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To: All Central office bearers &
Circle Secretaries.

Make massive preparations for the General Strike.

Comrades,

The All India Centre meeting held today, reviewed the preparations made so far, for organising the General Strike to be held on 08th January, 2020. Circle Executive Committee meetings, addressed by the CHQ office bearers, are already conducted in all the circles. The decisions of the Ghaziabad CEC meeting, on the General Strike, are reported in those meetings. Strike notice is already issued by the CHQ on 16.12.2019, for organising the strike from 06:00 am on 08.01.2020 to 06:00 am on 09.01.2020, and copies are already sent to all the CEC members. In addition to the demands of the Central Trade Unions, the demands of BSNLEU are also contained in the strike notice. CHQ has already printed posters in English and Hindi and despatched to all the circles. Circle Unions are also requested to print posters in regional languages. Matter for printing pamphlets is already prepared by the CHQ and sent to the circles. Translating this matter, pamphlets should be printed in the regional languages. Circle and district unions should ensure that, this pamphlet reaches each and every employee. The All India Centre meeting has taken the following decisions, to gear up the last leg of the preparations.

- (1) **Lunch hour demonstrations and gate meetings on 27.12.2019:** - Lunch hour demonstrations and gate meetings should be organised in all places on 27.12.2019. This programme should be effectively utilised to expose the anti-worker and pro-corporate policies of the government, and to enthuse the workers for participating in the strike.
- (2) **"Meet the workers programme" from 30.12.2019 to 06.01.2020:** - "Meet the workers programme" should be organised from 30.12.2019 to 06.01.2020. During this period, each and every employee should be met and pamphlets should be distributed. Utilising this programme, effective campaigning should be done among the employees, to ensure their participation in the strike. Group meetings should be conducted in small places / offices during this period to organise the strike.
- (3) **Rallies / human chains on 07.01.2020:** - Rallies / human chains should be organised in all places on 07.01.2020. Maximum number of employees should be mobilised in this programme. Placards against the policies of the government and explaining the demands, should be displayed to attract the attention of the general public.
- (4) **Hold rallies and demonstrations on 08.01.2020:** - On the day of the strike, our comrades should participate in the rallies, wherever the same is organised by the Central Trade Unions. In all other places, effective demonstrations should be organised, with maximum participation by the employees.
- (5) **Send strike reports to the CHQ promptly:** - Immediately after the strike, a detailed report on the strike should be sent by all the circle secretaries to the CHQ. This report should contain details of all the preparations made to organise the General Strike. Details of the number of meetings conducted, notices printed and posters displayed, etc., should also be there in the report.
- (6) **Next CEC and BSNL WWCC meetings:** - As per the decision already taken, the next CEC meeting is to be held in March, 2020. Gujarat circle union has informed that the CEC meeting would be held at Vadodara (Baroda). The All India Centre meeting held today, decided that the CEC meeting shall be held on 06th & 07th March, 2020. Together with this, the BSNL Working Women's Coordination Committee meeting will be organised on 05th March, 2020. All circle secretaries and central office bearers are requested to book their tickets immediately.
- (7) **Membership details to be sent to the CHQ :** - CHQ has already requested the circle unions to furnish the membership of various unions in their circle, after implementation of the VRS. So far, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Maharashtra circles have furnished the details. The remaining circles are also requested to send the details immediately.

Thanking you,

Yours fraternally,


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