

ALL UNIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF BSNL (AUAB)

No. All Unions and Associations of BSNL/GHQ/2024/Regular CMD

Dated at Delhi 21st March 2026.

To,

✓ Respected Shri. Narendra Modi ji,
Honourable Prime Minister of India,
Seva Tirth, Raisina Hills, New Delhi, 110011.



Subject: Thanks for continued support to BSNL and request for appointment of a Regular CMD for the desired growth of BSNL and to meet challenges in the telecom sector.

Respected Sir,

On behalf of the Unions and Associations of BSNL, we express our sincere appreciation for the continued efforts of the Government in strengthening and expanding the services of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL), as well as for the initiatives taken to overcome the challenges faced by the organization.

We have been closely observing the proactive role played by the Hon'ble Minister of Communications and the officials of the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) in supporting BSNL. The various revival packages, policy initiatives, and strategic decisions undertaken by the Government have significantly boosted the morale of the workforce. These measures have not only reinforced our commitment but have also strengthened our resolve to contribute effectively towards the vision of a digitally empowered India.

We also express our gratitude for the approval granted for the installation of one lakh 4G towers in BSNL. We are hopeful that similar proactive steps will be taken for the upgradation of these towers to 5G technology in the near future. On our part, the employees are fully committed and have taken up the challenge of transforming BSNL into a profitable Public Sector Undertaking in line with the Government's vision.

BSNL continues to remain a vital pillar in providing affordable and inclusive telecom services across the country, particularly in rural, remote, and border areas, where private operators have limited presence.

However, at the same time, we wish to draw your kind attention to a critical issue affecting the organization – the prolonged absence of a regular Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) for the past two years.

BSNL, being a strategic Public Sector Undertaking, requires strong and stable leadership at the highest level. The absence of a full-time CMD has resulted in administrative and operational constraints, affecting overall efficiency and long-term planning. The current arrangement of additional charge has inevitably led to limitations in decision-making, delays in execution of key projects, and lack of continuity in leadership.

Major initiatives such as network expansion, technological upgrades including 4G and 5G rollout, financial restructuring, and strengthening BSNL's competitive position in the telecom sector require focused and dedicated leadership.

Further, this situation has also impacted employee morale, as there is a perceived lack of stable direction and strategic clarity. Despite the commitment and resilience of the workforce, uncertainty persists in aligning efforts with long-term organizational goals. It has also affected customer confidence, vendor engagement, and the overall public perception of BSNL's revival process.


In view of the above, we earnestly request your kind intervention for the immediate appointment of a full-time, regular CMD for BSNL. Strong, dedicated and regular leadership will not only restore confidence among employees but also ensure the timely execution of critical initiatives. It will further strengthen BSNL's role in achieving the Government's vision of meeting the communication needs of the general public, particularly in the telecom sector across the country.


We assure you that the employees of BSNL remain fully committed to the growth and revival of the organization and stand ready to extend wholehearted support under strong and stable leadership.


We sincerely hope for your sympathetic consideration of this matter and early action.

With highest regards,


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3. Respected Ms Mallika Srinivasan, Secretary PESB, Public Enterprise Bhawan, CGO Complex, New Delhi 110001 for kind information and n/a please.
4. Respected Sri. Amit Agrwal ji, Secretary, Department of Telecommunications, Sanchar Bhawan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi for kind information please.