

SNPWA/CHQ/Jt Secy Deptt of Pension/1

Dated 6th Sept.,22.

To Sh. Sanjiv Mathur, Joint Secy/ Deptt of Pension, North Block, New Delhi.

Sub; Grave implications of zero percent fitment recommended by DOT for pension Revision of BSNL/MTNL pensioners in its proposal dated 25th Aug.,22.

Sir

We reliably understand that DOT in its proposal sent to DOP&PW regarding Pension Revision of BSNL/MTNL Pensioners, besides containing other recommendations, contains a very preposterous proposition of extending Pensioners of BSNL/MTNL zero percent fitment for their legitimate Pension Revision w e f 1.1.2017. Zero percent fitment for fixation of Pension Revision, needless to say, not only results in zero increase in pension but also negative pension in a majority of cases.

We are briefly enclosing herewith a few instances where the increase in pension Revision is zero for your kind perusal and serious consideration please.

We are quite confident that DOP & PW, being nodal ministry regarding all Pension related matters, will outrightly sent back the proposal back to DOT for reconsideration of zero percent fitment suggested by them since this is going to have very grave and far reaching consequences for Pensioners of BSNL/MTNL who have been languishing for last more than five years to get their legitimate Pension Revision in accordance to the provisions of Rule 37 of CCS Pension Rules 2021 as committed to them by the decision of the Union Cabinet of the year 2000 that unambiguously stipulates that Pension and terminal benefits of BSNL/MTNL employees consequent upon their absorption on BSNL/MTNL will be paid by the Government in terms of then 1972 CCS Pension Rules and that they will be treated fully at par with Central Govt. Employees in all respects.

Regards Sincerely Yours

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Copy to Sh Pramod Kumar, Director is zero (PP), for kind information please. Encl Instances establishing that Pension Revision is zero with zero % fitment.