

Election defeat haunts Com. Namboodri...

Even before the election date it seems Com. Namboodri has accepted his defeat. He has copied the strike notice issued by the “ **BSNL WORKERS ALLIANCE**” and its demands for the one day strike on 19/12/2008.

BSNLEU which was a recognized union from December 2004 to 21st December 2008 did not bother to negotiate with the management for 2nd wage revision or interim relief. Now very much interested to demand both since election are announced on 21st January 2009. BSNLEU did not oppose the reduction of Rs 3000/- in the Bonus but justified on the ground of reduction in revenue/profit. But after 3 months the BSNLEU now demands Rs 10000/- as minimum bonus and served strike notice on this demand. It is nothing but a fraud to cheat our employees and snatch their votes.

Com. Namboodri who has signed the agreement for 4 promotions without any reservation for SC/ST employees now shed ‘CROCODILE TEARS’ for the SC/ST employees and demand reservation for them since the election date is fast approaching. When BSNLEU met in its CWC meeting at KOLKATTA from 3rd to 5th Nov 2008 did not bother to decide any program of action for the demands of the employees now suddenly announced two day strike on 11th & 12th Dec 2008 by merely copying the demands and program of action already announced by NFTE(BSNL) and its alliance partners. Com. Namboodri who could not face the wrath of our employees throughout the country for his utter failure on all fronts now playing gimmicks only to cheat the employees. During the last 4 years he never organized a strike successfully which culminated in any agreement. Almost all the five strikes announced by Com. Namboodri were finally postponed at the last minute merely on the verbal assurances of the Minister/Management. On the issue of irregularities in allocation of 2G spectrum Com. Namboodri supported the minister whole heartedly gave him a good certificate suddenly started accusing the Minister for irregularities in the allocation of 2G spectrum only after the Marxist party criticized our Minister for the loss of Rs 60000/-crores. Thus Com. Namboodri is a confused man now and already made its mind to face the worst defeat in the coming election on 21st January 2009 to select the recognized union.

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