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भारत सरकार  
Minister of Communications and  
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Government of India

D.O. No. 34-45/2019-Pen(T)

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**Dear Shri S. Venkatesan Ji,**

Please refer to your D.O. letter No. 142-1-2024/Urban/MP/Madurai dated 11.11.2024 regarding "Pension Revision for BSNL/MTNL retirees."

I have got the matter examined in the Department. It has been informed that pension revision is intrinsically linked with pay revision of serving employees to avoid the anomaly of pension amount between present and future retirees of the same status and grade. Due to the current financial condition of BSNL, it has not been possible for the Government to agree to the demand of pay revision of BSNL employees as per 3rd PRC. Accordingly, pension revision without pay revision is also not possible at this stage.

Further, the issue of pension revision w.e.f. 01.01.2017 of BSNL/MTNL combined service opted employees is currently sub-judice before Hon'ble High Court of Delhi.

I hope this clarifies the position.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely,

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