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To

**Shri Gopal Das,
Director (HRD), BSNL
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan
New Delhi.**

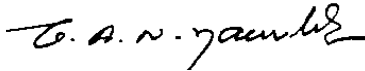
Sub: - Merger of 50% IDA for BSNL retirees.

Sir,

The BSNL absorbed DoT retirees are eligible for the benefit of 50% IDA merger in their pension. We took up the issue since the order was issued for merger of 50% IDA for serving BSNL employees. The matters were referred to DoT / DPE for decision. In the meeting of the committee of DoT-BSNL-BSNLEU held on 11th September, 2008 under the chairmanship of Shri J.S. Deepak, Joint Secretary DoT it has been informed that the proposal for merger of 50% IDA for BSNL retirees should first be approved by BSNL Board and the points raised by Finance Branch of DoT should be considered. Then it is to be sent for approval of DoT.

It is understood that the matter stands referred to BSNL Board. An early decision in this respect is requested.

Yours sincerely,



**[V.A.N. Namboodiri]
General Secretary**