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Dated 02.09.2020

To,

The Chief General Manager,
QA and Inspection Circle,
BSNL Jabalapur-482001

Subject: Restricted long distance movement in this pandemic situation- Framing of central pool of officers to move for distant geographical area within T&D Circle to carryout long distance works-Reg.

Reference: Our letter number GS/AIGETOA/2020/48 dated 27.06.2020

Respected Sir,

This is in reference to our earlier communication about long distance movement by our officers of Inspection Circle in this Pandemic, which is still on the increasing trend. It is important to note here that every citizen of the country is keeping their movement restricted due to the presence of Covid-19 in the country as per the advisory of the Central Government.

But the officers (JTO/SDE) of Inspection are forced to move for longer distance (even up to more than 500 Km) without departmental vehicle and forced to stay outside as well as take food outside eatery during their departmental tour to carry out important A/T works, which is posing a serious life threat to them. We have apprised about this state of affairs through our previous letter and suggested that **QA & Inspection officers of a particular operational zone may be utilized interchangeably according to geographical locations within the Zone to avoid long distance traveling for either of them. The Divisional Units of QA and Inspection Circle of the zone may discuss among themselves to distribute the works keeping in mind that the enforcement of restricted movement and the PGM/GM office should intervene in case of any dispute.** Further, in case of the non availability of officers of T&D Circle within the distance of 200 Km, the Territorial Circle of the area may be requested to give the officials temporarily to carry out any specific job to meet the exigencies. The above arrangements are requested temporarily till the Pandemic exist in the country in the larger interest of the employees as several Covid-19 casualties have already reported in BSNL. We are raising the issue again and again to draw your kind attention on the problem because if any unfortunate incident happened in the QA & Inspection Circle due to non adherence of the government advisory, the Circle Management will be held squarely responsible.

It is therefore once again requested to consider the above suggestions or any other method as deemed fit by you to ensure safety of our officers while discharging the departmental works effectively in this Pandemic of Covid-19.

With warm regards,

Sd/-

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General Secretary

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1. The Director (HR), BSNL Board, BSNL Corporate Office New Delhi for kind information please.