

UNITED FORUM OF BSNL EXECUTIVES' ASSOCIATIONS

Central Head Quarters, New Delhi

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To

**Sri. R. K. Upadhyay,
CMD, BSNL.
New Delhi-110001**

Sub: Brutal attack on late Com Sukendar Pal Singh, Dist Secretary, BSNLEU and an employee of BSNL, in the cabin of Sri Adesh Kumar Gupta, GM/TD Ghaziabad on 22.10.2012, who succumbed to death in the GMTD premises within minutes. Deliberate inaction of the Management to take even minimal action to repatriate GM/Ghaziabad to DOT to facilitate fair investigation not only deplorable, but a clear attempt to sabotage fair investigation to nab culprit.

Sir,

You are well aware of the fact the Com Sukendra Pal Singh, Dist Secretary, BSNLEU and an employee of BSNL was brutally attacked in the Cabin of Sri Adesh Kumar Gupta, GM/TD, Ghaziabad on 22.10.2012. Immediately after that he succumbed to death in the GMTD premises itself. The least that any management having some sense of administration of justice would have done was to immediately shift GM/TD Ghaziabad involved in the incident directly.

More than 2.75 lakh employees of BSNL are aghast at the deliberate inaction of BSNL management by not even taking elementary action of shifting the concerned GM. More than two weeks have elapsed since the incident took place, but BSNL management is unmoved. **This apathy and inhuman attitude of BSNL Management to protect blue eyed ITS even in such criminal cases is witnessed by erstwhile DOT and present BSNL employees for the first time and BSNL management is scripting a glorious history by trying to protect non-optee ITS in such cases also. It has never happened in the past.**


Even in petty criminal cases, let alone murder, DOT and BSNL Management has been always impartial and swift in taking prompt and impartial action.


While law and order will take its own course of action and BSNL Management has no role in that, but to facilitate a fair and impartial investigation Sri Adesh Kumar Gupta, GM/TD should have been shifted instantaneously. **The acrimony and anguish that is deep penetrating into lakhs of BSNL employees will have huge consequences on the Company since a clear message is being sent by BSNL Management that it just does not care a bit about the lives of its employees. BSNL Management has completely lost confidence of lakhs of employees in administration of justice which is an integral part of the function of the Management.**


Services in Ghaziabad have collapsed completely for the last about a fortnight and there is no way that services can be restored for very obvious reasons unless the concerned GM is immediately shifted. At least from the point of view of resumption of services, if not for any concern for human lives whatsoever, BSNL management should immediately act to shift the concerned GM. BSNL is losing heavily in terms of revenues in Ghaziabad and the situation is unlikely to improve unless GM is shifted.

The management nowadays has become so much insensitive to the concerns of its own employees that there is no point in writing to the management, but, yet, considering the nature of the issue involved, we request you to take immediate action of shifting the concerned GM not only to facilitate free and fair investigation of the matter but also enable restoration of services of our esteemed users at Ghaziabad which are crumbled and unlikely to be restored unless GM is shifted because the atmosphere there is so much surcharged and vitiated.

With regards,


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- Shri Kapil Sibal, Hon'ble MOC&IT, New Delhi. This has reference to the discussions that we had with your goodself on this issue wherein you assured us of positive action.
- Shri R. Chandrasekhar, Secretary, DOT for kind intervention pl.

• Com. P. Abhimanyu GS/BSNLEU.