Cabinet to form BSNL's subsidiary tower company, our efforts to bring all the unions and associations under a single platform intensified. As a result of these efforts a meeting of all the unions and associations took place on 26.09.2017. Detailed discussions took place. However, a final decision was not reached. Again one more meeting took place on 04.10.2017, attended by all the major unions and associations. After threadbare discussions, all the unions and associations agreed to conduct struggles under a single banner, viz., "All Unions and Associations of BSNL". It was also decided to take up two important issues, viz., wage revision from 01.01.2017 and stopping of the subsidiary tower company.

The following shall be the demands for the united struggles:-

## (1) 3<sup>rd</sup> Pay Revision.

- (a) Settle 3<sup>rd</sup> Pay Revision to BSNL employees from 01.01.2017, with 15% fitment benefit and revision of all allowances.
- (b) Settlement of left out issues of the 2nd PRC.

#### (2) Subsidiary Tower Company issue.

The entire unions and associations of BSNL are opposed to the formation of the subsidiary tower company, since it will lead to strategic sale, and induction of strategic partner in the subsidiary tower company, which will ultimately destroy BSNL. Hence, the Cabinet decision for the formation of a subsidiary tower company should be dropped.

To achieve the above mentioned demands, it has been unanimously decided to conduct the following agitational programme. All circle and district secretaries of BSNLEU are requested to coordinate with all other unions and associations, for the successful implementation of the agitational programme. Being the biggest union in BSNL, BSNLEU is having the duty and responsibility to safeguard and strengthen the unity that has been forged now. Hence, all the circle and district secretaries are requested to bear this in mind and to give utmost importance for strengthening the unity of all the unions and associations.

## Agitational programme.

- a) Demonstration at Corporate Office, Circles and SSAs on 16-10-2017.
- b) Human Chain at Corporate Office, Circles and SSAs on 16-11-2017.
- c) Two day strike on 12th and 13th December, 2017.
- **d)** Indefinite Strike will be organised thereafter, if the issues are not amicably settled. The date of the indefinite strike will be announced in due course.

All circle and district secretaries are requested to implement the agitational programme with the widest mobilisation.

Thanking you,

Yours fraternally,

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General Secretary