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No: BSNLCO-ADMN/12(12)/4/2021-ADMN



Dated: 26-03-2021

To All Head of Circles, All Head of BSNL Units, BSNL.

Sub: Clarification regarding eligibility of the family pensioners who are beneficiaries of BSNLMRS to migrate to CGHS and reimbursement of one time CGHS subscription fee paid by the BSNL employee to the CGHS authority.

In reference to the above captioned subject representations are being received from various employees Unions/ Associations, BSNL circles, retired employees regarding clarification on migration to CGHS by BSNL family pensioners (Dependents of the deceased retired BSNL employee) who are availing BSNLMRS facility and reimbursement of the life time subscription to CGHS as one-time payment.

- Vide BSNLCO letter NO: BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (Pt) dated 02.04.2014 (Copy enclosed), the decision of 2. extension of CGHS facilities to retired BSNL employees who are in receipts of Central Civil Pension/Prorata Pension was conveyed.
- Vide BSNLCO letter No: BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (Pt) dated 29.07.2016 (Copy enclosed), Approval of the 3. Management Committee of BSNL was conveyed for reimbursement of one time CGHS subscription fee, paid by the BSNL employee to the CGHS authority. This was applicable to only those BSNL employees who surrender BSNLMRS facility and opt for CGHS facility.

Further, it was also decided by the MC that the retired BSNL employees and their dependents are not eligible to opt BSNLMRS facility in future, once they migrate to CGHS facility.

- Vide BSNL CO letter No: BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (Pt) dated:22.11.2018 (Copy enclosed) it has been 4. clarified that the order dated 29.07.2016 regarding reimbursement of one time CGHS subscription fees are effective only from the prospective date.
- Vide BSNL CO letter No: dated: 24.09.2004 & 15.01.2021 (Copy enclosed), Clarification on eligibility of 5. Spouse and dependents of deceased BSNL employees were issued.
- In continuation and context of above subject, the matter is examined and following is clarified:-6.

The family pensioners (Dependents of the deceased retired BSNL employees) who get the CGHS facility by surrendering BSNLMRS card/facility are also allowed for one time reimbursement of CGHS subscription fee paid to CGHS authority for migrating to the CGHS facility.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

Encl.: As above

BSNL CO, New Delhi

Admn. Section Corporate Office Bharat Sanchar Bhawan New Delhi



No. BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (pt.)

Dated: April 2,2014

To

All the Chief General Managers Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited

Sub: Extension of CGHS facilities to retired BSNL employees.

I am directed to forward copy of letter No. 4-12(11)/2012-PAT dated 20th February 2014 received from Department of Telecommunications on the subject mentioned above. The retired employees of BSNL who are in receipt of Central Civil Pension are eligible for CGHS facilities in recognition of their services rendered in DOT/BSNL. Therefore, willing retired BSNL employees can avail CGHS facility by opting by complying with the requisite formalities. The information be widely circulated, and employees who opt for CGHS facility may be assisted by forwarding their applications to the respective CGHS units.

The details of employees seeking option for CGHS may be intimated on monthly basis indicating number of retired employees opted for BSNLMRS and number of employees opted for CGHS.

(Raj Kumar Kushtwar

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Copy for information to:

- 1. PPS/PS to CMD/Board of Directors, BSNL.
- 2. GM (CA)/GM (EF), BSNL Corporate office
- 3. All PGMs/Sr.GM/GM, BSNL Corporate Office
- 4. On intranet for information to all BSNL retired employees.

File No : 4-12(11)/2012-PAT
Government of India
Department of Telecommunications
Sanchar Bhawan,20,Ashoka Road,
New Delhi-110001

Dated: 20 /2/2014

To,

The Chairman and Managing Director, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Bharat Sanchar Bhawan H.C. Mathur Lane Janpath, New Delhi-11001

Subject:-Extension of CGHS facilities to retired BSNL employees.

