

Report on Lunch Hrs Dharna by ARTEE in DG (AIR)

As informed earlier, ARTEE gave a notice for a peaceful Lunch hour Dharna from 11:30 to 14:30 hrs in Akashwani Bhawan, New Delhi on five issues i.e. ACP PATNA, One Cadre One Pay, Tech vs LA Pay Parity, Helper ACP and Recoveries from Employees.

Yesterday (17.06.15), DDA (Welfare) Sh. Ramesh Kumar Negi sent a letter to the President informing the denial of permission for this Dharna. It is a normal exercise in a situation of agitation. Today the 18th June 2015, Security officer along with some Police Officers had a Meeting with President and asked to postpone the Dharna, which President refused.

At 11:00 Hon'ble Ministry of I & B again issued a clarification about delegation of powers about ACP to DG (AIR). This is a welcome development and it reiterated our earlier stand. We told Police authorities that we shall inform this positive development to our members, who will come to attend the Dharna. In the meantime, around 200 ARTEE members gathered in Akashwani Bhawan.

Sh. Nagendra Singh, State Gen.Secy of B.M.S and Sh. Pawan Kumar ji, Sangathan Mantri, BMS also arrived and the Dharna Started. DG (AIR) called representatives of ARTEE and President Sh. Umesh Chandra & Sh. Yogesh Kumar met officials and DG (AIR) assured of all steps in implementing ACP PATNA and other issues. He assured to constitute the Screening Committee at the earliest opportunity. He also assured to form a committee to monitor the implementation.

After the Address of President and B.M.S leaders, the Dharna was disbursed with slogans of Bharat Mata Ki Jai and ARTEE Zindabad. The Dharna was a mighty display of Strength of ARTEE and was attended by more than 200 Members.

The fight on issues is On and it will continue till the implementation.

[Click here for Letter issued by DDA \(Welfare\) Sh. Ramesh Kr. Negi](#)

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