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To

Shri Y.N. Singh
GM (BFCI), BSNL C.O.
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan
Janpath, New Delhi-110001.

Sir,

Sub: - **Hunger Strike is going on in Tamil Nadu circle – Request for intervention - req.**

We would like to draw your kind attention to the fact that entire leadership of BSNLEU and BSNLCCWF has started the indefinite period hunger strike programme in Tamil Nadu circle on the issue of non-payment of wages to the contract workers. It is unfortunate that the circle administration has failed to settle the issue on plea that the Corporate Office has not allotted sufficient fund for the payment of wages to the contract labours who are involved in day to day maintenance work, house keeping works, etc. It is learnt that about Rs.15.85 crore is required to meet up the crisis. Our circle union along with the leadership of BSNLEU met the circle administration but they expressed their limitation.

Sir, we know that our Company is passing through a serious financial crunch and this financial year is going to be closed shortly. We feel that, in this time there should not be any unhappiness among the staff which can hamper the BSNL interest. You will also agree with us that if the leadership will continue the hunger strike in any circle, the general staff will also be agitated which can create a negative impact on BSNL interest.

So, we would request you to intervene on this subject so that the circle administration can react positively. We are very much interested to involve in entire workforce whole heartedly to upgrade the financial health of BSNL.

Hope, you will do the needful so that poor labours will get the wages at the earliest.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,



[Animesh Chandra Mitra]
Secretary General