Sir,

Reference is invited to BSNL's letter Nos.BSNL/Admn-I/14-15/9(pt.) dated 09.04.2012 and dated 11.1.2013 regarding extension of CGHS facilities to retired BSNL employees. The matter has been examined in consultation with the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and it has been decided that:

- i) The retired employees, who are in receipt of Central Civil Pension/Pro-rata pension only from Central Civil Estimates are eligible for joining CGHS, other retired employees of BSNL are <u>not</u> eligible for CGHS.
- ii) Since CGHS is in operation only at 25 select locations in the country, the retired employees of BSNL who are in receipt of Central Civil Pension and therefore eligible for CGHS facilities, may also be considered for providing with an option to choose either CGHS or BSNL-MRS post retirement as per their convenience, in recognition of their services rendered to DoT/BSNL.
- 2 However, it may be noted that the retired BSNL employees who opt for CGHS would have to pay the requisite fee to CGHS as applicable to Government retirees.
- 3 This issues with the approval of Secretary(T).

Yours faithfully

(Sanjay Agrawal) ADG(PAT)

Copy for information to:

1.Sr.PPS to Chairman, Telecom Commission.

All Members/Advisors/Addl.Secretary/JS(T)/DDGs of DoT.

3.All Principal CCA's/CCA's/Jt.CCA's of DOT

Admn. Section Corporate Office Bharat Sanchar Bhawan New Delhi



No. BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (pt)

Dated: July 27, 2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Extension of CGHS facility to retired BSNL employees.

The decision of extension of CGHS facilities to the retired BSNL employees was conveyed vide letter No. 4-12(11)/2012-PAT dated 20.2.14. The letter also mentioned that BSNL employees who opt for CGHS would have to pay the requisite fee to CGHS as applicable to Government retirees. The facility was not being extended to BSNL employees due to different pay scales applicable to BSNL employees. Now CGHS authorities have requested DOT to indicate equivalent basic pay and Grade Pay as per the Central Pay Scales on the Pension Payment Order (PPO) which will facilitate evaluation of subscription and room rent of the beneficiary. Retired employees intend to avail CGHS facility may approach DOT and get the equivalent basic pay and Grade Pay indicated on their PPOs for availing CGHS facility.

Management Committee has approved reimbursement of onetime payment of CGHS subscription paid by the BSNL employees. Retired employees who intend to avail CGHS facility, will surrender BSNLMRS facility and subscribe for CGHS facility. While surrendering BSNLMRS facility, they will indicate their desire to avail CGHS facility. On payment of subscription, they will submit a final claim from BSNL by furnishing the proof of payment indicating the amount.

The Information be widely circulated. Record of retired employees migrating from BSNLMRS to CGHS facility may be maintained and intimated to Corporate Office on quarterly basis.

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To

All CGMs

Copy for information:

- 1. PPS/PS to CMD/Board of Directors, BSNL
- 2. On Intranet Portal of BSNL for information to all BSNL retired employees.

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No. BSNL/Admn.I/14-15/09 (Pt)

Dated: Nov 22, 2018

To

Shri M.R. Vashisht
President
BSNL & DOT Pensioners Association (India)
C-11, Suvarnadham Avenue
Opp. Sundaravan, Ranip
Ahmedabad 382480.

Sub: Extension of CGHS facility to retired BSNL employees.

Please refer to your letter No. NU/CHQ/36/BDPA dated 30.07.2018 on the subject mentioned above. Orders regarding reimbursement of onetime payment of subscription for availing CGHS facility by retired employees was issued on 29.7.2016 with the approval of the Management Committee. The matter was examined and it is observed that orders are made effective only from the prospective dates unless otherwise specified and cannot be made effective retrospectively on a later date.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Brahm Parkash)

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Copy to:

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No.: BSNL/Admn.1/15-1/2019



Dated: 15-01-2021

To

All Head of Circles, All Head of BSNL Units, BSNL.

Sub: Clarification/Amendment for the implementation of BSNLMRS- Eligibility of BSNLMRS Policy for family dependents of deceased BSNL recruited employees.

Reference:- BSNL CO Letter No: BSNL/Admn.1/1(Pt.) da

dated 24.09.2004

Kindly refer to letter cited under reference above whereby guidelines for the implementation of BSNLMRS were issued. In this regard Para-1, i.e. "Eligibility of family dependents of expired employees" may be read as under:

"On the death of BSNL employee, who was availing BSNLMRS facilities, the Spouse/ dependent children shall continue to avail the same facility, as was being availed by the employee prior to his/ her death. However, the dependents shall not be entitled to change any option."

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Sandeep Kapoor)
AGM(Admin) BSNL CO