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The Secretary
Department of Information & Science Technology,
Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun

AS (EST)

(Signature)
18/12/20

Sub: Follow up of the points of deliberations and decisions taken in the 1st SBC (State Broadband Committee) meeting under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Govt. of Uttarakhand on 02-11-2020.

Dear Sir,

Following broad discussions and decisions were taken in the above meeting

1. Regarding List of Hamlets of respective villages, the CS, Govt. of UK had suggested that this data/information will be provided by Peyjal department of Govt. of Uttarakhand as they are in the process of implementing 'Har Ghar Nal' project of Hon'ble CM of UK. The directions issue in this regard may be shared. It is requested that the Village list should accompany with the Village, 2011 Census Code to avoid any discrepancy.
2. It was decided in the meeting that in each district CDO will be the Nodal officer who will be assisted by the Executive officers of Nagar Panchayat/Palika & Municipal commissioner or his representative in the Nagar Nigam. The CS, Govt. of Uttarakhand also instructed that at the district level, the Statistical department of the district headed by the District Statistical Officer (DSTO) which keeps the data/information about Government Institutions like Primary /Secondary /Higher Secondary Schools, Anganwadi Kendra, Health Centers, Govt. College/P.G. College/ Engineering, Police Chowki/ Thana will assist the CDO in providing this data to the IT department which will in turn provide it to the DoT, UK.
3. Regarding Adoption of NBC, 2016, Secretary, Department of Housing & Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand said that the status will be checked and would take action accordingly.

Also, for erection of mobile towers, uniform by-laws are to be adopted by state agencies. The matter of implementing uniform by-laws by State Agencies was referred to Secretary Department of Housing & Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand for issuing necessary guidelines.

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4. Regarding "Dig Once Policy" Common Duct, The State Govt. informed that this activity will require huge capital expenditure. If the GoI could fund it, then only it's possible. It was suggested by DoT that this may be done at least for the bigger urban conglomerate in the plain areas of Uttarakhand. The State Government assured that the matter will be discussed in detail in further meetings.
5. Regarding e-delivery of Electricity bills on email to TSPs (Telecom Service Providers). Intimation on SMS after issue of bills and confirmation of payments, the CS, Govt. of Uttarakhand informed that the issue will be discussed with the Secretary (Energy) and the UPCL.
6. Despite the blanket approval of RoW given to BSNL for Bharatnet project, BBNL faces issues in field when agencies like PWD and other road agencies do not allow BBNL and its agencies like CSC to work on road side for restoration of OFC faults. It was requested by the DOT that the state government may reiterate the letter to apprise the concerned state Govt. agencies.

It is requested that the updated status with respect to above mentioned points of minutes of meeting may kindly be shared for necessary action at this end.

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UP (W), LSA, DoT, GoI
Uttarakhand

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1. Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand (Chairman, SBC) for information please.
2. Sr.DDG, UP (W), LSA, (LSA Head) DoT, GoI, Meerut (Convener SBC) for information please.
3. DDG (State Coordination), UP (W), LSA, DoT, GoI, Uttarakhand for information & necessary action please.

- authorities. Only online applications will be received on line portal as envisaged in SWCS (Single Window Clearance System). Accordingly the concerned state authorities and TSPs/TAIPA to take action.
10. DoT appreciated the Department of Information & Science Technology, Govt. of Uttarakhand on Broadband readiness indicators (BRI) and pointed out few parameters which could be improved. Director (ITDA) informed that online SWCS is being used now. This will help in tracking/monitoring of approvals and the Indicator will definitely improve.
 11. Regarding Adoption of NBC, 2016, Secretary, Department of Housing & Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand said that the status will be checked and would take action accordingly.
 12. Regarding "Dig Once Policy" Common Duct, The State Govt. informed that this activity will require huge capital expenditure. If the GoI could fund it, then only it's possible. It was suggested by DoT that this may be done at least for the bigger urban conglomerate in the plain areas of Uttarakhand. The State Government assured that the matter will be discussed in detail in further meetings. The Secretary, Urban Development & Housing, Govt. of UK informed that such provision has already been made in the SMART CITY project.
 13. For Identification of 1000 locations in urban area, the CS remarked that this is demand driven and no action should be required by the state.
 14. Regarding e-delivery of Electricity bills on email to TSPs. Intimation on SMS after issue of bills and confirmation of payments, the CS, Govt. of Uttarakhand informed that the issue will be discussed with the Secretary (Energy) and the UPCL. It was also decided by the Chairman that from the future meetings onwards, Secretary (Energy), Govt. of Uttarakhand will also be invited as special member in the SBC, Uttarakhand
 15. On BSNL suggestion of Use of power lines of Uttarakhand Power Corporation for carrying Optical Fibre Cable at reasonable rates, Secretary (IT), Govt. of India cleared that use of existing pole is already a part of policy in Uttarakhand RoW Policy, 2018. It was also mentioned by him to bring to his notice if any issue is there.
 16. Regarding BSNL suggestion on Subsidy to end user in rural areas and where a part of Capital Expenditure can be borne by local/ state government, it was pointed out by the CS, that for this, study is required to be done and quantum of subsidies to be identified may also be arrived at.
 17. Despite blanket approval has been given for Bharatnet project yet BBNL faces issues in field when agencies like PWD and other road agencies do not allow BBNL and its agencies like CSC to work on road side for restoration of OFC faults. It was requested by the DOT that the state government may reiterate the letter to apprise the concerned state Govt. agencies.
 18. Regarding BBNL concern on GP building condition including provision of doors/windows, security of installed equipment and availability of electricity at GP buildings, the state will ensure taking necessary measures to address the concern.
 19. Director ITDA on suggestion from State Head BBNL regarding training for use of FTTH, Jointing and Splicing work by CSC personnel, informed that the same is being done.
 20. TAIPA Representative praised the State's policy adoption but pointed out that the stress now needs to be given in policy implementations down the line. He pointed out that about 160 pending NoCs for Tower erection and implementation of uniform by-laws for laying and tower erection work. The CS, Govt. of Uttarakhand instructed that VC with respective DMs will be conducted and problem to be sorted out expeditiously within 15 days. For uniform by-laws implementation by state agencies, the matter of erection of mobile towers was referred to Secretary Department of Housing & Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand for issuing necessary guidelines.
 21. Secretary IT requested representative of COAI to write email to the Director ITDA as well as to him detailing the issues being faced with respect to permissions not being given on Bank Guarantee and state agencies insisting for DD only.
 22. In the end, the CS, Govt. of UK informed that few of the issues discussed in meeting may require state cabinet approvals hence the concerned departments of the state will take up the issues for the approval by the state cabinet at the earliest.

(Ramesh kumar Sudhanshu)
Secretary

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1. Private Secretary, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Uttarakhand
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3. Private Secretary, Secretary, Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand
4. Private Secretary, Additional Secretary, I&ST, Govt. of Uttarakhand
5. O/o DDG, (State Coordinator), Uttarakhand, MeitY, GoI
6. Director, ITDA, Dehradun
7. All Participants of meeting
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By Order

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(Vijay Kumar Yadav)
Additional Secretary