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No. 1-2(1)/Market Share/2014-CP&M

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Sub: Tele-density and Market Share as on 30.06.2014.

During June 2014, the total telephone connections & total wireless telephone connections in the country have increased by 4.7 million & 4.83 million respectively, taking the total telephone connections in the country to 943 million (As on 30th June, 2014). