

**Government of India
Ministry of Communications
Department of Telecommunications
Office of Administrator, USO Fund**

No. 30-167-8/2022/USOF

Dated: 27.12.2022

To:

CMD
Bharat Sanchar Nigam Ltd.
Bharat Sanchar Bhawan
Janpath, New Delhi.

Subject: Special PM Pilot Proposal for rolling out of 5 lakh Broadband connections in the rural areas in various states

Kindly refer to your office letter No. BSNLCO-NPBB/11(13)/2/2020-NWP-BB-BSNL_CO dated 23.12.2022, vide which approval for rolling out of 5 lakh Broadband connections in the rural areas in various states target by 31st December, 2023 has been submitted to USOF.

2. In this regard, this is to convey in-principle approval to BSNL to start rolling out 5 lakh Broadband connections in the rural areas in various states. However, funding pattern for beyond 1 Lakh customers shall be provided, as per the approval of Competent Authority, after examining the aforesaid proposal of BSNL.
3. This issues with the approval of Administrator, USOF.



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