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(सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय)
National Highways Authority of India
(Ministry of Road Transport & Highways)
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Invitation of Public Comments

Sub: NHAI, RO, Chennai PIU, Coimbatore - Request for permission to lay Underground Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) on NH-544H (Thoppur to Mettur - Bhavanai - Erode Section) along the road from Km 18/177 to Km 18/387 (RHS), Km 40/790 to 47/600 (LHS), Km 41/600 to Km 42/030 (LHS), Km 47/348 to 48/950 (LHS) and across the road at Km 18/177 for a total length of 3052 meters by Open trench and HDD Method by M/s. Telesonic Networks Limited - **Approval Requested** - Regarding.

1. The proposal is regarding permission for laying of underground OFC along the road (Mecheri) from Km 18/177 to 18/387 (RHS), (Mettur) from Km 40/790 to Km 41/600 (LHS), (Navapatty) from Km 41/600 to Km 42/030 (LHS), Km 47/348 to Km 48/950 (LHS) - Total 3052 meters and across the road at (Mecheri) Km 18/177 (13.4 meters) by M/s. Telesonic Networks Limited, Chennai submitted to this office by the PD, NHAI, Salem vide letter No. NHAI/PIU-CBE/NH544H/OFC/TNL/Km 18-48/01 dated 01.01.2021.
2. The available width of ROW is varies from 6.5m to 18.9m (LHS) & 7.5m to 16.5m (RHS).
3. M/s. Telesonic Networks Limited, Chennai has finalized undertaking that they will be laying the OFC cable by HDD Method only.
4. M/s. Telesonic Networks Limited, Chennai has furnished an undertaking to accept any claims raised by the Concessionaire if any and the same will be paid by them and furnished undertaking not to damage other utility, if damaged, then to pay the losses either to NHAI or to the concerned agency. Further, the applicant has furnished undertaking that they will adopt HDD method wherever, the available width of ROW is less than 15m.

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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. Telesonic Networks Limited, Chennai will be made available for 30 days seeking public comments/objections and the comments shall be furnished within 30 days from the day of closure of public objections.

In view of the above, comments of the public on the above proposal are invited and may be sent to the below mentioned address:

The Regional Officer
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(Ministry of Road, Transport & Highways)
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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, Salem - for information