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To,

Ms. Aruna Sundararajan,  
Secretary, DoT  
Ministry of Communications,  
Sanchar Bhawan 20,  
Ashoka Road, New Delhi – 110001

**Sub: - Decision of the Union Cabinet to form BSNL's Subsidiary Tower Company – reg.**

Madam,

Our Union wishes to bring the following to your kind notice, for favour of information and for appropriate action. It is learned from the updating of the Press Information Bureau that, the Union Cabinet has given approval on 12.09.2017, for the formation of BSNL's Subsidiary Tower Company. Consequent to this, all the 66,000 mobile towers of BSNL, will also be hived off to this Subsidiary Tower Company. **When the DoT sent the Cabinet Note for the formation of a Subsidiary Tower Company, the employees of BSNL have strongly opposed the idea, by going on a total one day strike on 15.12.2016.** It is very unfortunate that, despite this opposition from the employees, the Union Cabinet has taken decision to form the Subsidiary Tower Company. Our Union strongly opposes this decision and requests the government to reverse the decision.

In view of the above facts, Our Union NUBSNLW (FNTU) strongly demands the Government of India to reverse its decision to form a Subsidiary Tower Company of BSNL. **To oppose the government's decision to form a Subsidiary Tower Company, NUBSNLW (FNTU) will conduct country wide protest lunch hour demonstrations tomorrow the 15.09.2017.** It is also being contemplated to intensify the struggles, in case the government does not pay attention to the demand.

With regards

Yours Sincerely

(K. Jayaprakash)  
General Secretary

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- (1) The Hon'ble Minister of State for Communications, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi –1
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- (3) Ms. Sujata T. Ray, Director (HR), BSNL, Bharat Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi - 1