

State Broad Band Committee 3rd Meeting Proceedings held on 22.11.2022 (Tuesday), in the chairmanship Chief Secretary of Government.

Present in the Meeting: The List is given in the Appendix.

Hon'ble Chief Secretaries started the meeting by welcoming everyone present in the meeting. The following resolutions were passed after discussion on the issues presented to the meeting.

Sl.N o	Subject	Action To be Taken	Concerned Department
1	Discussion on the implementation of the decisions taken in the second SBC meeting	It was Seriously considered that the decisions undertaken in the second SBC meetings were not implemented even after 5 months. Heads of departments were directed to take personal interest and implement all those decisions immediately.	Head of Concerned Departments.
2	Checking the progress of disposal of applications submitted	• Department of Urban Development 122 cases, Department	• ACC and Secretary UDD, Chief Commissioner

	<p>seeking permission for Right of Way.</p>	<p>of Rural Development 3789 case, and BBMP 22 Cases, was pending on PM Gati Shakti portal for Long time without settlement. It has to be Settled immediately.</p> <p>Likewise, BBMP offline 410 OFC and 70 Tower Cases and within DMA Jurisdiction (UDD) 77 OFC, and 47 Tower cases, and In the forest department 25 cases were pending for more than 2 months. It has been directed to take action for their settlement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As the Row Single Window Online Portal is not ready in full form, the 	<p>BBMP, and DMA.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of RDPR and ACS and commissioner of Panchayat raj and ACS of forest Department and Principal Chief Conservator of Forests. • Secretary E-Commerce.
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		<p>secretaries of E-Governance</p> <p>Department to hold a meeting with the concerned and prepare the portal equipping in full form. Likewise, as the action is now taking place for use of 5G service as applicable to all departments for disposal of application on street furniture including RoW taking action on making a single portal for the state.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Issuance of immediate notification to extend the period fixed for registration of Telegraph Tower and Row pending 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of ACS Urban development and RDPR.
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		<p>application by six months.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chance will be Given in the portal to mention the reason for Deemed approval and Rejection of application. • Obtain the documents only as per Row Policy by Removing the requirements to provide the E-Khatha(Form-3)/PID documentation as per department of Urban Development Portal. • Making it mandatory for Departments to inform the agency before cutting cables. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretary E-Governance. • Secretary Department of Urban Development and DMA. • ACS, UDD, Energy and Chief Commissioner BBMP.
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In RDPR 3373 cases are pending from past several months. This is the highest number in the nation. ACS, E, IT, BT and S &T and RDPR will hold a meeting with the concerned authorities and settle all the pending cases. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACS, E, IT, BT and S&T and ACS, RDPR Departments.
3	Regarding the incorporation of amendments brought in the Row Policy of the center in the policy of UDD and RDPR Departments.	Immediate action will be taken to implement the amended Row Policy brought by the Government of India in August 2022 in Row policy of UDD and RDPR Departments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACS RDPR and UDD.
4	On implementing amendments	UDD and PWD departments were advised to take action	ACS, UDD and PWD Departments.

	to the Building Construction By laws of the state to facilitate 5G service.	to incorporate the amendments in Building Construction By laws sent by the Government of India into the state Building By laws, especially to incorporate in Multi stored Building.	
5	About providing Location for 4G Saturation project by, Revenue, Forest and RDPR Departments.	Villages without telecommunication network in the state having RJIL 129 villages out of 1114 Villages and to provide network connectivity to 985 villages assigned to BSNL, it was planned to construct towers at 685 locations. Secretaries of Telecom Government of India has requested to provide Location from state Government to construct 576 tower	ACC Forest, ACS-RDPR Secretary Revenue Department and PCCF, Commissioner Panchayatharaj and Collectors of District. Directed to DOT to Corporate with BNSL and Concerned Departments.

		<p>built by the BSNL. Concerned departments Like Revenue, RDPR and Forest Departments while identifying the locations within their jurisdiction to corporate with BSNL to take action to identify suitable sites through joint survey by appointing nodal officer. Likewise as said by the Chief Speaker of BSNL, 61 Places from Forest Department, 159 Places from Revenue departments, and 67 Places form RDPR Departments to provide immediately to BSNL as suggested to take appropriate action as per provision.</p>	
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6	Regarding framing of Karnataka Right of Way Rules to provide 5G services by allowing the use of street furniture.	The central Government has informed to use the Departments and Buildings of Public institution and Street Furniture Under to state and center government to provide 5G service in the state at a short distance i.,e one at an average of 500 meters to install small cell. Likewise, other than RDPR and UDD Departments other departments and Public Institutions to use their property to give approval to TIP/TSP new policies should be formulated to enable this. It has been directed to Electronics, IT , BT and S&T Departments to frame	ACS, Electronics, IT, BT and S&T Departments.
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		one RoW Policies applicable to all Departments and Public Institutions instead of having different RoW Polies in the state.	
7	Regarding the filling details of Street Furniture to Pradhan Mantri Gati Shakthi Portal.	The Energy department has not shared the details of uploading the information about Street Furniture in the possession of state Government departments and Public institution to the Prime Mister Gati Shakthi Portal. It has been directed to upload all details including electric poles from the energy Departments in Prime Minster Gati Shakti Portal immediately .	ACS Energy Department s and managing director KPTCL, BESCOM and other all other Electricity supply companies.
8	Other Matters discussed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It has been taken experimentally the 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secretary E-Governance

