## INVESTIGATION AND SURVEY REPORT

The project involves laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) all along the road at the edge of the road within the road boundary. The dimensions of the trench for laying OFC will be 0.5 mtrs in width and 1 mtr to 1.6 mtrs in length depending on the type of the soil. The entire route passes along the road for which the Right of Way is already given to the road authorities. DGPS survey is conducted along the road passing through the protected area. Absolutely there is no tree felling involved and no disturbance will be caused to the wildlife.

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## PROJECT APPRAISAL

M/s IDEA Cellular Ltd. proposes to lay Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) all along the road over a length of 210.10 Kms from Adilabad to Mancherial out of which a length of 26.82 Kms passes through forest area and a small stretch of it passes through Kawal Tiger Reserve. The main objective of the Project is to improve connectivity and communication facilities in the rural areas of the State in tune with the policy of Telangana State Government and Government of India to make all the villages digital. It's a linear project and the OFC is laid at the edge of the road within the road boundary and only Right of Way (RoW) permission is required. De-notification or diversion of the forest land is not required for this project.

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