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BSNLEU/ 308 (CHENNAI)

To,

Ms. Anita Johri,
PGM (SR), BSNL CO.,
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan,
H.C. Mathur Lane,
Janpath, New Delhi – 110 001

Sub: - Granting recognition to BSNLEU district unions functioning at the OA level - non-implementation of the Corporate Office instruction by the Chennai circle administration –BSNLEU circle union organising agitational programmes – requesting for your kind intervention – req.

Madam,

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

BSNLEU took up the issue with the PGM(SR), BSNL CO., complaining that the district unions of BSNLEU, functioning in Chennai circle, have not been granted recognition and facilities of trade union. Thereafter, on 07.05.2024, the Corporate Office issued instruction stating that, BSNLEU is entitled for facilities of recognition at the All India / Circle / BA / OA levels.

However, it is a matter of serious concern that the Chennai Telephones circle administration has so far not implemented the instruction of the Corporate Office with regards to granting recognition and trade union facilities to our district unions functioning at the OA level.

Instead, the DGM(HR), Chennai, has issued a 'wishy-washy' letter to the circle secretary, BSNLEU, on 21.09.2024, stating the following:-

"In accordance with the BSNL CO letter no.BSNL/5-1/2022/SR dated 17.10.2022, trade union facilities is granted at OA level also in Chennai TD."

But, this letter has not mentioned as to which are the district unions of BSNLEU, for which trade union facilities are granted. We are at loss to understand, what problem the Chennai Telephones circle administration is having, in issuing a more specific letter, mentioning the names of the district unions for which facilities of recognition are granted.

The prolonged discussions held by our circle union with the circle administration has not yielded any result. Hence, left with no other option, the circle union of BSNLEU, Chennai Telephones circle, has launched agitational programmes, for the implementation of the instruction of the Corporate Office, regarding granting recognition to the district unions functioning at the OA level. As a part of this, demonstration is organised at the CGM Office, Chennai. Non-settlement of the issue will lead to unwarranted labour unrest in Chennai Telephones circle.

In view of this, we request you to kindly intervene in the matter and to ensure an amicable settlement of the issue.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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