

No. N31/AS/366/W

*Dated the 10th May, 1976*

Sub: Carrying coaxial cables over the proposed bridge across Gangadhar River on NH-31 in Assam

Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department were requested under this Ministry's letter of even no. dated 23rd April, 76 to send their requirements in the form of ducts etc. to be provided in the new bridge being constructed across Gangadhar river on NH-31 in Assam. Director General Posts & Telegraphs under letter No. 31-2/65-TPL (CX) dated 30th April, 76 have informed that since the proposed bridge across Gangadhar river lies in an area which is almost on the border, a coaxial scheme as and when it materialises is likely to avoid this route.

2. Indian Posts & Telegraphs Department have however desired that in all future cases in which the major bridges are to be constructed on important National Highways, P&T Department may also kindly be consulted for indicating their requirements in the form of ducts etc. to be provided on the bridges.

3. All the technical officers of the Roads Wing are requested to keep the instructions contained in para 2 above in view while sanctioning the estimates for major bridges on National Highways and take suitable necessary action.