

**MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING
BP&L DIVISION**

Subject: Brief/Minutes of 8th monthly Open House Meeting held on 20.11.2015 with MSOs - reg.

The 8th Open House Meeting with MSOs representatives was held on 20.11.2015 (Tuesday) in the chamber of DS(DAS). Representatives of following MSO applicants attended the meeting as detailed below:-

- (i) **M/s God Father Communicaton:-** Sh. Gurdev Singh Bhullar and Sh. S. Kumar attended the meeting. M/s God Father was granted provisional registration in 25th March, 2013 to operate in Phase II DAS notified area of Amritsar in Punjab. Because of the denial of security clearance by the MHA their permission was cancelled vide Ministry's Order dated 28.09.2013. Aggrieved by this, the MSO filed a case in the Punjab & Haryana High Court for restoration of their registration. The case is still pending in Hon'ble High Court and the court has granted stay on the operation of Ministry's Order dated 28.09.2013. Now, they have sent a letter dated 22.08.2015 to extend the permission for all Phase III and Phase IV in Punjab State. MSO's representatives have stated that they will send new application alongwith all the relevant documents and processing fee of Rs. 1.00 lakh to the Ministry. It was told to them that their case will be examined in the light of extant provisions of Cable TV (Regulations) Act/Rules.
- (ii) **M/s R K Digital Cable Service:-** Sh. Zeeshan R. Kazi attended the meeting. It was informed to him that their case is being processed.
- (iii) **M/s Meghbela Cable & Boradband:-** Sh. T. Mukherjee attended the meeting. It was informed to him that their case for grant of registration is under submission.
- (iv) **M/s Dharambir Digital Network:-** Sh. Dharambir Singh attended the meeting. It was informed to him that their case for grant of registration is under submission. Now the case has been approved by the competent authority and orders for grant of provisional MSO registration has been issued on 20.11.2015.
- (v) **M/s J B Cable Network:-** Ms. Biakngaihawmi attended the meeting. It was told to her that Net-worth certificate duly certified by the CA has not been received. Further, there is some error in Form-2 submitted by them. She stated that she will submit the net-worth certificate as well as revised Form-2 at the earliest.
- (vi) **M/s Gentle Entertainment:-** Sh. Avinash Pandey attended the meeting. It was told to him that for grant of provionsal MSO registration they are

required to submit an Affidavit as is available on Ministry's website. On this, he told that he will submit the same to the Ministry today itself.

- (vii) **M/s Rupnarayan Cable & Broadband:-** Sh. Samir Mity attended the meeting. They have already been granted provisional MSO registration to operate in DAS notified areas. He told that he is facing some problem on account of carrying of mandatory channels. It was told to him there is a requirement for carrying mandatory channels and submission of a report to this effect. He told that he will submit a report duly certified by the Head of Doordarshan Kandra of their area to the Ministry indicating that they are carrying all the mandatory channels on their network.

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Dy. Secy(DAS)

Subject: Brief/Minutes of 11th monthly Open House Meeting held on 22.02.2016 with MSOs - reg.

The 11th Open House Meeting with MSOs representatives was held on 22.02.2016 (Monday) in the chamber of DS(DAS) when Dealing Assistant was also present.

Sh. Mohnish Vishwakarma, representative of M/s City Cable Network only attended the meeting to enquire about the status of MSO application. It was informed to him that provisional registration has already been granted to M/s City Cable Network on 16.02.2016 to operate in DAS notified area of Chhattisgarh State.

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Dy. Secy(DAS)

Subject: Brief/Minutes of 12th, 13th and 14th monthly Open House Meeting held on 21.03.2016, 21.04.2016 and 20.05.2016 respectively with MSOs - reg.

(a) For 11th Open House Meeting held on 21.03.2016, only three MSO applicants had requested for OHM. But none of them turned up for the meeting.

(b) 12th Open House Meeting held on 21.04.2016 which was taken up by US(DAS)/SO(DAS) as DS(DAS) was on tour. Only two MSO applicants had requested for OHM. But as informed by US(DAS) as well as SO(DAS) no one turned up for the meeting on that day.

(c) 13th Open House Meeting held on 20.05.2016. Sh. Paritosh Shukla from M/s Technobile System Pvt. Ltd attended the meeting. It was told to him that he has submitted the application with negative networth. For this, a communication has also been sent to him. He was requested to furnish a reply to the Ministry immediately along with audited balance sheet indicating the profit and loss of the company/firm to process the case further.

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