

Meeting with GM (Estt.) on 18.02.2009

General Secretary, Com. V.A.N. Namboodiri along with Com. K.R. Yadav, Vice President and Com. S.C. Bhattacharjee, Treasurer, met Shri D.P. De, GM (Estt.) / BSNL and discussed the following issues:

IDA 6.2%

GM (Estt.) stated orders for increase of IDA of 6.2% from 01.01.2009 has not been received from DPE so far. We suggested that the DoT as also DPE may be contacted and get orders issued. We also suggested that since the increase of 6.2% is already known, the BSNL may also issue orders as has been done in the case of certain PSUs. GM (Estt.) assured that he will consult concerned officers in DoT & DPE for early issue of orders.

Promotion Policy

The union demanded the Promotion Policy orders be issued early. GM (Estt.) stated that the management note is being finalized and may be submitted to the Management Committee this week or next week for approval.

Reduction of service condition for appearing in the JTO Examination 35% & 15%

The union demanded that agreement in National Council for reducing the service condition from 10 years may be finalized early. GM (Estt.) assured that the process for reducing the service condition for appearing both in 35% & 15% is being finalized.