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To

**Shri Gopal Das,
Director (HRD), BSNL CO,
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan
Janpath, New Delhi 110 001**

Sub: - **Immediate payment of Interim Relief to non-executives – reg.**

Sir,

The wage revision for executives in BSNL is over and their March 2009 salary is being paid as per revised pay scales. Forty percent of the arrears due from 01.01.2007 on account of pay revision will be paid to them soon, before 31.03.2009.

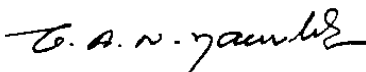
On the other hand, as in other PSUs, the wage revision for non-executives in BSNL is still under negotiation stage only. In other PSUs like NTPC, GAIL, SAIL and Coal India etc. interim relief / advance was paid to the non-executives pending wage revision.

The process of wage negotiation and thereafter confirmation of the wage agreement by DoT may take a few months. But there is no justification for not paying any thing to non-executives while implementing revised pay for executives along with payment of arrears.

Therefore, as already demanded by the union, we request for payment of Interim Relief at the rate of 50% of basic pay or Rs.3000/- per month, which ever is more, to all the non-executives with effect from 01.01.2007, pending wage revision. Along with this, we demand for expeditious conclusion of wage negotiation process and agreement for non-executives.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,



**(V.A.N. NAMBOODIRI)
General Secretary**