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To,

The ED - N & H Asset,
ONGC - WOU,
NBP Green Heights, BKC,
Bandra (E),
Mumbai: 400 051.

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Subject: Unruly behavior and Denial of access to telephone at Heera Process Complex.

Respected Sir,

We are in a receipt of complaint letter from our member of Reservoir Section, Heera Process Platform, about denial of access to telephone, immaterial of communicating with their family or official in base, this amounts to criminal activity, as the repercussions could be fetal.

In view to recruitments at both level i.e. executive and non executive continuously for four years, there is steep rise in onboard manpower, with various request from our members towards inconvenience faced due to shortage of telephone lines, we had raised the issue at various levels including Director Offshore for Rigs as well as production platforms, for provision of additional telephone lines so that crew member can communicate with their family member at home.

When it was brought to the notice, that temporary line provided was not working for 05 days, initiative should have been taken by OIM as well as from I/C Infocom on the platform to provide telephone to the crewmembers. Whereas in contradictory to it, we are shocked to learn the unruly and rude behavior by Mr. Malikarjun in control room, who snatched the phone from the individual and commented you cannot use the phone from here, more irrational was the statement received from the OIM who quoted, get permission from ED, I will install separate line in your room.

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At the outset I would like to know since when this compartmentalization is done in using of phones, we must understand and extend maximum cooperation in providing phone facilities to crew members including executives as they stay away from their families for 14 days, leaving behind all their problems.

The attitude and behavior of OIM on the platform is highly objectionable, so also the unruly behavior of Mr. Malikarjun, we have been educating our boys not to be arrogant with any senior, but such examples are going to pollute the amicable atmosphere in the platform, and the concerned OIM will be singularly responsible for the repercussion. Why the reaction of the OIM should not be attributed as step motherly treatment to reservoir crew members.

Your esteemed authority is requested to look into the matter and direction may please be given to concern officer of ensuring such incidents do not repeat again, and our approach should be to conceive and maintain healthy atmosphere on the platform.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,


(Pradeep Mayekar)
General Secretary

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