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**F. No. BSNLCO-CNO/18(12)/1/2024-CNO Dated: 09/10/2024**

**To**

Chief General Manager,  
CNTX East, Kolkata.

**Subject: Approval for hiring of 100Gbps bandwidth between Kolkata & Chennai by floating tender through GEM Portal.**

**Reference: CNTx-East Vide Lt. No. ETR/Kol-Tech/Hiring of BW/2023-24 Dated 03/10/2024**

With reference to the above referred proposal regarding hiring of additional 60G BW (upgradation from 50G to 110G) between Kolkata & Chennai, the approval of Competent Authority is hereby conveyed for hiring of 100Gbps link between Telephone Bhawan Kolkata Core Router & Nungambakkam Chennai Core Router by floating the tender on GEM Portal by CN-Tx East Circle for a period of one year at an estimated cost of Rs. 2,92,60,717/- + GST:

The rates discovered through tender may be got approved from the Corporate Office, in case it is beyond the power of the Head of Circle.

After commissioning of the new 100G link, the existing 50G bandwidth will be surrendered to optimize costs.

It is also directed to suggest measures to improve the average uptime of BSNL media as per the industry standards, so that hiring can be dispensed in future.

This is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

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**Copy to:** Chief General Manager, CNTX South, BSNL for information and necessary action please.