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The Hon'ble Chief Minister Government of Telengana Hyderabad, Telengana.

Sub: Intervention towards amicable settlement of dispute between striking Electricity Workers and Electricity Corporations.

Dear Sir,

We, on behalf of Electricity Employees of India convey our grave concern over the dispute cropped up between the Electricity Workers of your state and management of the Telengana Electricity Corporations.

We understand the main issue of the dispute is Equal Wage for Equal Work. It is not beyond your knowledge that Electricity is a continuous process service right from its Generation, Transmission and Distribution. Electricity workers are to render 24x7 round the year service. Besides some construction or extension of network, there is no scope of engagement of casual, contract, out sourced workers within the ambit of Contract Labour Regulation and Abolition Act, 1970 and rules framed there upon.

We have noted Electricity unions of your state representing majority of the workers organized peaceful demonstration and various form of protest to achieve their lawful demand. Management of the Electricity Corporations did not pay any heed to their justified demands even after historic order of the Apex Court issued on 26th October, 2016. We find enough reasons for the trade unions of your state functioning in the Electricity Industry towards resorting to path of strike.

On behalf of Electricity Employees' Federation of India, we solicit your prompt intervention so that plight of the people of the state due to strike in Electricity industry as well grievances of the striking workers be addressed with your able contemplation.

Thank you, Sincerely yours,

(Prasanta N Chowdhury)

General Secretary