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To,

Shri Manoj Sinha Ji,
Minister of Communication
Govt. of India

Subject: Creation of Pension Fund for MTNL Recruited Officers as per DPE OM of 2nd PRC w.e.f 01.01.2007

Reference: Letter No: MEA/CHQ/2018-19/MOC, Dated:06/08/2018

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above mentioned letter, the long pending issue of implementation of superannuation benefit for MTNL recruited Officers as per DPE OM of 2nd PRC w.e.f. 01.01.2007 was brought to your kind notice. In this regard creation of pension fund as per 2nd PRC to provide social security of these officers is still pending despite of long ten years persuasion.

This issue has been raised on several occasions with management and DOT, but it is not yet addressed. The young MTNL recruited officers are feeling let down by management that even after sad demise of Sh. Manish Kumar has not acted as the eye opener to provide social security to these officers. This has been on the top of the minds of the officers and major cause of demotivation for them as they feel vulnerable in the absence of any social security.

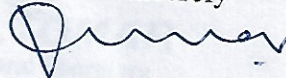
Here, I would like to bring to notice that, this is the only section of the offices in the MTNL, which is not covered under any pension scheme. Moreover BSNL has already created pension fund for their BSNL recruited officers, around three years back as per superannuation benefits recommended in 2nd PRC. As per meeting with your kind self dated on 22/03/2018, where it was explicitly mentioned that there should not be any discrimination in MTNL and BSNL, But I pained to convey that MTNL recruited Officer are still being denied their legitimate benefit, while same has already been extended to BSNL recruited officers. This injustice to MTNL recruited officer need to be urgently addressed.

In this context it may be noted that, almost all 2nd PRC recommendation have been implemented in both MTNL & BSNL except creation of pension fund as per recommendation of the 2nd PRC for MTNL recruited officers. The financial burden amounting in the implementing this recommendation is only few cores, which is very less than the cost involved in the

implementation of the rest of the 2nd PRC recommendations. Hence financial consideration on implementation of this may not be a big challenge.

Hence your kind self is requested to intervene in this issue and provide justice to this section of the officers, and get pension fund created in the MTNL as per recommendations of 2nd PRC w.e.f. 01.01.2007.

Yours sincerely



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