The following members of AIBSNLEA/CTD retired due to superannuation on 31.05.2019:

1.Com. Asoke Kr.Das, SDE/ALP- Member of South Branch.

2.Com. Provat Das, PA to DGM/CRM-II/CTD -Member of TB-Hare St. Branch.

We wish both the Comrades happy, healthy, peaceful & active life after retirement.

31-05-2019

Today AUAB leadership met Sr.GM(HR&Admin) as per decision taken in yesterday's meeting to convey our resentment of marking NC1,NC2 & NC3 in the Biometric attendance record. We conveyed that due to introduction of Biometric & with the active co-operation of AUAB the attendance & work culture has been improved very much in CTD. Further over activeness on the part of administration will tell upon the motivation of the staff. We further demanded that before introducing any amendment in the system 100% staff & 100% work place should be covered by Biometric & a discussion with AUAB is to be convened. The present system of sending absentee statement should be in vogue. Administration appreciated our view & consented to revoke marking NC1,NC2 & NC3 in the Biometric attendance record immediately. Further discussion over JCL wages payment was taken place but no definite information is received. We requested GM to pursue for early payment & no deduction of wages during agitation period of the JCL.

On behalf of AIBSNLEA/CTD CP & CS were present and DGM(HR & Admin) was also present in the meeting.

28-05-2019

Meeting with CMD BSNL: GS, President met CMD BSNL and discussed regarding

- (a) DE to DGM Promotion: We requested CMD BSNL to approve the recasted final Seniority list of DEs and early issuance of DE to DGM (T) Promotion orders on Ad-hoc basis. CMD BSNL assured to discuss the matter with PGM (Pers.) for early issuance of the promotion orders.
- (b) Utilization of 50% MT quota CAO posts to the seniority quota: We requested CMD, BSNL to consider the utilization of 50% MT Internal quota of CAO posts numbering 336 posts to the seniority quota on Ad-hoc basis in the next Management Committee meeting of BSNL Board. CMD assured to look in to the matter.
- (c) Change of Reporting Structure of E.Z.N.C. from West Bengal Telecom Circle to Kolkata TD: We requested CMD to cancel or kept in abeyance the orders of reporting structure of East Zone Nodal Centre from West Bengal Telecom circle to Kolkata Telephones District since more than 125 Executives working in the East Zone Nodal Centre under West Bengal Telecom Circle are drastically affected and no options have been called for. After detailed discussion CMD assured to look in to the matter.

Meeting with PGM (Pers), BSNL CO & DGM(Pers.J.M): GS, President met PGM (Pers.) and & DGM(Pers.J.M) and discussed regarding

- (a) DE to DGM promotion: We requested to expedite CPC from DE to DGM promotion to fill up all the vacant DGM (T) posts. PGM (Pers.) informed that as per the direction given by Hon'ble CAT Chandigarh seniority list of DEs have been prepared and submitted to the Competent Authority for approval. After receiving the approval only, the CPC will be expedited. We further requested for early action in this regard.
- (b) CPC from CAO to DGM (Fin): We requested to fill up 26 vacant DGM(F) post by getting relaxation in the eligibility criteria from the Management Committee. PGM(Pers.) assured to process the case for relaxation in eligibility criteria to the Management Committee shortly.

- (c) Utilization of 50% MT (internal) of CAO post quota to the seniority quota: We requested PGM(Pers.) to include the proposal of the utilization of 50% MT Internal quota of CAO posts numbering 336 posts to the seniority quota on Ad-hoc basis in the Agenda of the next Management Committee meeting of BSNL Board. PGM (Pers.) mentioned that the proposal is being prepared and submitted to the competent ant Authority for approval shortly.
- (d) Allowing option in pay fixation to JAOs who came through 10% LICE quota: We requested the PGM (Pers.) to allow exercising the option in the pay fixation for JAO 2010 Batch 10% quota LICE candidates from the date of promotion as already given to JAOs of 40% of LICE quota 2010 batch. PGM (Pers.) assured to look in to the matter.
- (e) Consideration of Request /Modification/Cancellation of transfer orders in the cadre of DGM/DE/SDE/AO: We requested PGM (Pers.) to consider the Request /Modification/Cancellation of transfer orders in the cadre of DGM/DE/SDE/AO under genuine Medical grounds/Immunity grounds. PGM(Pers.) assured to consider the cases.

