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To,
Shri Anshu Prakash IAS,
Chairman DCC & Secretary (T),
Department of Telecommunications, MOC, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Request for considering priority for early vaccination to DoT officials-reg.

Respected Sir,

Kind attention is invited that the Department of Telecommunications has been categorized as Essential Service Department by MHA, Govt. of India. Since 1st wave of Covid19 till the current second wave, the Department of Telecommunications/its officials have been rendering selfless service to the Common Men throughout India as frontline Warriors and have come forward to stand with the Government, the administration & serving the common citizens in this pandemic Covid situation.

The second wave of COVID19 is ravaging the whole country, officials of Department of Telecommunications including its state-run offices-CCAs/LSAs and PSUs viz BSNL, MTNL, BBNL& ITI. During this second wave, overall, around 20 officials of DOT, 125 of BSNL, 15 of MTNL, 10 of ITI have lost their lives due to COVID. Some of the Senior DoT Officers who got Covid including Member (Finance) Shri P K Sinha, Member (Services) Shri B K Jog, Additional Secretary Mrs. Anita Praveen, additional Administrator of USOF Shri Manoj Anand and several other DDG/Director/Middle level officers/officials. In all, around 90 officials of DoT headquarters Sanchar Bhawan have been infected with the Virus.

The Member (Finance) & the Member (Services) are also Members of Digital Communications Commission (DCC) which is the highest decision-making body of DoT. Some senior officers from Delhi- Shri S K Gupta Pr.CCA & Director Finance MTNL passed away & Shri Vinod Kumar Director Finance BBNL also lost his life due to covid. The situation of state-run offices is also very grim & almost the same, despite of Covid at its peak, the officers/officials are attending offices as per instructions.

In view of above, I humbly request to your good self to arrange <u>priority for early vaccination to the officers/ officials of the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) & their family members by treating them as Covid Front Warriors</u>. It will give a positive motivation to the them. We shall be highly thankful to you sir,

With warm regards,

Yours faithfully

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Copy to: -

(i) Shri Rajesh Bhushan-IAS, Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, MOH & FW, New Delhi. He is humbly requested for favourable consideration please.

(ii) The Member (Finance) DCC, DoT, Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.

(iii) The CGCA, DoT, NICF Campus, Ghitorani, New Delhi

Yours faithfully

General Secretary