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## FIGHT IT OUT

Dear friends,

**BSNL/MTNL pensioners all over the country express their anguish over the mischievous move of the DOT authorities in filing an appeal in Delhi High Court against CAT judgement regarding pension revision.**

Since 25-3-2022, we met the Hon. Minister five times. He categorically told that "pension revision and pay revision can-not go together." On the last occasion he indicated that DOT would not file an appeal against CAT order. But it is done.

We met the Secretary, Telecom on 15-11-2023 and also on 9-2-2024 in Sanchar Bhavan. Again we met him at Bengaluru on 9-3-2024. Secretary told that DOT has sent some proposals to Dept of Expenditure. That means DOT was prepared to implement CAT judgement.

Now DOT has filed a Writ Petition, with many a documents, running to 630 pages. It shows the officers had started the work much earlier, may be in January 2024 itself.

Hence We are surprised by the action of DOT.

Now, we have only one way out. Fight it out. Legally.

We had some discussion with our lawyer. We have decided to challenge the WP at the admission stage itself. We have decided to engage a senior lawyer also. It may be costly. But we have to do it.

We shall fight for justice. We shall get it.

Yours fraternally,

V Varaprasad  
General Secretary

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