GS writes to The PGM (Pers.) BSNL Corporate office regarding

Request for transfer / posting / cancellation / retention in the cadre of Accountant Personal <<< click here for letter >>>

23-05-2019

Meeting with PGM (Pers): GS, President and AGS (Fin) met PGM (Pers) and discussed regarding

(a) CPC from DE to DGM (Engg.): We requested to expedite CPC from DE to DGM on Adhoc basis. PGM (Pers) mentioned that as per the Hon'ble CAT Chandigarh direction, the Seniority list of DEs has been finalized and being submitted to the Competent Authority for approval. He assured that as soon as the DE seniority list is approved the CPC will be expedited.

- (b) CPC from CAO to DGM (Fin): We requested to fill up 26 vacant DGM (F) post by getting relaxation in the eligibility criteria from the Management Committee. PGM (Pers) mentioned that the proposal for the relaxation in eligibility criteria a MC note is being prepared to include in the Management Committee Meeting agenda.
- (c) Diversion / utilization of 50% MT (internal) of CAO post quota to the seniority quota: We requested to get included in the next BSNL Board being held on 27th May to discuss and decision on the Diversion /utilization of 50% MT Internal CAO post quota (336 CAO Posts) to the Seniority quota. PGM (Pers.) mentioned that efforts are being made to get included in the agenda of the BSNL Board
- (d) Regularization of the date of Promotion of AGMs/DEs as 29.6.2018: We requested for the regularization of the date of Promotion of AGMs/DEs as 29.6.2018 irrespective of their date of joining duty and extension of subsequent benefits if any with respect to the date of Promotion on 29.6.2018 pursuant to the instructions contained in AGM (Pers.I) BSNL CO, New Delhi Letter dated 4.7.2018, 5.7.2018 & 6.7.2018. In this regard we informed that AIBSNLEA has written a letter to the GM (Pers) on 03.10.2018 along with the Clarification sought by the CGM Kerala Circle on 27.7.2018 but till date no clarification was issued by the Pers. Branch of the BSNL Corporate Office to Kerala Circle or other Circles. After detailed discussion PGM (Pers) assured to issue the clarification shortly.

Meeting with DGM (Pers-SM): GS, President met DGM (Pers-SM) and discussed regarding CPC from DE to DGM(Engg.). we requeted to expedite CPC from DE to DGM on Adhoc basis. DGM(Pers-SM) mentioned that as per the Hon'ble CAT Chandigarh direction, the seniority list of Desis being finalized and being submitted to the competent authority for approval shortly. He assured that as soon as the DE seniority list finalized the CPC process will be completed.

Meeting with DGM (Estt): GS, President met DGM (Estt) as per advice of the Sr.GM(Estt.) and discussed regarding

Extension of FR 22(1) (a) (i) benefits to the Ex. Officiating JTOs w.e.from 1.1..2007: We requested DGM (Estt) to generalize the BSNL CO order dated 15.11.2018 regarding the fixation of Pay under FR-22 (1) (a) (i) with effect from 1.1.2007 to the officials, who were screening test passed & were officiating in the grade of JTO, to all Circles instead of limiting to some Circles alone and we also requested to withdraw the wrong Fixation order dated 22.12.2015.. After detailed discussion DGM (Estt) assured to relook into the matter based on our discussions.

22-05-2019

Meeting with Sr.GM (Estt): GS, President met Sr.GM (Estt) on 17.05.2019 and discussed regarding

- a) Cancellation of GTI Nominations erroneously given and requested for Refund: We requested for Cancellation of GTI Nominations erroneously given by the Executives in various Circles while opening of ESS Portal and refund of the wrongly deducted amount in March 2019 Salary on the basis of the list of Executives of various Circles furnished by AIBSNLEA and Various Circles. Sr.GM (Estt) confirmed that a Committee headed by Sr.GM(Estt.) & Members as GM(SR), GM(CA) and GM (Trg.) along with association representatives has been constituted to discuss the matter in consultation with LIC authorities to get refund the GTI payment wrongly paid by some executives. We requested to convene the meeting at the earliest to resolve the issue. Sr.GM(Estt.) assured an early action in this regard.
- b) Extension of FR 22(1) (a) (i) benefits to the Ex. Officiating JTOs w.e.from 1.1..2007: We requested Sr.GM (Estt) to generalize the BSNL CO order dated 15.11.2018 regarding the fixation of Pay under FR-22 (1) (a) (i) with effect from 1.1.2007 to the officials, who were screening test passed & were officiating in the grade of JTO, to all Circles instead of limiting to some Circles alone and we also requested to withdraw the wrong Fixation

order dated 22.12.2015. Sr.GM (Estt) further assured to discuss the matter with the concerned DGM(Estt) for early settlement and advice us to explain the matter in detail to concern DGM(Estt.).

15-05-2019

Meeting with PGM (Pers), BSNL CO:

GS president met PGM (Pers) discussed regarding

- (a) DE to DGM promotion: We requested to expedite CPC from DE to DGM promotion to fill up all the vacant DGM(T) posts. PGM (Pers) informed that as per the direction given by Hon'ble CAT Chandigarh seniority list of TES Group 'B' officers and DEs have been prepared and submitted to the competent authority for approval. After receiving the approval only the CPC will be expedited. We further requested for early action in this regard.
- (b) CPC from CAO to DGM (Fin): We requested to fill up 26 vacant DGM(F) post by getting relaxation in the eligibility criteria from the Management Committee . PGM(Pers) assured to process the case for relaxation in eligibility criteria to the Management Committee shortly .
- (c) Diversion / utilization of 50% MT (internal) of CAO post quota to the seniority quota: We requested to get included in the next BSNL Board being held on 27th may to discuss and decision on the Diversion /utilization of 50% MT (internal) of CAO post quota to the seniority quota. PGM (Pers.) mentioned that efforts are being made to get included in the agenda of the BSNL Board.
- (d) Allowing option in pay fixation to JAOs who came through 10% LICE quota: We requested the PGM (Pers) to allow exercising the option in the pay fixation from JAO promotion in the year 2010 against the 10% quota LICE from the date of promotion as already given to JAOs of 40% of LICE quota 2010 batch. PGM (Pers) assured to take action after examining the case.

GS writes to

- 1. Shri Anupam Shrivastava CMD BSNL regarding
- (a) Merger of SSAs into Business Area <<< Click here for letter>>>>
- (b) Change of Reporting of East Zone Nodal Centre from West Bengal Telecom Circle to Kolkata Telecom District. ««Click here for letter»»
- (c) Utilization of 50% MT Internal Quota Posts in Accounts Wing to the Seniority Quota Posts of CAOs for giving promotions on Adhoc basis in view of acute stagnation in the Cadre of Accounts Officers our submissions regarding <<< Click here for letter>>>

15-05-2019

AUAB leadership CTD met yesterday 14 05 2019. CS and CP attended on behalf of AIBSNLEA. The present stalemate about JCL payment was discussed thoroughly. It was decided that AUAB CTD will write a letter to the CTD management to resolve this issue at the earliest.

Further it was decided that the JCL should not be unruly and resort to any untoward behaviour to the executives and start to restore normalcy in day to day work. Any deviation on their part may attract suitable procedure. AUAB will not take any responsibility in this regard.

15-05-2019

CS and CP met Sr.GM(Fin) on 14 05 2019 and discussed about JAO 2010 batch recovery & convinced GM that there is no recovery order in BSNL CO. GM appreciated our view and assured that clarification will be sought from HQ. We also discussed about some transfer and posting.

11-05-2019

Branch meeting of AIBSNLEA/South Branch held today at Kalighat Exchange. The meeting was presided over by Com. Soumen Mukherjee BP

& Com.Nirupam Dutta BS placed the agenda for discussion. A very healthy and fruitful discussion took place. All the members resolved to give full effort to make the 6th AIC successful and pledged to uphold the philosophy of AIBSNLEA.

CS and other OBs attended the meeting. CS explained the present position of BSNL and ask the members to forge the unity at this crucial juncture to fight out the sinister move of the management and called for dedicated subscriber to the BSNL customers as far as practicable. He also admitted the valiant role of the South Branch members in every aspect.

09-05-2019

An Executive committee meeting of AIBSNLEA/South Branch will be held in Kalighat Telephone Exchange on 11th May (Saturday) 2019 at 2.30pm. Circle Secretary will be present in the meeting.

09-05-2019

Meeting with Advisor (Finance)DOT: GS, President met Advisor(Finance)DOT and discussed regarding

(a) Denial of First time bound promotion on 5 years under EPP by Pr CCA Kolkatta -reduction of Pension and Pensionary benefits:- GS, President met Advisor(Finance) DOT and discussed regarding denial of first time bound promotion on completion of 5 years service under EPP by Pr CCA Kolkatta -reduction of pension and pensionary benefits. We further requested Advisor(Fin)DOT for his kind intervention to direct Pr CCA Kolkatta for the true implementation of EPP provisions to avoid reduction of pension and pensionary benefits. Advisor (Finance) mentioned that he will forward the case to Jt. CGCA, DOT, NICF campus, Gitorni, New Delhi to look into the matter and to issue clarification to Pr CCA Kolkatta to settle the cases. He assured an early action in this regard.

