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प्रेषक / From : संयुक्त सचिव (प्रशासन)  
Joint Secretary (Admn.)

सेवा में / To : सी.एस.आई.आर. की सभी राष्ट्रीय प्रयोगशालाओं/संस्थानों/मुख्यालय/एककों के निदेशक/प्रधान  
The Directors/Heads of all CSIR National Labs./Instts./Hqrs./Units

महोदया/Madam / महोदय/Sir,

मुझे भारत सरकार द्वारा जारी किए गए निम्नलिखित अर्धशासकीय पत्र को आपकी जानकारी, मार्गदर्शन और अनुपालन के लिए अग्रेषित करने का निदेश हुआ है:

I am directed to forward herewith the following D.O letter issued by the Government of India for your information, guidance and compliance:

क्रम सं. Sl. No.	अर्धशासकीय पत्र सं./ D.O. Letter No.	विषय/ Subject
1.	सचिव, संचार मंत्रालय, दूरसंचार विभाग, भारत सरकार का अर्धशासकीय पत्र सं० 19-1/2019(Part)-SU-I दिनांक 12.01.2022  Secretary, Ministry of Communications, Department of Telecommunications, Government of India D.O. Letter No. 19-1/2019(Part)-SU-I dated 12.01.2022	Mandatory utilization of capacities of BSNL and MTNL for internet/ broadband, landline and leased line requirements of the Government Ministries/Departments and other Government Undertakings/Bodies under Central Government – regarding.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

25-01-2022

(उपेन्द्र उपाध्याय/ Upendra Upadhyay)

अनु.अधि.(नीति प्रभाग)/ Section Officer (PD)

संलग्न/Encl. : यथोपरि/As above

प्रतिलिपि/Copy to:

- आई.टी. प्रभाग प्रमुख वेबसाइट और पॉलिसी रिपॉजिटरी पर इस परिपत्र को उपलब्ध कराने के अनुरोध के साथ/  
Head, IT Division with the request to make this circular letter available on the website & Policy Repository.
- कार्यालय प्रति/Office copy.

के. राजारामन, भा. प्र. से.  
सचिव  
K. Rajaraman, IAS  
Secretary



भारत सरकार  
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दूरसंचार विभाग  
Government of India  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Telecommunications

D.O No. 19-1/2019(Part)-SU-I  
12<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

Dear Secretary,

I would like to draw your kind attention on the PAN India network of BSNL and MTNL, a Telecom sector PSUs and the efforts taken by the Government of India on revival of BSNL and MTNL. One of the steps is through utilization of their vast network available across the country particularly in view of data security needs.

In line with this, Union Cabinet has approved the mandatory utilization of capacities of BSNL and MTNL for Internet/broadband, landline and leased line requirements of the Government Ministries/Departments and other Government Undertakings/Bodies under Central Government and accordingly the decision was conveyed to all Ministries/Departments through OM dated 12.10.2020 (Copy enclosed).

BSNL and MTNL have been providing yeoman services to various organs of the Government. Recent decisions of the Union Cabinet to restructure them and enhance their capacity to further better their service are yielding encouraging results. Continued support to these PSUs will go a long way in providing the desired impetus. However, instances have come to notice wherein various offices of the Union Government/Undertakings have not followed the order in letter and spirit stating the reason primarily as not being endorsed by their Ministry. Needless to say that OM was issued in consultation with Department of Expenditure under Ministry of Finance after the approval of Union Cabinet.

I shall be grateful if you kindly intervene and issue the instructions to Government Undertakings/Bodies in your Department for mandatory utilization of the services provided by BSNL/MTNL.

With regards,

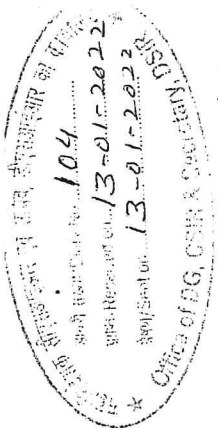
Enclosure:- As above.

JS(A)

Yours sincerely,

(K. Rajaraman)

All Secretaries to the Government of India,





Government of India  
F.No. 19-1/2019-SU-I  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Telecommunications

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Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi,  
The, 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

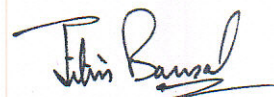
**Subject:** Utilization of network of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) and Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) for internet/broadband, landline/leased line – regarding.

BSNL and MTNL are Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) under the administrative control of Department of Telecommunications, Government of India. BSNL and MTNL fulfil the communication needs of most of the Government departments including the Armed Forces. For the majority of Banks and Financial Institutions, core-banking network requirement is also met by these PSUs. Both BSNL/ MTNL are reliable service providers under control of the Government of India and BSNL also has a vast rural network.

2. The Central Government has recently approved the mandatory utilization of capacities of BSNL and MTNL for internet/ broadband, landline and leased line requirements by the Central Government Ministries/Departments and accordingly, orders have been issued.

3. You are requested to also consider utilization of the services of BSNL and MTNL by all Departments/Agencies/PSUs of the State Government for internet/ broadband, landline and leased line requirements.

4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.



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To

Chief Secretaries of all State Governments