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To

Shri Arvind Vednerkar, Director (HR), BSNL Board, **New Delhi-110001**

Sub.: Consider the DoP & PW OM No. 57/05/2021- P&PW (B) Dated 03/03/2023 for granting benefits under CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972 to the 1999 recruitment TTAs appointed in BSNL.

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above subject, we like to draw your kind attention to the affecting JEs' erstwhile Telecom Technical Assistants (TTAs) who are now working as SDE/AO/JTO/JAO, etc. throughout India who got recruited as Telecom Technical Assistants (TTA) through the notification issued by Govt. of India for the recruitment in Department of Telecommunications. These advertisements were published and advertised by the Department of Telecommunications, Department of Telecom Services, and Department of Telecom Operations.

The said posts and recruitment were classified under the TTA Recruitment Rules 1998 (amended in 1999) as General Central Services; Group-C, Non-Gazette, Non-Ministerial. The applicants from various circles have applied for the said classified posts as they fulfilled the advertised requirements; the last date for the same was before the formation of BSNL. All are selected against the post and vacancy of the DoT and considered under the CCs (Pension) Rules of 1972 for the grant of all the associated service benefits

As per the recent DoP and PW clarifications vide OM No. 57/05/2021, P&%PW (B) Dated 3rd March 2023, (Copy attached) it is cleared that employees appointed against a post or vacancy which was advertised/notified for recruitment/appointment, prior to the date of notification for NPS may be given a onetime option to be covered under CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

This option may be exercised by the concerned party no later than August 31, 2023. By considering the DoP & PW OM No. 57/05/2021- P&PW (B) Dated 03-03-2023 option window should be provided to the entitled employees throughout the country as early as possible.

With kind regards,

Your Sincerely

Copy for favor of kind information to:

- 1. Shri Rajiv Kumar, Director (Finance), BSNL Board, New Delhi-110001
- 2. Shri S N Gupta, GM (Pers.), BSNL CO, New Delhi-110001
- 3. Ms. Anita Johri, Sr. GM(SR), BSNL CO, New Delhi- 110001