(b) CGHS facility to BSNL Pensioners: We requested to Advisor (Finance)DOT to give clearance to DOT Estt. Cell draft proposal to reply the

letter of ADG(HQ) Ministry of Health and Family welfare ,DG of Central Govt. Health Scheme (CGHS-III) dated 12/04/2019 address to all the Additional Directors ,CGHS regarding extension of CGHS facilities to the retired BSNL employees - CGHS Cards issue wherein it has been directed to take CGHS Contributions from BSNL Pensioners as per 7th CPC in consultation with DOT. The CCAS has to mention in PPOs of BSNL Pensioners that "Equivalent CDA Pay scales with Grade Pay" and "Range of Pay in CDA Scale not inclusive Pay "corresponding to 7thCPC. DDG (Estt.) DOT has processed the draft on mapping of 2nd PRC Pay scale with Grade Pay of 7th CPC for the purpose of payment of CGHS contributions of BSNL retirees.On the clearance of DOT internal finance of DOT the mapping of pay scales will be intimated to Ministry of Health for the Payment of CGHS Contributions of BSNL Pensioners. In some states the state CGHS authorities are not issuing CGHS Card to BSNL pensioners on this account. It is expected to get resolve the issue within this month itself.

GS, President also met Director (Estt.) DOT and under Secy(Estt.), DOT and confirmed the status of the case and they also confirmed that the proposal of mapping of scales has been sent to DOT internal finance for vetting/clearance for further communication to Ministry of Health.

08-05-2019

Meeting with CMD, BSNL: GS, President & AGS (F) met CMD BSNL and discussed regarding

- (a) DE to DGM Promotion: We requested CMD, BSNL to allow to conduct CPC from DE to DGM (T) promotion on Adhoc basis and to recast the final Seniority list of SDEs/DEs. CMD BSNL assured to discuss the matter with PGM (Pers) for early issuance of the promotion orders.
- (b) Diversion of 50% MT quota CAO posts to the seniority quota: We requested CMD to consider diversion of 50% MT Internal quota of CAO posts numbering 336 posts to the seniority quota in the BSNL Board meeting scheduled to be held on 27th May, 2019. CMD assured to look in to the matter.

- (c) HR Integration: We requested CMD that the HR integration already ordered in BSNL Corporate Office, New Delhi vide the BSNL CO Lr.No 500-53/2016/ERP/Per-I dated 24th January on the basis of the recommendation of BSNL Management Committee should be continued as per KPMG Recommendations. CMD mentioned that the matter is under consideration and will be discussed in the Management Committee of the BSNL Board today to re-examine the present system.
- (d) Merger of Circles: We enquired about the rumors in Social Media that BSNL Board has decided to merge nearby Territorial Circles to save the establishment cost. CMD BSNL mentioned that so for no such decision has been taken to merge the Territorial Circles but merger of Non-Recruiting Circles and the Circles in the same State may be considered in future.
- (e) Revival of BSNL: We enquired about the Govt. view on revival of BSNL as proposed by DoT. CMD BSNL mentioned that now due to paucity of time the next Govt. may only take the call on this issue. However, he has suggested DoT to bring VRS in BSNL by offering 3rd PRC implementation which may attract more number of employees.

week itself.

(a) DE to DGM Promotion: We requested PGM (Pers) to expedite the CPC from DE to DGM (T) promotion on Adhoc basis and to recast the final Seniority list of SDEs/DEs. PGM (Pers) mentioned that the proposal to reinitiate the CPC from DE to DGM has been sent to the Competent Authority for approval after taking the Legal Opinion on pending Court Cases/Judgements from CGM (Legal) BSNL CO on SDEs/DEs Seniority List. He further mentioned that after the approval of the Competent Authority on SDEs/DEs Seniority the CPC will be expedited to issue promotion orders from DE to DGM Adhoc. PGM (Pers) opined that in case everything goes

smooth the Promotion order from DE to DGM may be issued in the next

Meeting with PGM (Pers) CO, BSNL: GS, President & AGS (F) met PGM

(b) Diversion of 50% MT quota CAO posts to the seniority quota: We requested PGM (Pers) to consider diversion of 50% MT Internal quota of CAO posts numbering 336 posts to the seniority quota in the BSNL Board meeting scheduled to be held on 27th May, 2019. PGM (Pers) assured to resubmit the proposal in the next BSNL Board Meeting.

