GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR NOTIFICATION

The 29th September, 2020

No. ITR.54/2010/Pt.I/437- In supersession to earlier Notification No.ITR.54/2010/Pt.I/391 dtd 30/04/2018 and as per recommended by the State Broadband Committee, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to re-constitute the District Level Digital Connectivity Monitoring Committee for each of the 11 Districts of Meghalaya with immediate effect, comprising of the following members:

Sr	Member	Position
1	Deputy Commissioner of the District	Chairman
2	Representative from NE Licensed Service Area(LSA) Dept of Telecom- Government of India , Shillong Office	Member
3	District Head/Superintendent Engineer /Executive Engineer of MeECL/ MePDCL	Member
4	District Head/ Superintendent Engineer/ Executive Engineer, PWD (Roads)	Member
5.	District Head Forest Dept./ Divisional Forest Officer (Territorial)	Member
6	CEO/ Executive Officer Municipal , Urban Affairs	Member
7	Town Planning Officer, Urban Affairs	Member
8	Divisional Engineer/Sub Divisional Engineer BSNL	Member
9	Representative from Towers and Infrastructure Providers Association (TAIPA) /Infrastructure Providers (IP1)	Member
10	Representative from Cellular Operators Association of India (COAI) / Telecom Service Providers (TSPs)	Member
11	Executive Level/District Level Officer cum Nodal Officer for Telecom related in the District and to be nominated by the District Administration	Member Secretary

Background:

In order to address the challenges related to telecom connectivity in the North-East, the Department of Telecommunications (DoT), Ministry of Communications, Government of India under the National Broadband Mission has initiated a number of projects to extend mobile connectivity, mobile towers and optical fibre infrastructure up to the village level; as well as to provide satellite connectivity to those villages/cluster of villages which are located in remote and inaccessible areas.

The Committee shall have the following objectives and terms of reference:

(i) To review, monitor and facilitate the telecom projects including timely clearance of Tower/RoW permissions in the District as per the provisions of the Meghalaya Telecom Infrastructure Policy (MTIP) 2018.

- (ii) To take necessary action for ensuring timely completion of the telecom projects including Bharatnet ,NFS,USOF,projects under the Comprehensive Telecom Development Plan (CTDP) of the Government of India in the District.
- (iii) To nominate an Executive Officer / Nodal Officer for Telecom related in the District. The nominated official shall also require to submit monthly reports to the Commissioner & Secretary IT&C who is also acted as the Nodal Officer for implementation of the MTIP 2018 /Telecom related for the State, for further review by the State Broadband Committee.

The Committee shall meet on a quarterly basis.

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Commissioner & Secretary to the to the Government Meghalaya, Information Technology & Communication Department.

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- 1. P.S. to Minister, i/c Information Technology & Communications Department for kind information of the Hon'ble Minister.
- 2. P.S. to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
- 3. The Commissioner of Division for East, West and South West Khasi Hills, East & West Jaintia Hills and Ri-Bhoi Districts, Shillong
- 4. The Commissioner of Division for East, West. South, South West and North Garo Hills District, Tura.
- 5. PS/PA to all Principal Secretaries / Commissioner & Secretaries / Secretaries.
- 6. P.S/P.A to the Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Information Technology & Communication Department for kind information of the Commissioner & Secretary.
- 7. Sr. Deputy Director General NE LSA, Department of Telecom -Government of India CTO Building Meghalaya Shillong -793001
- 8. Deputy Commissioner East/ West/ South West Khasi Hills / Ri-Bhoi , East / West Jaintia Hills, East/ West/ South/ South West / North Garo Hills Districts.
- 9. All Members concerned.
- 10. Director, Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya for publication in the Official Gazette.

11.810& State Technical Director. NIC Meghalaya, for kind information and for kindly publish in the State Portal.

By Order etc.,

(K.L.Nongbri, MCS)

Joint Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Information Technology & Communications Department