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Dated 1st May, 2024

To:

Hon'ble Shri Narendrabhai Modi Ji,
Prime Minister,
Govt. of India, New Delhi

Sub: A request to save the Workers & Pensioners of 255 Public Sector Units from facing financial loss due to non-notification of All India Consumer Price Index for Industrial workers.

Most Respected Shri Narendrabhai Modi Ji,
Jay Ambe and Jay Shri Ram,

We are fully aware of your hectic Touring schedule being election time, but with all regrets we have to bring to your kind notice that without any official notification; either from the Cabinet nor from Ministry of Expenditure, Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India, has not published Consumer Price Index for February 2024 on March 28, 2024.

Sir, it is for your kind information that in each quarter, the Price Index is notified by the Labour Bureau, Simla on Last Friday of the quarter; which has resulted into non-issuance of order for increase/decrease in Industrial Dearness Allowance by the MoE.

Non-publication of Consumer Price Index for February 2024 on March 28, 2024, resulted into depriving the Workers & Pensioners of 255 Public Sector Units from financial gain. Not only these, but thousands of workers are retiring by end of each month and their pension is fixed on last pay drawn and all are deprived from their rightful fixation for want of orders for IDA w.e.f. 01.04.2024.

We have so far during the period of last 24 years never face such situation giving negative signals to industrial workforce and pensioners as well.

We hope that since DOPPW is under your control, you will appreciate the financial woe of pensioners and save them from distress and financial loss in their retired life.

With Regards,

Yours Sincerely,

(D.D.MISTRY)

General Secretary

Copy to (1) Hon'ble Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister, GOI, New Delhi

(2) Hon'ble Shri Bhupender Yadav, Ministry of Labour & Employment, GOI, New Delhi