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National Highways Authority of India
(Ministry of Road Transport & Highways)
क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, मदुरै / Regional Office, Madurai

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Invitation of public comments

Sub: NHAI, Madurai Region - PIU, Madurai - Operation and Maintenance of Madurai - Kanniyakumari section from Km.0/000 to Km.243/170 of NH-7 in the State of Tamil Nadu - Requested permission for laying Underground Optical Fiber Cable along the road from Km.48/800 to 49/900 (LHS) 1100 meter, Km.78/000 to Km.78/400 (RHS & LHS) 800 meter, Km.99/750 to Km.100/000 (RHS) 250 meter and across the road at Km.78/000, Km.78/400 & Km.100/000 - Proposal submitted - Reg.

The proposal is regarding permission for laying Optical Fibre Cable along NH-7 of Madurai - Kanniyakumari from Km.48/800 to 49/900 (LHS), Km.78/000 to Km.78/400 (RHS & LHS), Km.99/750 to Km.100/000 (RHS) and crossing at Km.78/000, Km.78/400 & Km.100/000 in the State of Tamil Nadu submitted to this office by PD, PIU Madurai vide Lr.No. NHAI/MDU/NH-7/OFC/2019/4376, dt.26.12.2019.

2. The alignment proposed by M/s. Vodafone Idea Limited, Chennai for laying OFC along NH-7 of Madurai - Kanniyakumari from Km.48/800 to 49/900 (LHS), Km.78/000 to Km.78/400 (RHS & LHS), Km.99/750 to Km.100/000 (RHS) for a total length of 2150 m and crossing at Km.78/000, Km.78/400 & Km.100/000 in the State of Tamil Nadu is as detailed under:

Sl. No	Stretch	Length (In M)	Available ROW (in Meter)		Distance of OFC from C/L		Remarks
			LHS	RHS	LHS	RHS	
1	Km.48/800 to 49/900 (LHS)	1100	30	30	29	-	Along NH by open trench method and across by HDD Method. Crossing is proposed at Km.78/000, Km.78/400 & Km.100/000
2	Km.78/000 to Km.78/400 (RHS & LHS)	800 (400+400)	30	30	29	29	
3	Km.99/750 to Km.100/000 (RHS)	250	30	30	-	29	
Total		2150					

3. M/s. Vodafone Idea Limited has proposed to lay OFC along the road by open trench method at the edge of the ROW. 20mm OFC cable is kept in 40mm dia PLB pipe. The top of PLB pipe is kept at a depth of 1.65m below the top of sub grade. Further the applicant has proposed to lay the OFC across NH, structure location, and the locations where ROW is less by HDD method. The 20mm dia

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OFC cable is kept in 40mm dia PLB Pipe, which in turn kept in 150mm dia RCC casing pipe. The top of RCC Casing pipe is kept at a depth of 1.65m below the top of sub grade level.

4. M/s. Vodafone Idea Limited has furnished an undertaking to accept any claims raised by the Concessionaire if any and the same will be paid by them. An undertaking to shift the cables/ducts within 90 days from the date of issue of the notice by NHAI, GOI to shift/relocate the cables/ducts, in case it is so required for the purpose of improvement/widening of the road/route / highways of construction of flyovers / bridges and restore the road / land to its original condition at their own cost and risk. Undertaking to adopt HDD method for crossing of all cross roads at grade separators, at grade junctions and wherever required and in built up areas as per the instruction of NHAI. Further, undertaking has been furnished not to damage other utility, if damaged then to pay the losses either to NHAI or to the concerned agency.
5. As per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter No.RW/NH-33044/29/2015/S&R(R) dated 22.11.2016, the proposal submitted by M/s. Vodafone Idea Limited will be made available for public comments/objections and the comments will be invited within 30 days from the day of uploading.

In view of the above, comments of the public on the above proposal is invited to the below mentioned address:

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Yours faithfully,



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1. NHAI website
2. The NIC, New Delhi - for uploading in the Ministry's website.
3. PD, NHAI, Madurai – for information