

Joint Membership Campaign at Trichy by SNEA and SEWA BSNL CHQ leaders: (Report by Berlin Issac AGS CHQ):

A special meeting was organized at 11 am on 17.08.2023 at Trichy in the PGM Office premises for the 3rd Membership Verification campaign in support of SNEA by the Trichy District Associations of SNEA and SEWA BSNL. The meeting was presided by Circle President SNEA, Shri P. Alagupandiaraja and was attended by the office bearers and members of SNEA and SEWA BSNL from Trichy and nearby SSAs of Thanjavur and Kumbakonam. DS SNEA Trichy Shri S. Mathiyalagan welcomed the guests particularly the CHQ and COBs of SNEA and SEWA BSNL and they were felicitated by DS SEWA Trichy Shri Thamarai Kannan and other office bearers with Shawl and bouquet. The meeting was addressed by distinguished guests of honour **Shri M S Adasul, GS SNEA, Shri N D Ram, GS SEWA, Shri P N Perumal, National Chief Advisor SEWA, Shri Titussam, National President of SEWA, Shri S. Paneerselvam, National Finance Secretary SEWA, Shri P V Rajesh Manchan, Vice President SNEA CHQ, Shri Brelin Isaac AGS SNEA, Shri V. Nagamani, Chq Advisor SEWA, Shri Valanarasu, Circle Secretary SNEA TN.**

Shri P N Permal NCA SEWA, outlined the complete failure of the MA in addressing the pending issues of the Executives and the betrayal of SEWA BSNL by the MA on various issues including safeguarding the constitutional rights of the SC/ST Executives, despite supporting them in the 2nd MV and exhorted all the Executives to vote for SNEA and ensure a huge victory for SNEA in the 3rd MV scheduled on 12.09.2023.

GS SEWA, Shri N D Ram in his detailed address highlighted the total failure of the recognized MA in the 3

years in addressing the issues of payloss, 30% SAB, 3rd PRC besides inter Circle long stay transfers which did not serve the intended purpose of addressing the deficit of Executives in different Circles. He appealed to all Executives to support SNEA wholeheartedly by voting at SI No 8 to protect the interests of BSNL and its Executives. Shri Rajesh Manchan VP SNEA in his speech underlined the positive efforts of SNEA in getting the promotion orders in various cadres including Civil/Electrical for the available posts. Shri Brelin Isaac AGS SNEA explained the shortcomings in the post-based promotions due to the drastic reduction in the vacancies in all cadres during Restructuring and the failure of the MA in addressing the issues. CS SNEA TN Circle Shri G. Valanarasu in his brief speech emphasized that SNEA has the largest membership of 13,500 Executives and together with the support of SEWA BSNL and CBOWA is poised to win the membership verification with a huge margin. He entreated the Executives to vote for SNEA at SI No 8 for the strongest unity of the Executive fraternity which would help in resolution of all the pending issues of the Executives including the payloss, 30% SAB, promotion and 3rd PRC.

Finally, GS SNEA Shri M S Adasul addressed the huge gathering with his scintillating speech and attributed the lack of unity among Executives to the non-resolution of the various HR issues. He expressed his appreciation for CMD BSNL and the Govt of India for the revival packages extended to BSNL which has tremendously helped BSNL to come out of the difficult situations and was optimistic that BSNL would flourish in the coming days due to the dedicated and hard work put in by all the BSNL Executives. He appealed to all the Executives to support SNEA in the forthcoming 3rd MV and ensure that SNEA wins with an overwhelming margin which would ultimately help in resolving the long pending issues of the Executives. Circle

Treasurer SNEA TN, Shri K.J. Kishore Kumar conveyed the vote of thanks and the meeting concluded with the National Anthem