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(रेल मंत्रालय) MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड) (RAILWAY BOARD)

No.2018/Tele/6(4)/3 Pt

Dated:12.07.2019

The General Manager
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Gurugram – 122003


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4791 station by M/s. Tata Trust**
Ref:- This Office letter of even no dtd.03.07.2019

With reference to above letter, Para 2(v) c and d may be read as:

2(v) :

- c. The provision of SIM aggregator is to be examined by the RailTel.
- d. The charges for this provision shall be borne through Escrow Account to be opened as per MoU by VCF and RailTel.

Kindly acknowledge the same and ensure the compliance


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1. An MoU was signed between Indian Railways, Tata Trust, Vijayavahini Charitable foundation and Railtel Corporation of India on 08.3.2019 for the provision of Wi-Fi facility at 4791 stations across Indian Railways.
2. In this regard, following activities are to be undertaken by RailTel/Zonal Railways to make more stations feasible:-
 - (i) Non feasible stations due to non dropping of OFC but OFC is available: Zonal Railways/RailTel to arrange to drop the OFC and provide one dark fibre, provide/extend -48 V DC power supply and earthing.
 - (ii) Non feasible stations where OFC is dropped but proper cable hut is not provided: Zonal Railways to get the rack installed near telecom equipments (room), provide/extend -48 V DC and earthing.
 - (iii) OFC is available but healthy spare fibre is not available due to cuts in OFC: The maintaining agency (Zonal Railway or RailTel) has to repair the OFC by 31st July-2019 without fail.
 - (iv) Non feasible due to non provision of OFC but can be extended in 100 days:
 - a. Zonal Railways to include in the list, the stations which are targeted for commissioning in next 100 days (around 1100 RKMs OFC commissioning is planned).
 - b. Early commissioning of stations where OFC is laid but electronics is not provided.
 - c. Expedite the provisioning of OFC at the balance stations.


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(v) Non feasible stations due to inability to provide OFC at balance stations in 100 days, Zonal Railways & RailTel shall explore:

- a. Feasibility to extend bandwidth on wireless from nearest station or location.
- b. Hiring the bandwidth from other service providers like BSNL/others.
- c. The provision of SIM aggregator is to be examined & provided by the RailTel.
- d. The charges for the bandwidth provisioning shall be borne by RailTel as per MoU.

(vi) Provision of OLT/bandwidth extension arrangement at stations where Wi-Fi is already available and bandwidth is to be extended to nearby stations by RailTel.

3. This issues with an approval of Board (MST)

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