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DETAILED NOTE ON THE PROJECT

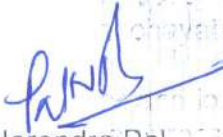
The National Optical Fibre Network (NOFN) is a project of Government Of India, Which is being implemented to empower rural India through high speed broadband. Under this project, bandwidth of 100 Mbps will be extended to each and every Gram panchayat of India to synergize ongoing and future Government programs like e-governance, e-panchayat, Adhar etc.

In Gujarat state, M.s. RailTel Corporation of India Ltd. (RCIL) is implementing the NOFN project under the supervision of Bharat Broad Band Nigam Limited (BBNL), an SPV of department of Telecom (DoT), to connect all the 13757 Gram Panchatyats of Gujarat State by laying appx.28000KMs of Optical Fiber of 14.800 KM route. Hence, to ensure timely completion of this project. It is requested to issue necessary instruction to field officer to co operate for laying of OFC for the connectivity of the gram panchayats.

The cable are always laid along the road side for easy supervision quick and low cost of maintenance. This department does need an acquisition of land for the purpose as the road side land belongs to either SH/NH. ROW (right of way) permission for the same is already issued by Government of Gujarat for laying of the OFC. While laying of cable, trench will be done in such a way that no tree will be required to be cut.

The cable laying work will be carried out in phased manner in such a way that after the PLB protection pipes are laid for OFC and the trench is reinstated , the land in question need not require to be handed over to the BBNL/RCIL for its exclusive use. After the reinstatement of trench, the land area affected may very well be utilized for plantation and developments of forest.

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