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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

**(53)+ W.P.(C) 4946/2024 & CM APPL. 20274/2024**

**UNION OF INDIA THROUGH ITS SECRETARY  
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATION & ORS.**

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr.Kirtiman Singh, Sr. Adv.  
with Ms.Laavanya Kaushik,  
GP, Mr.Maulik Khurana,  
Mr.Arjun Chopra and  
Ms.Khyaati Bansal, Advs.

versus

**ALL INDIA RETIRED BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM  
LIMITED EXECUTIVE WELFARE ASSOCIATION AND  
ORS.**

.....Respondents

Through: Mr.Ankur Chhibber and  
Ms.Gauri Puri, Advs.

**(54) W.P.(C) 4955/2024 & CM APPL. 20291/2024**

**UNION OF INDIA & ORS.**

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr.Kirtiman Singh, Sr. Adv.  
with Ms.Laavanya Kaushik,  
GP, Mr.Maulik Khurana,  
Mr.Arjun Chopra and  
Ms.Khyaati Bansal, Advs.

versus

**ALL INDIA BSNL PENSIONERS WELFARE  
ASSOCIATION & ORS.**

.....Respondents

Through: Mr.Sanjoy Ghose, Sr. Adv.  
with Ms.Asmita Singh,  
Mr.Rohan Mandal, Ms.Ankita  
Makan and Ms.Disha Joshi,  
Advs.



(55) **W.P.(C) 4985/2024 & CM APPL. 20392/2024**

**UNION OF INDIA & ORS.**

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr.Kirtiman Singh, Sr. Adv.  
with Ms.Laavanya Kaushik,  
GP, Mr.Maulik Khurana,  
Mr.Arjun Chopra and  
Ms.Khyaati Bansal, Advs.

versus

**RETIRED TELECOM OFFICERS WELFARE  
ASSOCIATION & ORS.**

.....Respondents

Through: Mr.Ankur Chhibber and  
Ms.Gauri Puri, Advs.

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAVIN CHAWLA**

**HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MADHU JAIN**

**ORDER**

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**19.08.2025**

1. The learned senior counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have filed an additional affidavit to place on record the Order dated 30.10.2019 passed by the learned Central Administrative Tribunal, Ernakulam Bench, in O.A. No. 180/00346/2018, **titled *All India BSNL Pensioners' Welfare Association & Anr. v. Union of India & Ors.***, and the Judgment dated 07.02.2025 passed by the High Court of Kerala at Ernakulam, as well as the Order dated 08.08.2025 passed by the Supreme Court in SLP (C) Diary No. 39478/2025, whereby the petitioners were granted liberty to file a review against the Judgment dated 07.02.2025 passed by the High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam in OP (CAT) No.60/2020. He further submits that he has also placed on record the Office Memorandums dated 17.07.2018 and



27.03.2025, which may have some bearing on the issue to be adjudicated before this Court.

2. On the other hand, the learned senior counsel and Mr. Ankur Chhibber, the learned counsels appearing for the respondents, submit that they will not be placing any reliance on the Judgment of the High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam in OP (CAT) No.60/2020, referred to hereinabove. They submit that the said Judgment pertained to an altogether different issue.

3. Be that as it may, since the additional affidavit is not yet on record. Let the same be brought on record.

4. The respondents shall be at liberty to file a brief reply to the additional affidavit, if they so desire, within a period of two weeks from today.

5. List on 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 at 3:30 P.M..

**NAVIN CHAWLA, J**

**MADHU JAIN, J**

**AUGUST 19, 2025/sg/DG**