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To

✓ Shri P.K. Purwar,
CMD, BSNL,
New Delhi -110 001

Subject: Request for Extension of cut-off date for exercising one of the three options for Outdoor Medical Claims for BSNL Retired employees up to 30.09.2020 due to COVID-19 Pandemic situation- reg.

Ref: BSNL CO letter No: BSNL/Admn.1/15-12/ Dated 10.06.2020

Respected Sir,

We would like to draw your kind attention on the above cited reference, wherein option has been called for from the BSNL retirees with the last date as 30.06.2020 to select one of the below mentioned 3 options for their outdoor medical claims settlement:

1. CGHS
2. 15 days pay with vouchers (Basic + DA as on date of retirement)
3. Without vouchers flat Rs.1000/- per month.

Sir, if the BSNL retirees opt for CGHS facility, it is mandatory to submit the certificate regarding Pay conversion from IDA to CDA which is to be obtained from CCA's Office and submit to the CGHS Authorities to switch over from BSNL MRS to CGHS. In view of the abnormal pandemic situation throughout the Country, the Sr. Citizens living in Cities, Urban and in remote areas in most of the Circles are not in a position to travel to obtain the necessary certificate from the concerned CCA's office of the Circle to switch over to CGHS facility from BSNL MRS Scheme due to non-availability of Metro and other Local Train's services as only minimum buses are in operation. Moreover, CCA offices are also not allowing the visitors including Pensioners to avoid the spread of Corona Virus. Hence, it is extremely difficult for the aged Pensioners to visit the concerned offices within 30.06.2020 to exercise the said option.

If the retirees will opt for CGHS facility as per the last date of 30.06.2020, they will be ceased from BSNL MRS Facility immediately and will not be able to get CGHS facility in the absence of required Pay conversion Certificate from the concerned CCA's Office.

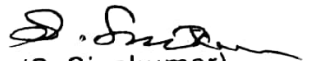
Furthermore, most of the Circles, including BSNL Corporate Office have not made available the online facility for submission of the option by the retirees, hence the process could not be completed within 30.06.2020.

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Sir, in view of the foregoing practical difficulties, we would request your good self to kindly consider the issue of extension of cut-off date for exercising one of the option for Outdoor Medical Claim by the BSNL Retired employees up to 30.09.2020 on Genuine/Humanitarian grounds and cause to issue necessary instructions to the Officers concern in this regard on priority basis.

With kind regards,

Yours Sincerely,


(S. Sivakumar)
General Secretary

Copy for kind information and necessary action to:

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2. Shri S.K. Gupta, Director (Fin), BSNL Board New Delhi- 110001.
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