3. Aware the General public and other beneficiaries for optimized utilization of BharatNet services in rural areas.

Looking for earliest actions from your side, thanks in anticipation.

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Sushil Kumar Sheemar ITS Principal General Manager (Bharatnet), BSNL, Punjab

Copy to:

- 1. The Director (Rural Development and Panchayats)
- 2. The Director General, School Education.
- 3. The Director (industries).

ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਡਿਪਟੀ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ, ਮਾਨਸਾ

(ਨਜ਼ਾਰਤ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ)

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BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED (A Govt of India Enterprise)

Office of The PGM, BSNL, PUNJAB Telephone Exchange building, Sector 53, Mohali-Punjab

Dated: 27.12.2022

No. BSNL/PB/Coord with PB-Govt./Vol-II/101

To,

The Deputy Commissioner Mansa, Punjab.

Sub:- Issues faced in maintenance of BharatNet GPs.

Ref: No-: DGR/SSM/NOFN/2015/187/2730-33, dated 01.06.2017

Your kind attention is invited to the BharatNet project which aims to provide high speed optical connectivity to every nook and corner of the country. Being the project of prime importance, its status and various other parameter are being monitored by PMO and other higher authorities of Government. This will also help the state authorities to link various offices through high-speed internet connectivity in rural areas.

In Punjab, there are 12816 GPs which were installed at School/Aaganwadi Dharamshala/ Dispensary & Panchayat Buildings etc. as per Govt of India guidelines contained in letter mentioned under reference. At present 82% GPs are operational and rest 18% are down.

M/s Fastway has been awarded the work of maintenance of BharatNet Phase-l and Phase-II is with M/s HFCL and M/s VTL. In day-to-day maintenance activities, following issues have been escalated to the undersigned by field Maintenance teams:

- 31. Access being denied by School/Aaganwadi /Dharamshala/ Dispensary & Panchayat etc.
- 32. BharatNet equipment (ONTs/Solar Panel supply) seems to be deliberately switch off.
- 33. Unwillingness to keep the equipment at already existing Govt of India certified location as designated by local authorities.

In light of above, it is requested to sensitize all concerned authorities to:

- 1. Keep the BharatNet equipment powered ON round the clock so that the UP time of GPs. is well maintained.
- 2. To cooperate/coordinate with authorized BharatNet maintenance staff (First line maintenance teams) and allow/ arrange to allow access for GPON equipment to them for maintenance and other activities.

Government of Punjah Punjab State e-Governance Society O/o Department of Governance Reforms SCO 162-164, 3rd Floor, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh

To

- Ld. Financial Commissioner, Department of Rural Development and
 Panchayats
- 2. Ld. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education
- 3. Director, Rural Development and Panchayats
- 4. Director General, School Education

No.: DGR/SSM/NoFN/2015/187/27 30 - 33

Date: 01/06/17

Subject - Installation of GPON equipment under NOFN / Bharatnet in Punjøb.

This is in reference to year email dated: 30.05.2017 (copy enclosed) received from Sr. GM - Proj-II, BBNL regarding installation of GPON equipment under NOFN / Bharatnet in Punjab by BSNL. M/s ITI and M/s Tejas on behalf of BSNL are installing the equipment at GP level across various block in Punjab. The buildings identified by Punjab Goyt. for NOFN / Bharatnet are mostly located in schools / Panchayat Ghars. At present, the equipment installation work is mostly in Districts Bhathinda, Sangrur, Ludhiana, Amritsar, Gurdaspur, Barnala, Firozepur, Jalandhar, Kapurthala, SAS Nagar, Ropar, Fatehgarh Sahib, PathanKot, Patiala, Moga, Tarntarn. As the summer vacations in schools in Punjab are nearing, it may lead to interruption of Installationwork **GPON** equipment in schools during period. The Government of India has fixed stiff targets for BSNL & BSNL vide its above referenced email has requested for support & cooperation of State of Punjab in achieving the sald targets particularly during the ensuing school vacations.

Therefore, may I request your goodself to kindly issue the necessary instructions to the concerned schools and Panchayat Ghars in Punjab to extend full cooperation & support so that the installation work does not suffer.

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(Dr. Abhinav Trikha, IAS)
Director-cum-Member Secretary

Endst No.: DGR/SSM/NoFN/2015/187 2733(4)

Dated: 0106/12

A copy of the above is forwarded to Sr. GM – Proj – II, # 432, Phase 3 A, Sector 53, Sahibzada Ajiť Singh Nagar, Punjab for their kind information please.

Deputy General Manager

Review Meeting of National Optical Fiber network (NOFN) Project Minutes of under the chairmanship of worthy Principal Secretary, Governance Reforms 27.08.2014 at 3.30 PM.

The following officers were Present in the meeting:

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- Mr. Rajnish Malhotra , Head SeMT. ii.
- Mr Puran Chand, Deputy Director, Rural Development & Punchayat ili. iv.
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- Mr Pankaj Kumar, Assistant General manager, BSNL . lx.
- Mr Avnish Kumar, DGM(IT) BSNL
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