08-05-2019

Meeting with DIR (CM/EB/Finance) BSNL Board: GS, President & AGS (Finance) met with DIR(CM/EB/Finance) BSNL Board and discussed regarding the HR Integration in BSNL Corporate Office. We requested them to allow the present system of HR Integration in BSNL Corporate Office as per the KPMG Recommendations. They assured to look in to the matter when it comes under the discussions in Management Committee.

Revival of BSNL/MTNL

On the issue of Revival of BSNL GS and President met the concerned Senior Officers of DoT and discussed regarding the DoT proposal for Revival of BSNL to be approved by the Union Cabinet. It is learnt that the proposal on Revival of BSNL/MTNL as directed by PMO was taken up with the Ministry of Finance, wherein MOF has advised DoT to reexamine the proposal and to submit to the next Government for consideration. It is understood that the Govt./DoT is now of the opinion that since the BSNL/MTNL Employees are covered with the Govt. Pension under Rule-37 A provisions then no ex-gratia/incentive can be offered to the Employees on the pretext of VRS. For example MTNL Employees were given VRS twice when they were not paid Govt. Pension under Rule-37 A. Thus Govt. is not considering financial support to BSNL/MTNL for VRS. Regarding monetization of BSNL/MTNL Assets it is to be decided that whether DEEPAM or DoT will do the Mutation process. Allocation of 4G spectrum to BSNL/MTNL will also be considered by the next Govt. only

Meeting with Advisor (Finance), DoT: GS & President met Advisor (Finance), DoT Shri Dilip Pathey and greeted him on assuming the high office of Advisor (Finance), DoT. The following issues were discussed

- a) Denial of First Time Bound Promotion causing reduction of Pension and Pensionary benefits in respect of retired BSNL Executives of Kolkata Telephones by the Office of CCA, Kolkata: We expressed our serious concern against the denial of First Time Bound Promotion causing reduction of Pension and Pensionary benefits in respect of retired BSNL Executives of Kolkata Telephones by the Office of CCA, Kolkata. Even after the direction given by the Advisor (Finance), DoT Office to Kolkata CCA to stop reduction of Pension and Pensionary benefits by considering EPP Provisions in true spirit. Advisor (Finance) after detailed discussions assured to look in to the matter.
- b) Extension of CGHS facilities to the retired BSNL Employees CGHS cards issue regarding: We requested the Advisor (finance) to direct the CCA, Jaipur for taking up the issue of extension of CGHS facilities to the retired BSNL Employees in Rajasthan Circle in accordance with the relevant orders available from DoT and Ministry of Health. Advisor (Finance) immediately spoke with the CCA, Jaipur and directed him to settle the problems being faced by the retired BSNL Employees in availing CGHS facilities. CCA, Jaipur replied that the Medical and Health Authorities at Jaipur has raised certain objections which have been forwarded to DoT Headquarters, New Delhi for necessary action. Advisor (finance) advised CCA, Jaipur to send the copies of all the letters already sent to DoT for necessary action at his level.

02-05-2019

Meeting with CMD BSNL: GS, President met CMD BSNL & requested to allow to issue DE to DGM(T) promotion on Adhoc basis. CMD BSNL assured to look into the matter.

Meeting with PGM(Pers.), BSNL CO: GS, President met PGM(Pers.) and discussed regarding DE to DGM promotion on adhoc basis. PGM(Pers.) mentioned that the CPC work from DE to DGM promotion is in progress. All the VCRs have been received. The seniority list of SDEs/DEs have also been finalized. He assured to expedite CPC for issuing DE to DGM promotion at the earliest. We may expect DE to DGM promotion in the next week only.

CPC from CAO to DGM(Fin.): We requested to initiate CPC from CAO to DGM(Fin.) to fill up 26 vacant DGM(Fin.) posts by taking MC approval for relaxation in the eligibility criteria. PGM(Pers.) mentioned that MC Memo is being prepared for taking approval from MC at the earliest.

02-05-2019

Meeting with DGM(Estt.) BSNL CO: GS, President met DGM(Estt.) and discussed regarding wrong deduction of GTI payment. We requested that some executives have wrongly opted GTI scheme without knowing the details. Now they have requested to refund GTI amount paid wrongly. DGM(Estt.) informed that a Committee headed by Sr.GM(Estt.) & Members as GM(SR), GM(CA) and GM (Trg.) has been constituted to discuss the matter in consultation with LIC authorities to get refund the GTI payment wrongly paid by some executives.

02-05-2019

Com N L Sharma, our AGS HQ, is suffering from cardiac problem and admitted in Escorts Hospital Delhi. Block in artery has been detected, tomorrow STENTS will be implanted. We pray to GOD for his speedy recovery.