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> To Shri P.K.Purwar, Chairman and Managing Director, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Request for immediate payment of GSLI amount to those who retired Under BSNL VRS 2019 – reg

R/Sir,

It has been brought to our notice that in most of the Circles, the BSNL VRS-2019 retirees have not received the BSNL GSLI amount due to them after their retirement. According to the terms and conditions of the scheme, "the membership of the scheme in respect of a member shall terminate upon the Member ceasing to be in the service of the Employer, either on superannuation or voluntary retirement" and "Upon termination of the Membership, the Life assurance benefit of the member shall cease forthwith and the amount at his credit in the Running Account as determined in Rule 8(ii) shall become payable."

- 2. Unfortunately, it has been reported that most of the BSNL VRS-2019 retirees have not received their payment from the scheme, even after lapse of four months from the date of their retirement. It is learnt that in many Circles, BSNL has not even raised claim with the LIC of India for payment of the amount at credit of the members.
- 3. In view of the above, we shall be extremely thankful if you kindly issue instructions to all Head of the Circles to look into the matter and ask them to verify whether claim of GSLI for VRS 2019 optees has been sent from their concerned office to the LIC of India or not? If not, then ask them to forward the same to the concerned office of LIC of India on immediate basis. Please ensure that the BSNL VRS-2019 retirees get their full GSLI payment alongwith the interest of delayed period from LIC of India without further delay.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Rakesh Sethi)

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