



BSNL EMPLOYEES UNION Maharashtra Circle

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To
The Chief General Manager ,
BSNL Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai.

Sub:- Extension of Validity for Empanelled hospitals in view of Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) Infection

Sir,

In view of the Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) Infection, all out efforts are made by the Government to Though no maintenance is involved in respect of Aseem (Virtual Landline) and Nonpayment Disconnected connections, Extra connection in BSNL office premises are also counted, Additional Landline called as Free Phone connections was given to All working connections in Maharashtra to cook up the figures of New connections , Almost all this extra connections are just on paper, thousands of such connections are automatically counted as working connections and bills generated by the System for payment to contractors. It may be noted that Nonpayment disconnected customers can't even book faults. From March 2019 to February 2020 alone BSNL lost 2341066 connections. At this average of 2 lakh disconnections per month, BSNL will be unnecessarily paying about Rs.70 Lakh every month towards Nonpayment disconnected numbers.

As per the Tender conditions, the Contractor will lose only a portion of the bill for non-attendance of faults. Even if a contractor has not employed any manpower for attending faults or for providing new connections, he will still be getting regular payments from BSNL as long as working connections exist in a cluster.

For the above reasons all the bills pertaining to outsourcing of clusters need to be stopped until a decision on unnecessary inclusion of Aseem , Free phone, office connections, Nonpayment Disconnected connections and ensuring that adequate manpower is employed in clusters for attending all type of faults, whether LL or BB or FTTH or Circuits. Unless the Administration plugs the loopholes in Tender conditions, unless the Contractors are held responsible for timely clearance of faults, we are certain that the we will lose most of our CFA network within a year or two.

All SLA based Tenders have to be reviewed with respect to the earlier system... Payments made before SLA system and After introduction of SLA system has to be compared.

It is observed that our Officers are hand in glove with the contractors in some places Officers have taken contracts in the name of their family members, some contractors are just on paper, bills are made and the officer gets it approved for a percentage cut. Works are carried out by the employees and bills generated in contractors name and passed hand in glove with the corrupt officers.

It may be noted that many closed connections are not removed from the system in order to save the posts of officers. These connections also will form part of working connections. Another area of manipulating the number of working connections are those under safe custody. This is of two types one safecustody by subscriber and departmental safe custody due to road expansion work major cable damage etc. The contractors should be asked to deploy minimum number of workers in each cluster for maintenance and provisioning of connections.

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Matter may be treated as MOST URGENT Please.

Thanking You.

Yours faithfully,



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