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To

Smt Aruna Sundararajan,  
Secretary (Telecom),  
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New Delhi 110001.

**Sub: Wrong fixation of revised Pension in respect of absorbed BSNL Pensioners (Executives) by allowing fitment benefit by merger of 78.2% IDA for the purpose of fixation of pay/pension with effect from 1.1.2007- Case of Controller of Communication Accounts, Kerala**

**Ref: (1) DCO, DOT No. 6-24/2016/TA-I/PG(PORTAL)/Vol.III/6486-6494 dated 11/12/2017  
(2) DOP&PW No. 4/5/2017-P&PW(D) dated 07/12/2017 [To Director(Estt), DOT]**

Madam,

We had earlier brought to your kind attention about the harassment that the BSNL IDA pensioners (executives) under the jurisdiction of Controller of Communication Accounts, Kerala Circle, who retired prior to 10.06.2013, were facing in regard to revision of their pension as per DOT Order No. 42-4/2012-Pen(T) dated 18.07.2016 allowing fitment benefit by merger of 78.2% IDA for the purpose of fixation of pay/pension with effect from 1.1.2007.

2. We now bring to your kind notice that because of the intervention of DOT, the revised PPOs are now being issued. But again some of the retired Executives of Kerala Telecom Circle, who have now received their revised PPOs, found to their dismay that the CCA, Kerala Circle has revised their pension wrongly by not taking into account their last revised basic pay at the time of retirement as communicated by BSNL Units from which they retired. These retired executives, while in service, received stepping up of their pay with respect to their juniors. As the pay of the junior was revised as per prevailing rules, BSNL also revised the pay of the seniors and the same was communicated to CCA Kerala. It appears that CCA, Kerala has arbitrarily not considered this and issued revised PPOs with less basic pension. We now cite four specific cases in which basic pension has been wrongly fixed by ignoring the last Basic Pay as intimated by the BSNL Units:-

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Sl	Name & Designation of the pensioner	HRMS No	PPO No	Revised Basic Pay fixed by BSNL Unit	Entitled Basic Pension	Revised Basic Pension allowed by CCA, Kerala
1	R Sukumara Pillai, Retd DE	197506493	771461208623	Rs 49490	Rs 24745	Rs. 24680
2	K G Balakrishna Pillai, Retd DE	197506882	771461107107	Rs 48040	Rs 24020	Rs. 23960
3	M Sankaran, Retd AGM		692012011200042 771461207774 (Old)	Rs 49490	Rs 24745	Rs. 24680
4	V Govindan, Retd DGM		692011071200281 771461107415 (Old)	Rs 49490	Rs 24745	Rs.24680

3. The above are illustrative cases and there are some more retired executives who also have received similar revised PPOs with less Basic Pension from the one that they are entitled for as per their Basic Pay fixed and communicated by the BSNL Units to the CCA, Kerala. It seems that there is no end of the harassment of the BSNL IDA pensioners (Executives) under the jurisdiction of CCA., Kerala Circle.

4. Under the above circumstances, we earnestly request you to kindly intervene in the matter so that CCA, Kerala Circle is advised to re-examine these cases and issue necessary immediate Orders correcting the revised PPOs already issued.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
(S Basu)

General Secretary

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