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To

Shri Prahlad Rai,
General Secretary,
AIBSNLEA,
New Delhi 110 001

Subject: Convening of Extra-ordinary General Body meeting

Comrade,

This refers your letter No. AIBSNLEA/CHQ/TESA/2008 dated 11.05.2008 forwarding some identical 'representations' from some of the Office Bearers/Circle Secretaries/CEC Members of TESA (I) for convening an extra-ordinary General Body meeting of TESA (I). You can not deny that the present drive for collection of signatures on the identical representations was initiated in your last CWC Meet held at Bangalore. Subsequently your Association also took extra-ordinary initiative to collect signatures from left out Circle Secretaries/CEC Members of TESA (I) separately on identical format. This is not the first time that AIBSNLEA took this extra-ordinary measure in regard to the affairs of TESA (I). Earlier also, your Association had taken similar initiative in the CWC Meet held at Bhubaneswar. At that time, in your anxiety to collect signatures from Circle Secretaries and others, you got it signed even by those who are either not eligible to even become primary member of TESA (I) or not actually the Circle Secretary of TESA (I). This time also, three of the signatories named in your above quoted letter/enclosed paper containing joint signatures are not the Circle Secretaries of TESA (I).

2. However, I would neither like to discuss here what action TESA (I) would be taking based on these 'representations' collected and forwarded by you nor I would share our thought on the future of our Association. After all, it is our internal matter and no external interference is therefore desirable. I also take strong exception to your unnecessary interference in our affairs. You have also gone beyond your jurisdiction and authority by asking our President, while marking a copy of your above letter to him, to hold the emergency General Body meeting in case the extra-ordinary General Body meeting is not convened within the deadline set by you. Your past and present moves make it crystal clear that you are eying only for the assets of this Association alone. That is why there was no similar move initiated by you in your

CWC to have similar signature campaign from the Circle Secretaries/Office Bearers/CWC Members of other Associations – even though this would also have been an interference in the internal affairs of other Associations. I wonder how another Association i.e. AFSSOA can put a condition that TESA (I) is to first hold its Conference and then only AFSSOA will take similar action. It is also surprising how you could agree with this and expect TESA (I) to fulfill their wish. TESA (I) can also take similar stance that let AFSSOA first hold its Conference. I do not know how you will react to that. You may recall that it was once mutually agreed that all Associations will hold their Conference along with the Conference of AIBSNLEA in January 2006. But it was only TESA (I) which made the right move, but others did not. But it is surprising that our Association alone is being always targeted for wrong reasons.

3. By all your questionable moves, it seems that you have crossed the limit of your authority and also lost the sense of decency. You have tried to create a division in TESA (I) by your signature campaign and inviting President, TESA (I) in your CWC to be a party in your wrong move. I strongly believe that our Office Bearers/Circle Secretaries/CEC Members are wise enough to understand that they do not need any outsider to teach them what steps are required to run the affairs of their own Association. They had and still have free access to their own CHQ and do not require the assistance of any middleman to reach their own CHQ.

3. At this moment, I can only say that we will shortly reach to all our members including the signatories of the AIBSNLEA sponsored signature campaign in regard to the questions raised and about our future action plan. Further, I find that an impression has been embedded in you that TESA (I) stands merged with AIBSNLEA because BSNL had said so in its letter granting limited facilities to AIBSNLEA. This is wrong. I will shortly clarify the position to BSNL.

With regards,

Yours comradely,



(S Basu)
General Secretary

Copy to:

Shri K Balasubramanian,

President, TESA (I). - The above quoted letter is signed in the capacity of GS, AIBSNLEA. President may please consider whether any other association can collect signatures from the Circle Secretaries/CWC members of another association and direct President of that association to convene emergency GB meeting and thereby interfere in the internal affairs of the association. I request the President, TESA (I) to preserve and protect the Constitution of TESA (I).