	with the permission of the chief Secretary.	<p>FTTX Saturation project, under State Sagar Block School, building, Anganawadi, PAHC etc has to submit the application for telecom connection as informed that is until now was not submitted by the district commissioner of Shimoga, the Government organization who are contacted under this scheme have to pay monthly Rs.800 for that nobody is coming forward as said by the Sectreatary E-Governance. It was suggested to</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Director, DoT, Karnataka LSA,R-
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		<p>inform the Central government that the fee could not be paid.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• State Government has requested DoT officer to Identify the COE (Center of Excellence) agency to make use of 5G service in health, Education, Smart city and other public domain and enterprise partnership. <p>Director of IT has been informed to send the complete information on this.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shri. Dhananjay Gavande spoken on behalf of COAE BBMP, BESCOM and Other organization officer without informing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•ACS-UDD, ACS-RDPR and Chief Commissioner BBMP.
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		<p>earlier to avoid cutting of cables and to return the amount of more than 100crore security deposit in BBMP or actions should be taken to adjust and when a request is submitted regarding levy of industrial tariff for towers. It has been directed to concerned Departments and organization to take necessary actions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • While drawing the attention on levying of high fee on laying of cables in Lokopoyogi Ilake Mangalore and in the District of Ramanagar it was 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACS, PWD •ACS-E, IT, BT and S&T ACS, UDD and RDPR, Chief Commissioner BBMP, DMA and Commissioner Panchayath Raj.
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		<p>informed to ACS and PWD to make uniform charging system.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Colonel Kapil Handa of DIPL Organization said that the existing tower work is not going smoothly and brought to the attention of the meeting that some people were coming and causing disturbance during the installation of the tower. Telecommunication is an infrastructure project, to write letter to the Director General of Police to take necessary action against those 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACS-RDPR and Commissioner Panchayath Raj.
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		<p>obstructing its work and was asked to find out the problem encountered in the tower registration process and take appropriate measures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Despite being the order of the High Court, the PDOs ignored it and issued notices to pay tax from 2016 and cut off the electricity connections given to the tower, when this issue was brought to the notice, were asked to review it and take appropriate action.	
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(Vanditha Sharma)

Government Chief Secretary

Government of Karnataka

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Sl.No.	Name	Designation and Department
1.	Smt.Vanditha Sharma, IAS	Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka.
2	Dr.E.V.Ramana Reddy, IAS	Additional Chief Secretary, Electricity, Information Technology, Bio-Technology, and Science & Technology Department of Government of Karnataka.
4	Shri.V.PonnuRaj, IAS	Secretary to Government, Department of Personnel

		and Administrative Reforms.
3	Shri.Vinay Sharma, IFS	PCCF(FC), Forest Department.
6	Smt.Shubha Kalyan, IAS	Director, E-Governance, RDPR
7	Kumari.Manju Shri N, IAS	Director, DMA.
5	Smt.Aparna Pavate	Additional Secretary, Energy Department.
12	Shri.M.Manjunath	Under Secretary, Forest Department.
8	Shri.G.R.Ravi	Chief General Manager, BSNL.
9	Smt.Thrupthi Saksena	Deputy Director, R1, DoT LSA, Karnataka.
10	Shri.Rakesh Kumar	Consultant, R1, DoT, LSA Karnataka.
11	Shri.S.Shridhar	Director, R1, DoT, LSA Karnataka.
13	Shri.Mahantesha Bilagi, IAS	Managing Director, BESCOM.
21	Smt.Meena Nagaraj.C	Director, Department of Electricity, Information Technology, Bio-Technology.
22	Shri.Heena Naik	Consultant, KITS.

14	Shri.B.N.Girish	Additional Director, Town Panchayath, BBMP.
15	Shri.vasanth Kumar	Assistant Executive Engineer, O.F.C, BBMP.
16	Shri.lakshmisha	Executive Engineer, O.F.C, BBMP.
17	Dhananjay Gavanday	Head of Infrastructure Division, COIA.
18	Shri.kapil Handa	Principal Consultant, DIPA.
19	Shri.Mukesh Kumar	Consultant, COAI.
20	Shri Harpith Singh	DIPA