

# **BSNL EMPLOYEES UNION**

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## **CEC Meeting at Bhopal**

Dear Comrade,

As you are well aware our Central Executive Committee meeting is going to be held at the “**Community Hall**”, **P&T Colony, Bhadbhada Road, Bhopal** from 14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> February'2010. A strong Reception Committee with Com. Pramod Pradhan, General Secretary, CITU, Bhopal as Chairman and Comrade S.R. Nayak, Circle Secretary, M.P. Circle as General Secretary has been formed and started functioning.

The inaugural ceremony will commence at 10.00 hrs. on 14-02-2010 at “**Gandhi Hall**”, **Shyamla Hills, near Polytechnic Chouraha, Bhopal**. Open Session & Seminar will be held on 15-02-2010. The Central Executive Committee Meeting will be inaugurated by Com. Mohammad Amin, M.P., All India General Secretary, CITU on 14<sup>th</sup>. On 15<sup>th</sup> February, S/Shri Gopal Das, Director (HR), S.R.Kapoor, ED(Finance) and other senior officers as also trade union leaders will address the open session and seminar. The subject committee will be held at the “**Community Hall**” **P&T Colony, Bhopal**. One of the important issues to be discussed is the excellent achievement of wage negotiation. We have to discuss in the meeting on various staff issues as well as the organizational position at all levels so that we can take preparatory measure for the next Membership Verification. Central Executive Committee members/Circle Secretaries should come to discuss the matters keeping in mind the present socio-political scenario in India so that we will have to take appropriate and correct decisions in all these matters.

### **Wage Revision**

After the wage committee has finalised the agreement, the same has been approved by the BSNL Management on 03.02.2010. Now it will go to the BSNL Board before seeking the approval of the DOT. General Secretary has already discussed the matter with the CMD BSNL as also with the Director(HR) for an early decision by the BSNL Board. CHQ is making all efforts to speed up the process so that the order can be issued at the earliest. A lot of calls, emails, SMSs etc. are being received by the CHQ enquiring when the orders will be issued. In the wage agreement in 2002 from CDA to IDA pay scales it took about four months to get the orders issued. CHQ is trying to reduce the time period so that the orders are got issued by about two months.

### **Promotional Policy**

CHQ has requested the management to implement promotion policy without the 9200 scale if there is delay in approval of the same by DPE. General Secretary has already taken up the matter with DPE for an early approval of the above pay scale. CHQ is perusing the matter both with BSNL and DPE.

## **Anomaly Committee**

CHQ is perusing the matter so that the issue is discussed in the next Management Committee. CHQ has already taken the matter with the concerned GMs so that the note to the Management Committee is finalised and approved by the Management Committee.

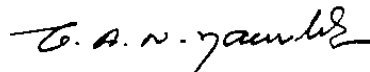
## **Pensioners' Dharna on 29<sup>th</sup> January 2010.**

As per the call of the All India BSNL-DOT Pensioners' Association, the Dharna Programme on 29th January was organised in all centres and it is also reported from various Circles/SSAs that the Dharna programme was held throughout the Country successfully and thousands of pensioners participated in the dharnas. The demands, Merger of 50% IDA, IDA Pension revision, Removal of anomaly in Pension etc. were focussed by placards, shouting of slogans etc. In many centres important trade union leaders and office-bearers of BSNLEU, AIBDPA etc. addressed the dharna.

On the sustained pressure of BSNLEU and AIBDPA, the DOT is processing the proposal for IDA pension revision for the BSNL retirees. This has become necessary since there is no provision in the Rule 37A for pension revision at all. First the DOT proposed CDA pension revision for BSNL retirees. After BSNLEU and AIBDPA met the Communications Minister, Secretary DOT etc. as also petitioned to the Prime Minister, DOT has started processing the proposal for IDA Pension revision.

With Warm Greetings,

Yours comradely,



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