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To

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**Subject: Payment of allowances as per the recommendations of 6<sup>th</sup> CPC to Group A officers on deemed deputation in BSNL – reg**

**Ref: BSNL No.15-01/2012-PAT (BSNL) dated 25<sup>th</sup> May 2012**

Sir,

BSNL vide its letter referred to above (copy enclosed) has extended all allowances as per the recommendations of 6<sup>th</sup> CPC to Group A officers on deemed deputation in BSNL, based on a DoT letter No.6-23(1)/2010-PAT dated 17.2.2012.

2. We are aware that the DoT order is an endorsement of the DPE order No.10(2)/09-DPE (WC)-GL-XV/09 dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 2009, emphasizing that “the pay revision of the executives is a total package and the scales, perks and allowances should not be mixed. Accordingly the executives getting the CDA pay scales will continue to get benefits, perks and allowances applicable to CDA scales and executives who are getting IDA pay scales will get perks and allowances applicable to IDA scales.”
3. The BSNL letter cited above states that, “The officers may not be allowed to draw the allowances being paid by BSNL which are not admissible to Central Government employees as they cannot be allowed to claim both benefits” But in the same breath the BSNL order says that, “BSNL Medical Reimbursement Scheme shall continue to be extended to Group ‘A’ officers on deemed deputation basis in BSNL till clarification in this regard is received from DoT.”
4. When Medical facilities under CGHS are available for Central Government employees, continuing the facility under BSNLMRS for these Group A officers is contrary to the DPE guidelines and BSNL’s own statement in the previous Para of the Order dated 25.05.2012.
5. We believe that no separate clarification is necessary to be issued by DoT on medical facility. However as BSNL appears to be expecting a clarification on this, we request that clarification, if at all needed, may be issued immediately so as to remove the apprehension that the Group A officers who have not opted for BSNL are being allowed to have the best of both – the allowances admissible to the Government employees as well as the PSU employees in contravention to the DPE Order.

With kind regards,

Encl: As stated

Yours sincerely,

(Rakesh Sethi)

General Secretary