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(AIPCOC)**

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PRESS RELEASE

**MAHA MORCHA ORGANISED BY ALL INDIA PUBLIC SECTOR AND CENTRAL GOVT.
OFFRICERS' CONFEDERATION AT JANTAR MANTAR, NEW DELHI ON**

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All India Public Sector and Central Government Officers' Confederation (AIPCOC), a joint platform of officers of all Central Govt. establishments, Public Sector Undertakings, Public Sector Banks etc. organized a **"Maha Morcha"** at Jantar Mantar, New Delhi on 04th February 2019 on various issues concerning the entire officers community working in these sectors. The Maha Morcha originated in the form of a massive 'Jatha' from Modern School, Barakhamba Road, Delhi, at 11 a.m. and proceeded towards Parliament Street (Sansad Marg) via Tolstoy Marg and finally culminated into the 'Morcha' at Jantar Mantar, Parliament Street. The rally / demonstration continued upto 4 p.m. The robust rally of not less than 20000 members was addressed by AIPCOC leadership, Hon'ble Members of Parliament, leadership of fraternal organisations as well as leaders of various central trade unions, academicians, social workers, representatives of Retirees' Association and eminent citizens. AIPCOC was overawed by the support that poured in from fraternal organizations, Trade Unions, farmers, workers, SHGs, other stakeholders and different Resistance groups including India Ex Servicemen Movement (IESM). Prominent amongst those who addressed the massive assembly were:

1. Shri Sanjay Singh, MP, Rajya Sabha from Aam Aadmi Party
2. Shri N K Premachandran, MP Lok Sabha from Revolutionary Socialist Party
3. Shri Tapan Sen, General Secretary, CITU
4. Shri V K Tomar, President, AIPCOC
5. Shri Bhaskar Bhattacharya, Secretary General CCGGOO
6. Shri Sebastin K, General Secretary, SNEA (BSNL)
7. Shri Debasish Basu Chaudhury, General Secretary, BEFI
8. Shri Subhas S Sawant, General Secretary, INBEF
9. Shri Srikantha Mishra, Secretary, AIIEA Delhi State Unit
10. Shri Amit Chandan, General Secretary, NOBO, Delhi State Unit
11. Shri Subhash Lamba, Delhi State Employees Federation etc.
12. Shri D T Franco, Former Secretary General, AIPCOC
13. Dr. Prasenjit Bose, Economist and Social Worker

The core objectives for organizing such a 'Maha Morcha' are:

1. **Demanding allotment of 4G Spectrum to BSNL and MTNL**
2. **Demanding stoppage of all moves towards Privatisation / seeking government support for revival of Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs).**
3. **Ensuring assured Pension for all.**
4. **Removing affordability clause for Pay Revision in PSUs.**
5. **Settlement of Central Govt. Employees 7th Pay commission related issues including increase in minimum pay and fitment formula.**

6. **Opposing the proposed ill-conceived amalgamation of Vijaya Bank, Dena Bank and Bank of Baroda**
7. **Settlement of wages of Bank employees and officers as charter of demands submitted**
8. **Filling up of all vacant posts in Central Govt. Departments and withdraw orders for abolishing posts lying vacant for more than five years.**

AIPCOC strongly condemns the ill intention of the Govt. in allotment of 4G spectrum to BSNL and MTNL paving the way to the private players. The confederation also demands government's support for revival of all PSUs and halt all moves towards privatisation.

AIPCOC also demands scrapping of National Pension System and ensuring assured pension for all. As the NPS is completely dependent on the Equity & Money Market, it is a gross injustice that the proposed pension payable to the newly recruited officers / employees are now being completely left to the vagaries market forces. Preparations are also on to form a broad coalition with all fraternal organisations to launch a National Level Movement to abolish NPS in all sectors.

AIPCOC also opposes the government's intention to deny the employees and officers decent and timely wage revision citing affordability clause in PSUs. It also demands immediate implementation of 7th Pay Commission related issues in all Central Govt. Departments and recruitment in all vacant posts.

Through this piece of communication, we would like to state in clear terms that this is just the beginning of our movement and if the govt. at the helm of affairs does not do away with its anti - employee's policies then the officers community would not remain as mute beholders anymore; rather the movement would be intensified with further agitations. Therefore, through this communique, we urge upon the appropriate authority to immediately initiate necessary action and arrange to meet our legitimate demands at the earliest and bring relief to the officers in particular and the common citizenry of our country in general.

The today's rally is a message to the policy makers that we are connected to 80 crore populace of the country and will play the role of a formidable opinion maker in the ensuing parliamentary election. AIPCOC will leave no stone unturned to ensure that all its demands are met and to that end will not dither in intensifying our struggle against the Central Government.



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