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संचार भवन, नई दिल्ली - ११०००१/ Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001

No. DDG(SP)/USOF/DoT/Uncoveredvillages-PartI

Dated: 15.01.2024

To

The CMD, BSNL
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan
New Delhi

Subject: Amendment of Agreement No. 30-231/2023/DOT/USOF dated 06/02/2023 signed with Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited for subsidy support from USO Fund under 4G Saturation scheme.

In Pursuance of the clause 2.8 of Section-II (General Conditions) - Modifications in terms and conditions of Agreement, the terms and conditions of the captioned Agreement is hereby amended with immediate effect to the extent as detailed below:

Existing clause	Amended clause
Clause 1.2: This Agreement will remain valid for Six years& 135 days (500 days rollout and 5 years O&M) from the date of Union cabinet approval i.e. 27.7.2022 unless revoked earlier for any reason whatsoever.	Clause 1.2: This Agreement will remain valid for Six years& 135 days (500 days rollout and 5 years O&M) <u>from the date of signing of Agreement. i.e. 06.02.2023</u> unless revoked earlier for any reason whatsoever.
Clause 2.3.16: Installation and commissioning of mobile towers and associated infrastructure for provisioning of 4G mobile services in the identified uncovered villages within 500 days from the Union Cabinet approval date	Clause 2.3.16: Installation and commissioning of mobile towers and associated infrastructure for provisioning of 4G mobile services in the identified uncovered villages within 500 days <u>from the date of signing of Agreement.</u>
Clause 2.6: Duration of the agreement: This Agreement will remain valid for Six years & 135 days (500 days rollout period & 5 years O&M) from the Effective Union Cabinet approval date i.e. 27.7.2022 unless revoked earlier for any reason whatsoever.	Clause 2.6: Duration of the agreement: This Agreement will remain valid for Six years & 135 days (500 days rollout period & 5 years O&M) <u>from the date of signing of Agreement. i.e. 06.02.2023</u> unless revoked earlier for any reason whatsoever.

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<p>Clause 4.4.1: BSNL shall set up infrastructure and commission the 4G mobile network and services in the identified areas, within 500 days from the date of Union Cabinet Approval.</p>	<p>Clause 4.4.1: BSNL shall set up infrastructure and commission the 4G mobile network and services in the identified areas, within 500 days <u>from the date of signing of Agreement.</u></p>
<p>Clause 6.3.1: For tendered items, adjustment of mobilization advance and subsequent payment shall be released circle wise by CCAs as per the tender conditions of BSNL. For non-tendered items, adjustment of mobilization advance and subsequent payments shall be on the basis of terms finalized by BSNL.</p>	<p>Clause 6.3.1: For tendered items, mobilization advance shall be adjusted circle wise and further fund shall be assigned in BSNL's e- Kuber account (RBI) for payment to vendors under CNA model-I. BSNL will follow CNA Procedure as issued by Department of Expenditure (MoF). BSNL shall submit the claim to circle wise CCAs office for post payment verification. After scrutinization of the claim, CCA will intimate to USOF HQ for recovery/adjustment before next assignment of fund. For non-tendered items, adjustment of mobilization advance and subsequent fund assignment shall be on the basis of terms finalized by BSNL.</p>

2. All other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain unchanged.

This issues with the approval of Administrator, USOF.

Harikrishnan S.
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(Harikrishnan S.)
Director (Mobile-2), USOF

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