

One more drama by BSNLEU:

As the election date is fastly approaching the recognized union is panicky and worried at the sure defeat. Hence it has announced one more drama on 11/01/2011. On that day it has given a call for nation wide dharna demanding settlement on certain issues. The issues raised for this dharna are all old and in fact accepted by the BSNLEU before the management.

One of the demand is merger of 78.2% IDA with pay. Everybody knew that when there was an order from DPE to merge 78.2% IDA with pay in all PSU's during wage revision even before BSNLEU began wage revision talks with management. Instead of insisting implementation of DPE order the recognized union surrendered to the management and accepted 68.8% IDA which is lower than the 78.2% IDA merger. Due to this costly mistake by BSNLEU all our employees loosing on an average Rs 2000/- per month. But NFTE-BSNL pointed out this mistake and joined all the agitations for securing 78.2% IDA merger during the last one year.

When all the unions /associations went on strike on two occasions in April-2010 and December-2010 for this demand the management was adamant and refused to accept our demand. When united strike of both Executives/ Non executives could not settle this demand it is ridiculous to expect the management to settle this demand when BSNLEU alone conducts dharna for the same demand. Hence it is nothing but drama by BSNLEU to show that it is serious and sincere to achieve this demand. But our enlightened employees will not be fooled by this drama.

We hope BSNLEU will be defeated in the next verification due to this single mistake.

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