No. 51-49/2017/NOFN-Ops

Dated: 02.03.2020

To

The CGMTs
All Territorial Circles.
BSNL.

Subject: Norms for formation of FRTs for maintenance/ up-keeping of existing OFC Network (From OLT to FPOI) of BSNL and OLT infrastructure used for BharatNet-Reg.

Under BharatNet project presently BSNL has role of Maintenance of existing OFC of BSNL used for BharatNet, from OLT to FPOI and Up-keeping of OLT infrastructure. In the last HOCC it was pointed out that there should be proper arrangement for attending OFC faults in the existing cable of BSNL which is extended from Block to FPOI, so that faults can be attended on priority in the time bound manner.

In this regard, approval of competent authority is hereby conveyed for formation of FRTs in Circles, by formation of one FRT in each SSA for BharatNet maintenance, which will be primarily responsible for maintaining OFC fault occurring in existing OFC of BSNL used for BharatNet from OLT to FPOI, besides attending other OFC faults in the SSA cable.

The FRT shall be comprised of:-

- (1) 1 JTO/SDE as In-charge of FRT.
- (2) 1 TTA/TM
- (3) One Vehicle.
- (4) 2 Contractual labors on job work basis.
- (5) One Splicing Machine.
- (6) One PON OTDR.
- (7) One PON Power Meter.

Expenditure on account of this FRT shall be met from the money received on account of fiber leasing to BBNL for BharatNet.

Circles are requested to take necessary action accordingly.

This has been issued with the approval of competent authority.

Copy to :-

1. GM(Fin-GP), BSNL Corporate Office, New Delhi for information and necessary action.