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To

**Shri Manoj Sinha Ji,**  
Hon'ble Minister of State for Communications (I/C),  
Sanchar Bhawan,  
**New Delhi -110 001**

**Subject: Transfer of BSNL Assets to DoT – Our serious concern regarding.**

**Reference: DTS Office Memorandum number 2-31/2000-Restg. Dated 30.09.2000**

**Respected Sir,**

In pursuant to the New Telecom Policy 1999, Government of India decided to corporatize the service provision functions of DoT. Accordingly, GOI transferred the business of provided Telecom Services in the country run and entrusted with the erstwhile DTS and DTO as provided earlier by the DOT to the company viz BSNL (The company) w.e.f. 01.10.2000. The Company was incorporated as a company with limited liability by shares under the Companies Act 1956 with its Registered and Corporate Office at New Delhi.

As per the Clause 3 of the OM under reference above, GOI transferred all assets and liabilities, (except certain assets which will be retained by Department of Telecommunications required for the units and offices under control of DOT, **to be worked out later on**), to the Company with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2000.

In accordance with the above OM, DOT was to worked out later on to retain certain assets for the units / offices under the control of DOT. This excessive have already been completed just after the formation of BSNL on 01.10.2000 and certain assets were retained by DOT immediately.

But to our dismay, DOT administrative office as well as finance wing is regularly issuing orders to BSNL Management for the vacation of BSNL Assets and to allot DOT officer of TERM Cell and CCA units throughout the country. Many important Administrative Buildings, Operational Buildings and premises have been got vacated from BSNL and occupied by DOT offices. Also the Inspection Quarters created by BSNL are being taken over by DOT arbitrarily directing to the BSNL Management and it is unfortunate that BSNL Management failed to protect the assets of BSNL under the undue pressure of DOT. The fact remains that at the time of formation of BSNL the then, DOT/DTS/DTO assets and liabilities were transferred to BSNL as per the MoU and the above referred OM.

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Now, BSNL assets are being continuously taken over by DoT but the liability remains with BSNL only. Since, the BSNL assets are being regularly occupied by DoT, the liability of BSNL e.g. 1.8 Lakh Employees, Bank Loans, License Fee and USO charges etc should also be taken over by DoT. Today, the Pay Revision, Promotions and Pension Revision of BSNL employees are linked with profitability of BSNL. Thus, BSNL should be allowed its assets for revenue generations instead of taking over by DoT.

We would therefore, request your kind honor to intervene in the matter and direct the DOT Officers for not violating the MoU and OM provisions as a matter of trust and for the viability of BSNL

With kind regards,

Encl: As above

Yours Sincerely  
**Sd/-**  
**(PRAHLAD RAI)**  
**General Secretary**

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