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ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT**

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From

Sri Bichitra Kumar Mishra
Joint Secretary to Government

To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
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The Principal Secretary to Government, Energy Department/
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The Principal Secretary to Government, H & UD Department/
The Principal Secretary to Government, Works Department/
The CMD, OPTCL, Bhubaneswar/
The DDG, LSA-Odisha, BSNL Bhawan/ ✓
The CGM, BSNL, Odisha Circle/
The CGM, BBNL, Odisha Circle/
The Director General, TAIPA/
The Director General, COAI/

Sub: **Minutes of 3rd Meeting of State Broadband Committee held on
26.09.2022**

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Minutes of the 3rd of State Broadband Committee meeting held on 26.09.2022 at 12:45 P.M. in 2nd Floor Conference Hall, Lok Seva Bhawan for your kind information and necessary action.

Yours Faithfully

Bichitra Kumar Mishra
Joint Secretary to Government 15/10/22



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Bijoyananda
15/10/22

Joint Secretary to Government

Memo. No. 3347 / E&IT

Date 15.10.2022

Copy forwarded to Sri Bijoyananda Mishra, Technical Advisor(Telecom),OCAC, Bhubaneswar for his kind information and necessary action.

Bijoyananda
15/10/22

Joint Secretary to Government

Minutes of Meeting of 3rd State Broadband Committee, held on 26.09.2022 at 12.45 P.M in the 2nd Floor Conference Hall, Loka Seba Bhawan.

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The 3rd Meeting of the State Broadband Committee (SBC) was held on 26.09.2022 at 12.45 P.M under the Chairmanship of the Chief Secretary to discuss the status of the action taken on issues deliberated in the 2nd SBC meeting held on 23.12.2021. The Senior Officers of different Departments / Officers DOT, BSNL, BBNL and Telecom Service Providers attended the meeting. The attendant sheet is attached **at Annexure-I**.

At the outset the Secretary to Government, E&IT Department had welcomed all the participants and briefed about the purpose of the meeting.

During the meeting a presentation was made by the Sr. DDG, DOT LSA Odisha on the requirements and updated status on the National Broadband Mission as per the following agenda points :

- a. Final List of additional Villages / Hamlets for coverage in addition to 51313 census villages (2011) to be given by State Govt. alongwith local coordinates (latitude and longitude) and village code (as per given format).
- b. Clearance of Tower/OFC NOC on the online portal and discontinuance of approval on offline mode.
- c. Formation of Working Committee for 5G Rollout in Odisha and implementation of addendum to model building by-laws 2016/National Building code.
- d. Amendment in State RoW Policy in line with amended Central RoW Policy (with 2022 amendment for 5G rollout).
- e. Utilization of BharatNet.
- f. Pending Power connections for Towers/Telecom Infrastructure: Portal/App can be developed for EB connections.

He also highlighted about the status of Telecom connectivity in the State and action taken on the points discussed in the 2nd meeting of the State Broadband Committee held on 23.12.2021. Apart from this the following agenda points were discussed.

After detailed deliberation, the following decisions were taken:

1. DoT would update the status regarding the mapping of fiber laid in the state in the PM Gati Shakti Portal for Odisha from time to time. Access should be given to the state in the centralized portal to know the status.
2. DoT to take all steps to complete the commissioning of 483 towers in LWE Ph-II within the targeted time.
3. Sr. DDG, Odisha LSA, DoT informed that DoT has received a list of additional villages/hamlets not covered in the census from the Revenue Department which is in Odia and lacking in desirable fields like Village Code, Latitude, Longitude, etc. Committee requested E&IT Department to coordinate with the Revenue & Disaster Management Department to get the required data.
4. Secretary, E&IT Department informed that the Deemed Approval as per the Amendment in the RoW Policy 2017 has already been implemented in the State RoW Portal (mits.odisha.gov.in).

5. Sr. DDG, Odisha LSA, DoT informed that DLTC has been formed in 12 districts of Odisha. He asked the state government for early formation of DLTC in rest 18 districts.
6. It is informed to the committee that the provision of EB connection to 1150 towers is still pending. The committee instructed DIPA to share the list of such towers District/Villages wise to the Government. It was decided that the E&IT Department will intimate the detailed pending cases to the electricity distribution company for doing the needful.
7. DIPA informed the committee about the theft cases of various equipment places for the Tower Installation. The committee recommends E&IT Department to inform all district SPs to take the necessary remedial measures.
8. It is also informed by DIPA that cases have been observed where the approving authority deducts 20% of the application fees in case of the rejected application. The committee recommended to check any such incident and appropriate corrective action taken.
9. CGM, BSNL stated that FTTH connections from BharatNet Phase I have been provided on application basis. Similarly, BharatNet Phase II has been executed by OPTCL under state led model. E&IT Department may consider advising all Departments to apply for FTTH connections to BSNL for services. He informed that PR&DW Department had already issued instruction to all District Collectors to apply connection to BSNL. He suggested that bulk payment can be considered as there is probability of disconnection due to non-payment on individual basis.

As regards to execution of MOU between BSNL and E&IT Department under consideration for service roll out from BharatNet Phase-II infrastructure, Secretary E&IT stated that a new SPV will sign the agreement.

CGM, BSNL, has also mentioned that the end equipment such as ONT, OFC termination are kept at GP locations under custody of GP. It is observed that GP officials are regularly switching off the power after office hours and on holidays which is hampering FTTH services catered from the GPs. He request that PR&DW Department may consider issuing instructions to field units in this regard.


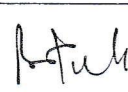





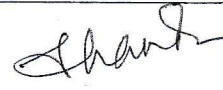


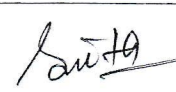
10. It was submitted by the CGM, BSNL that USOF funded 4G Saturation project is being implemented by BSNL with a target to complete it by the Dec. 2023. The request has been placed with E&IT Department for allocation of 2000 sq.ft. of land free of cost and electricity connection with estimated load of 5 KVA per site. The survey work has been completed and there will be requirement of 1600 sites for covering 2792 villages in 4G network. He requested nominating one SPOC at District level for land allotment and other support to BSNL by District Administration.
11. The Chairman agreed to instruct the District to extend all support for Saturation project and seek the approval of Government on premium free Govt. land.

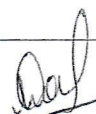


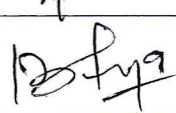
The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair and participants.


Chief Secretary

3rd Meeting of the State Broadband Committee held on
26.09.2022 at 12.45 PM under the Chairmanship of Chief
 Secretary in Second Floor Conference Hall of LokaSeva Bhawan

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