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Dear Shri Vaishnav,

This is regarding the grievances of Sanchar Nigam Pensioner's' Association (SNPWA) which is self explanatory.

The petitioners have stated that as per the decision taken by the Union Cabinet in the year 2000, the pensioners of BSNL/MTNL are eligible for Pension Revision at par with Central Govt. Employees which has already been enshrined in the CCS Pension Rules 2021. This decision of the Union Cabinet clearly states that the Pension and Terminal benefit of absorbed employees of BSNL/MTNL would be regulated in terms of the 1972 CCS pension Rules and that they would be fully treated at par with Central Govt. Employees in all respects.

They have further stated that Pensioners of BSNL/MTNL have paid Pension Contribution at the maximum of their pay scales and their Pension Revision is in no way linked to the wage Revision of the working employees of BSNL/MTNL. The expenditure on account of their Pension Revision has to be met by the Govt. and not by the company.

Pensioners of BSNL/MTNL have been languishing for their legitimate Pension Revision for the last five years during which thousands and thousands have expired without getting their legitimate Pensionary Revision.

I would request you to take kind action on the core issue of Pension Revision at the earliest to redress their grievances.

Warm regards,

Yours Sincerely

(Smt. Aparajita Sarangi)

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