10-17/2016-AS-IV Department of telecommunications Access Services-IV Division

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Procedure for testing for Rollout obligation by the TERM Cells

The undersigned is directed to state that the following procedure shall be followed for confirming the compliance to the rollout obligations as stipulated in various License Agreements/ Notice Inviting applications for auction of spectrum with immediate effect:

- i) The Licensee has to register with respective TERM Cell for confirming for the compliance to the prescribed rollout obligations by submitting the prescribed fee.
- ii) While registering with the TERM cell, the licensee has to submit a self-certificate for fulfilment of roll out obligations in an LSA along with self-conducted test results as per prescribed Test Schedule Test Procedure (TSTP) and prescribed fee. The details along with proof of District Head Quarter (DHQ)/Block Head Quarter (BHQ)/Short Distance Charging Area (SDCA) covered by use of any technology in any band by a licensee shall also be provided while registering with TERM Cell.
- iii) The TERM cell will carry out sample testing of 10% of such self-certified DHQs / BHQs/ SDCAs.
- iv) For calculation of number of district HQs/ block HQs/ SDCAs to be covered, the fraction which comes to be 0.1 or above shall be rounded off to next whole number.
- 2. The above procedure shall also be applicable to the registrations for which testing is yet to be carried out.

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