

Gate Meeting to Protest Against the Recoveries

A huge gathering of 300+ Members belonging to ARTEE, PSA & ADP3, representing 11 Categories of the beneficiaries of the 25/2/1999 executive order, protested against the Recoveries being done, due to the decision of the Hon'ble Ministry of I & B to consider these scales as an Upgradation while granting MACP.

The leadership of the three Associations had met the Hon'ble Minister of I&B, Sh. Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore on 6th Jan 2015, who gave a Positive Assurances. Meanwhile, three Associations, served the notice for the Gate Meeting on 16/01/2015. The leadership held Meetings in various Stations of Delhi to make this Gate Meeting a huge success.

Yesterday (15.01.2015), I received a call from Sh. Pawan Kumar ji, Sangathan Mantri, BMS who has been instrumental in solving the issue. Sh. Pawan Kumar informed me that the Hon'ble Minister called him and asked that when he has given the positive assurance, why the Gate Meeting is being called?. Sh. Pawan Kumar took the update from me and informed the Hon'ble Minister that no positive output came out, rather a bureaucratic approach is being adopted by the Ministry. The Hon'ble Minister asked him to send employee representatives to meet him at 12:30 hrs.

At 11:30, the leaders of all three Associations met in the Akashwani Bhawan to decide the strategy and headed to meet the Hon'ble Minister. In the Ministry, we were asked to meet Joint Secretary, B-II and take an update. The issue was discussed with J.S.(B-2). The Hon'ble MOS met us and took the update and called J.S.(B-2) and clearly told him to handle the issue in the spirit of favoring the employee side. We suggested that till the issue is decided the Recoveries may be kept in Abeyance. The Hon'ble MOS assured and asked J.S.(B-2) to work in this direction.

Meanwhile, the Gate Meeting in Akashwani Bhawan was going on. Addl.G.S., VP(TV), VP(NZ), Secy.(AE) were addressing and handling the huge crowd of 300+ people.

We came back with the very positive assurances from the Ministry and updated the Members, who applauded the efforts of leadership and the Meeting ended with a firm Resolve to settle the matter forever.

The show of Unity and Solidarity is successful in conveying the strong message. On behalf of ARTEE leadership, we convey our Resolve to handle the issue with full might and strength.

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Huge Gathering of 300+ in Akashwani Bhawan





Sh. Gajendra Sharma, VP(AIR), Addressing and updating about ongoing meeting.



Sh. Umesh Chandra, President, Addressing, Dr. Santosh Nahar, VP, PSA (Left) and Sh. Umesh Mishra, President, ADP3 (Right)



Gathering listening the updates with full sincerity.



Sh. L.R.Gupta, VP(NZ) Addressing



Sh. A.K.Singhal, Secy.(AE) Addressing



Sh. Dashrath Prasad, PSA, Addressing



Sh. Rajesh Gautam , Addl.G.S., Addressing



Sh. Yogesh Kumar, VP(TV) Addressing



Sh. Dilip Jha, P.S.A. addressing