

**Circular R&C-CFA No. 24 /09-10****Subject: Concessional Tariff for Broadband Connection for Educational Institutes for bulk requirement in Rural areas where USOF subsidy is available - reg.**

The proposal on the subject received has been examined in this office and approved by the Competent Authority.

Accordingly, the Competent Authority has decided to authorise the Heads of Circles to provide the Concessional Broadband connection against bulk requirement to **Educational Institutions (Govt. Schools) in Rural areas under Plan – 1500 with 512 Kbps Bandwidth Speed where USOF subsidy is available.** BB Plan-1500 was initially launched vide circular No. 10-2/BB/2009-R&C dated 27.03.09 for CSCs in Rural areas with a bandwidth speed of 256 Kbps. The features of the approved concessional Plan 1500 with revised Bandwidth Speed are as follows:

Particulars	Tariff
	Plan - 1500
Bandwidth	512 Kbps
Single/Multi User (SU/MU)	MU
Monthly Charges (in Rs. excluding S.Tax)	Rs. 1500/-*
Security Deposit	1 month FMC
Download/Upload Limit (in GB)	Unlimited
Free E-mail Ids/space (per E-mail ID)	1/5 MB
Static IP Address	N/A
Web Hosting space (on request)	N/A
Domain Name (on request)	N/A
Telephone Fixed Monthly charges in Rs.	As per Plan
Free calls	As per Plan
MCU charges/pulse in Rs.	As per Plan

- The concessional tariff offer with **provision of unlimited usage is subject to fair usage of the facility by the schools for Educational purposes only.**
- The Broadband Connections for all the Govt. Schools shall be taken by the State Govt. from BSNL only, wherever BSNL is in a position to provide the connections.
- All other conditions mentioned in the in the earlier instructions issued vide no 10-2/BB/2009/BB dated 27.03.2009 shall remain unchanged.
- This Circular is issued based on the approval of the Competent Authority in BB File No. 64-82/2009-BB/Prepaid. For any queries/clarification, communication in this matter may be addressed to GM (NWP-BB), CO BSNL, New Delhi.
- While exercising the power CGMs are required to obtain an estimated number of connections required under the scheme for Govt. Schools from the State Authorities. The number should be reasonably substantial, based on which the CGMs, may take further decision with regard to provision of BB connections under this scheme.
- The above scheme shall have the immediate effect.**
- The impact of the scheme may be analyzed and feed back submitted on monthly basis to T&C-CFA and NWP-BB (CFA) branch of Corporate Office electronically at tccfa.bsnl@gmail.com and broadbandbsnlco@gmail.com respectively.

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To

All CGMs - Telecom Circles/ Metro Telephone Districts.

Copy to: -

1. CMD, BSNL for kind information.
2. Directors (CFA / CM / ENT / HR / FIN) on BSNLs Board.
3. Executive Director (Finance), BSNL.
4. All PGMs / GMs - CFA, CO BSNL.
5. GM (Marketing), CO BSNL, for adequate publicity and marketing of the service.
6. GM (IT), CO BSNL – for placement on BSNL Website.
7. GM (NWP-BB)-CFA, CO BSNL for information, w.r.t case mark: 64-82/2009-BB/Prepaid carrying the approval of the Competent Authority in the matter. It is requested that necessary action may be taken regarding website updation.
8. Director General P&T audit, Delhi-110 054.
9. Guard File.



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