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No. BSNLCO-LC/13(21)/1/2020-LC

Dated: 27.01.2021

To,

The Chief General Manager, All Territorial Circles The CGM NTR/STR

Subject: Clarification on Policy guidelines on providing Last Mile Connectivity of Leased Circuits through 4F/6F overhead OFC laying OPEX model.

Vide its letter no. KRLCO-12/16(11)/10/2020-EB/27 dated 18.01.2021, Kerala Circle has sought the clarification in reference to this office letter no. BSNLCO-LC/13(21)/1/2020-LC dated 02.11.2020. Similarly other Circles have been requesting for clarification on these guidelines. Some of the relevant queries are as follows:

- 1. Is the annual equated installment mentioned is for one cable or one fibre or one pair of fibre?
- 2. Does the installment amount include end equipment like media convertors etc. or providing connectivity to the customer?
- 3. Clarification regarding minimum commitment.

The case has been examined and accordingly, it is para-wise clarified that:

- 1. The annual equated installment mentioned is for one cable i.e. 4F/6F OFC.
- 2. The installment amount doesn't include end equipment like media convertors etc.
- 3. Further, the 4th & 5th line of Para 3.1 of this office letter of even number dated 02.11.2020 i.e. "A minimum commitment of 500 meter work in each leased circuit has to be given which translates to Rs 6000/- per annum for leased circuits provided up to 500M" is modified as below:

"A minimum commitment of 500 meter work in each OF cable which is having minimum one leased circuit has to be given which translates to Rs 6000/- per annum for OF cable laying up to 500M"

Similar modification in Para 3.2 is as below:

"A minimum commitment of 500 meter work in each OF cable which is having minimum one leased circuit has to be given which translates to Rs 7000/- per annum for OF cable laying up to 500M."

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

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