

The Joint Committee Meeting on PLI has taken place today under the Chairmanship of Shri Shamin Akhtar, Sr. GM(SR). The GM(Restg) supplied the targets of years 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 and thereafter discussions commenced.

The NFTE representative, Com. Islam Ahmad, mentioned the following points.

(i) There should be another Column of “Fair” besides Excellent, Very Good and Good.

(ii) Minimum of PLI amount is fixed.

(iii) Revenue earnings and sales should not be linked for PLI as BSNL is facing tough completion and there is no materials and equipments in the field. Moreover, PLI is not linked with the profit and performance. The official did not agree and maintained while it will not be linked with the profit but revenue earnings will be retained.

(iv) Record of discussions should be prepared.

The Committee will meet now on 12th March.

Forum meeting with Management under the Chairmanship of CMD:-

In the meeting Shri. A.N. Rai Director HR, Shri N.K. Gupta Director GM, Shri Shamin Akhtar Sr. GM(SR), and Smt. Sujata Rey ED(F) were present from management side. Com. C. Singh G.S. NFTE & Chairman, Forum participated in the meeting.

CMD while welcomed the staff side, and appreciated their concerns for revival of BSNL. Thereafter, items were discussed. The staff side drew the attention of CMD towards Deolittee recommendations regarding restructuring of BSNL and its human resources. The CMD assured the staff side that the deolittee recommendations will not be accepted to create any unrest amongst the workers, specially he assured that the retirement and transfer of workers beyond its norms will not be allowed. CMD also projected his future plan in respect of revival of BSNL. He added that the BSNL will spend the money on core net work data business and Wi-Fi as now the GSM business is on almost saturation stage. He assured that the HR plan of staff will be finalised after taking the view of the staff side.