Status of JTO (T) to SDE regular promotion in Hon'ble CAT, Ernakulam: O. A.185/13 in Hon'ble CAT, Ernakulam (in the matter of JTO (T) to SDE regular promotion) was posted for hearing on 3.06.2014. But the case was not heard as there was no sitting of the bench on that day. Further it is posted to hear on 16.07.2014.

[At present there is only one Member in Hon'ble CAT Ernakulam Bench and it is learnt that he is retiring on 30.06.2014.Hence the hearing posted on 16.07.2014 will happen only if a new Member assumes charge in CAT, prior to this]. AIBSNLEA has already impleaded in the case and continuously pursuing through our counselor and BSNL Advocate through CGMT, Kerala Circle for the early decision so that CPC from JTO(T) to SDE(T) is expedited. The CPC from JTO(T) to SDE(T) to fill up more than 3000 SDE(T) posts is in advance stage but the promotion order can be issued on vacation of stay order from the Hon'ble CAT Ernakulam Bench.

### 28-06-2014

GS writes to the GM (FP), BSNL Corporate Office regarding resolution of Kolkata Pool submitted by AIBSNLEA, CTD Circle-<<<Click here for letter>>>

## 21-06-2014

CS & ACS attended the ECM of Central-I Branch at Taher Mansion on 20/06/2014.Sri Monoj Sarkhel presided over the meeting. Sri M S Nath BS discussed about organisation.Other members also added few points.CS informed them about all cadre related problems.It was decided to hold Branch conference in the middle of July 2014.All the branch executive pledged to work hard for the forthcoming Executive membership verification under new committee.

CS,ACS,OS & BS/South met GM/CMTS Sri Biswajit Pal on 20/06/2014 at TBZ on a courtesy call. We welcomed him again in CTD. We also expressed our serious concern about horrible situation of mobile service in CTD and suggested some measures. GM appreciated our view and shared some future programme for betterment and sought our co-operation. We informed him that our member are always eager and dedicated for better service of CTD and assured all sorts of co-operation.

GM invited us to discuss elaborately over this matter at a convenient time, we agreed.

#### 19-06-2014

CS & ACSs attended the Forum meeting at Telephone Bhavan on 18-06-2014 to discuss about our future steps regarding merger proposal of BSNL/MTNL/ITI. Forum/CTD decided to hold meeting in the 2nd week of July regarding this issue and prepare for expressing our resentment on this proposal. It was also decided to meet CGM/CTD as soon as possible regardiding development & other issues of CTD.

## 16-06-2014

SR Cell, BSNL Corporate Office issued holding of 1st membership verification of executive Associations-calling up of applications-<<<Cli>k here for letter>>>

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All the CHQ Office Bearers, Advisors, Circle / Branch Secretaries are requested to ensure strengthening of the AIBSNLEA by enrolling maximum numbers of executives to become No. 1 Majority Executive Association.

CS writes to GS about our resentment regarding "COMMON POOL" proposal of WB.(Click to see)

#### 11-06-2014

On 10/06/2014 CS,ACSs,President & FS met GM(Fin) for discussion about some transfer order of accounts wing.Gm gave a patient hearing and assured that order regarding Partha Dassarma will modified/Cancelled within this week.For other orders he has taken our suggestion into consideration.

Later we met PGM for modification of order of Manisha Mukherjee regarding DE(LA),it was assured from DGM(HR) that file is being put up for suitable modification alongwith two others who have applied for change of place etc. Case of Rita Bhattacharjee ais also pursued & we hope finally it will be settled favourably.

#### 06-06-2014

On 04/06/2014 CS,ACS(F) & FS met GM(Fin) regarding some problem and discussed about some anomalies in latest transfer order of Finance wing,Gm appreciated our request and assured to set right some cases and according to our proposal he assured us to extend another meeting for thorough discussion in this regard.

We also discussed about long pending 'mode of imprest payment ' issue in central area. As per decision of CEC we submitted one letter in this regard. GM appreciated our view that the present mode does not conform with accounting practice. He assured us to arrange for zero balance account in the designation as per provision of ERP. (see letter)

A joint General Body Meeting with the AIBSNLEA Members of C.T.D. Circle and West Bengal Circle was held on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2014 at Telegraph Institute Hall, CTO.Building, Kolkata.

