GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

U.O.NoteNo.ITEC-15/TFG/15/2020-Electronics

Date: 17.02.2025

Sub:

ITE&C Dept.,- Implementation of the Telecommunications Right of Way

Rules (RoW), 2024 and Migration of State RoW Portal to

Centralized Right of Portal - Gati Shakti Sanchar– Request to furnish the data pertaining to your concerned RoW departments to Onboard new

GSSP portal - Reg

Ref:

1) DO letter received from the Secretary, DoT, New Delhi vide

D.O.No.5-6/2024 (186123), dated 11.11.2024. (enclosed)

2) State Broadband Committee Minutes of the Meeting Dt. 07.01.2025

The Secretary, Department of Telecommunications (DoT), Government of India (GoI) has addressed a D.O. Letter to the Chief Secretaries of all States/ UTs by informing that, the DoT has recently notified the Telecommunications Right of Way Rules (RoW), 2024 in accordance with the Telecommunications Act, 2023. Further, it was informed that the Telecommunications RoW rules, 2024 are now mandatorily followed without any need for going through adoption process and the said rules would stand implemented w.e.f. 01.01.2025".

- DoT informed that w.e.f. 01.01.2025, the existing Telangana Right of Way (RoW) Guidelines, 2021 issued in the G.O.Ms.No.2, ITE&C Department dated 19.02.2021 ceased to exist. The Telecommunications Right of Way Rules (RoW), 2024 in accordance with the Telecommunications Act, 2023 released by the Gol came into effect from 01.01.2025 in the state of Telangana. The same was discussed in the First Executive Committee meeting held on 28th November 2024 and recently conducted 7th SBC Meeting on 6th January 2025 under Chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Secretary, Govt. of Telangana.
- It is requested to issue necessary instructions to all the public entities (RoW entities under your department) granting Right of Way permissions for the Telecommunication Infrastructure under the administrative control of the Departments of Government of Telangana to follow the said RoW Rules. The definition of the Public Entity as mentioned in the Telecommunications Act 2023 for the purpose of granting RoW Approval is available at Section 10 of Chapter III. (Copy enclosed).
- Vide reference 2nd cited above, during the 7th State Broadband Committee (SBC), the ITE&C Department is entrusted to coordinate with the National Broadband Misson (NBM) Team, Government of India for facilitating migration of existing TG Right of Way Portal to Central Gati Shakti Sanchar Portal (GSSP) for according Telecom RoW approvals across the State of Telangana.
- 5 It is requested to provide the details including officials and their jurisdiction for granting approvals, Bank Accounts (Payment Gateway) for depositing RoW charges by Applicants and all other relevant data for mapping in Central Gati Shakti Sanchar Portal (GSSP) on top priority.

Encl: As above

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Special Chief Secretary to Government

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The Special Chief Secretary to Government, I&C Department,
The Principal Secretary to Government, MA&UD Department
The Principal Secretary to Government, PR Department
The Principal Secretary to Government, Energy Department

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