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MS-54/FORUM/2024/19

Date:29.07.2024

To,

Dr Neeraj Mittal

Secretary, Department of Telecommunications, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi.

Sh. Ravi A Robert Jerard.

CMD, MTNL New Delhi.

Subject: Deferment of Protest Action Scheduled for 30th July 2024

Ref: No.: MS-54 / Forum/2024/ 15 Date: 03 /07/2024

Respected Sir,

We, the representatives of the Forum, write to inform you about our decision to defer the protest action scheduled for 30th July 2024. This decision is based on the series of positive engagements and assurances we have recently received from the Department of Telecommunications (DOT) and MTNL management.

- **1. Discussion on Memorandum with DOT:** On 19th July 2024, our memorandum to the Secretary, DOT, was received by DDG (PM). He discussed all the issues raised and provided updates on the certain issues.
- 2. Assurance from Member (Services): On 26th July 2024, the Member (Services) engaged with Forum representatives and assured us of the government's seriousness in addressing the issues raised by the Forum. He noted that the new Minister of Communications and the new CMD of MTNL & BSNL are keen to understand and resolve the concerns, and he appealed for the deferral of the protest to allow time for thorough consideration and action.
- **3. Rescheduling of Meeting with CMD:** A meeting between the Forum and MTNL management under the chairmanship of CMD was scheduled for 27th July 2024. However, due to the unavailability of key office bearers of the Associations and Unions, the Forum requested that this meeting be rescheduled to a later date.

In light of these actions and assurances from the DOT and MTNL management, we have decided to defer the planned day-long Satyagraha (Dharana) at Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi, and Prabhadevi, Mumbai on 30 July 2024. We are hopeful that this gesture of goodwill will encourage a more constructive dialogue and lead to the resolution of the issues raised by the Forum.

We trust that the government and MTNL management will utilize this time to address the concerns of the employees effectively and promptly.

With warm regards

Yours sincerely,

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7. Director (Finance), MTNL

8. Director (Technical), MTNL

9. Executive Director, MTNL Delhi / Executive Director, MTNL Mumbai

10. General Secretary, BMS & ITEF

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