The meeting was attended by Shri Prahlad Rai, GS Shri S.K.Jenna, AGS(Civil/Electrical/Arch/TS/TF) and Shri Amit Gupta, Asstt. General Secretary, AIRBSNLEWA. The venue of the meeting was full of members. Due to huge gathering, many members were compelled to stand beside gates of the hall till completion of the meeting. GS AIBSNLEA, Shri Prahlad Rai, congratulated the comrades of both the Circles for the arranging the meeting gorgeously. GS informed to the Members that BSNL have made the Loss of more then 25000 Crores in last 4 years. In his detailed address Com. GS mentioned that due to un-helping and over-jealous attitude of the Govt. i.e. unjustified payment of spectrum charges (3G & BWA) of Rs. 18,500, non-reimbursement of licenses fee, USO Charges, OPEX Charges, withdrawal of ADC, Non payment of rural subsidy in spite of NTP provisions has adversely affected the viability of BSNL. He informed that BSNL is spending a huge amount on 28,000 rural exchanges in rural areas telecom services but no decision on ADC charges is being taken by the Administrative Ministry. In addition of this Spectrum Allocation and bidding process on High rates are the example of step-motherly behavior of Government towards BSNL, which is a Government owned company. Scarcity of cables, telephone instruments, MLLN Modem, Broadband Modem, Drop wires etc has affected the quality & growth of services. He explained that how the AIBSNLEA is continuously pursuing these viability related issue with the BSNL Management and DOT.

Com GS. Further explained the burning issues of the Headquarters level He explained the situation on the issues like VRS, 30% disinvestment and unbundling of last mile copper cable etc. Com. GS mentioned that the Broadband is the lifeline of BSNL and due to the active role played by the unions/associations, the disinvestment and unbundling of Copper conductor has not taken place in BSNL. Com GS mentioned AIBSNLEA's firm stand for the resolving all the

pending issues first before merger of BSNL and MTNL. He appraised the status of HR issues related to DPCs, PPS post creation in field units, AD(OL) issues, regularization of Officiating JTOs. E2-E3 Standard pay scales for JTO/SDE, 30% superannuation benefits to the BSNL recruitees, settlement of EPF anomaly, JTO 2007/2008 pay anomaly issue, VRS etc.

Com GS explained the role of AIBSNLEA in the viability of BSNL. GS mentioned the firm Commitment of AIBSNLEA towards the Viability of BSNL. At last he appealed the all Executives' to make every effort with a team spirit and customer care for making BSNL a vibrant organization. In this regard he mentioned the achievement of Southern Circles and requested to follow the work culture of Southern Circles for betterment and survival of BSNL.

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#### 02-06-2014

The CEC Meeting of AIBSNLEA, Kolkata telephones Circle was held on 30/05/2014 at our Kolkata association office at 3A Chowringhee Place. Com. Prahlad Rai GS,Com. S.K.Jena AGS(civil & electrical),Com. Prasun Mukherjee,Advisor(east)/CHQ and veteran leader Com. Amit Gupta were present in the meeting.The CEC members of CTD welcomed our beloved GS after his arrival in the venue and with a procession and slogan Com.Prahlad Rai was reached to the newly decorated association room, where GS inaugurated the association room. All the guests were felicitated with the flower bouquet as a symbol of love and respect.GS specially mentioned about the decent ambiance & decoration of the room.

After observing one minute silence in the memory of our departed member Com. Sovon Palchowdhury, Ex-JAO/North the meeting started with great enthusiasm. Most of the CEC members from all nook and corners of Kolkata were present the room was jam packed. Com. Tridip chakroborty circle president, presided over the meeting.

All branch secretaries placed their reports regarding quota position, dairy payments ,membership etc. They also placed their suggestion and discussed about our organisation. After that other CEC members took part in the deliberations and expressed their views. Com. Amit Gupta thanked circle body for inviting him and greeted the meeting. Com. Prasun Kumar Mukhopadhyay circle secretary summed up all the points raised by the house and placed the points for the discussion of Com. GS.Com S.K,Jena also discussed about the problems of civil and electrical wings and expressed the importance of multi cadre association like AIBSNLEA.

Com GS covered all the aspects like DPC of JTO to SDE, SDE to DE, DE to DGM; JAO to AO, AO to CAO, CAO to DGM(F) etc. including court cases. He discussed about the problems like AD(OL) restructuring ,PPS post creation, JAO option case 2010 batch, five increments demand of 2013 batch JAO. Offg. JTO regularisation. Long pending vigilance cases of CTD, Cadre Hierarchy ,Kolkata common pool for AO transfer policy, abolishing of look after process, etc. Afterwards GS answered the questions of the CEC members in an inter- active session. The session ended followed by lunch and GS proceeded for joint GB with CTD & West Bengal circle.

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## 02-06-2014

CS, ADVISOR(EAST)/CHQ, CWC Member along with GS met in a courtesy call with our new CGM Mr. K.K.Sapra on 29/05/2014. ACSs & VP were also present, and discussed about different aspects like the viability of BSNL,particularly about CTD,non working of ACs in different RSUs, regular failure of OFC and transmission, Job contract problem ,New tender for job contract, and hired vehicle,pending vigilance cases etc.The meeting was in very cordial mode, CGM appreciated our concerns and requested our co-operation for the betterment of CTD. We assured all sorts of co-operation in this regard.