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With reference to the Office Memorandum No. 19-1/2019-SU-I dated 12.10.2020 (copy attached) issued by Department of Telecommunication, Ministry of Communications, Govt. of India regarding “Mandatory utilization of network of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) and Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) for internet/broadband, landline/leased line by all Ministries/Departments of Government of India/Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSEs)/Autonomous Bodies etc. under Central Government”, the undersigned is directed to request all concerned for necessary compliance of the aforesaid Office Memorandum please.

(Dr. Rishikesh Rai)
Secretary (I/C)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Mandatory utilization of network of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) and Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) for internet/broadband, landline/leased line by all Ministries/Departments of Government of India/Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSEs)/Autonomous Bodies etc. under Central Government—regarding.

The Government of India has, inter-alia, approved the mandatory utilization of capacities of BSNL and MTNL by all Ministries/Departments of Government of India/CPSEs/Central Autonomous Bodies. All Ministries/Departments are accordingly requested to issue necessary instructions including to CPSEs/Central Autonomous Organizations under their control for mandatory utilization of BSNL/MTNL network for internet/ broadband, landline and leased line requirements.

2. This issues in consultation with the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance and with the approval of the Competent Authority. (Copy enclosed)

To,

Secretaries of all Ministries/Departments of Government of India.

Copy to:

I. Shri S.G.P. Verghese, Director, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, New Delhi.

II. Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Expenditure (Ministry of Finance), North Block, New Delhi w.r.t. O.M. No. 24(3)/E.Coord/2018 dated 04th September, 2020.

III. CMD, BSNL/CMD, MTNL.
Government of India
No.24(3)/E.Coord./2018
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure

North Block, New Delhi
The 4th September, 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: issuance of directions for mandatory use of BSNL/MTNL telecom network as approved by Union Cabinet-Request from D/o Telecommunications.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Communications, D/o Telecommunications [DoT] Vide OM No. 19-1/2019-SU1 dated 05/05/2020 on the subject cited above.

2. In this connection it is stated that D/o Telecommunication may issue necessary instructions to all concerned, being a decision of the Cabinet and also citing that the matter has been issued in consultation with Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance.

3. This issues with approval of the competent authority.

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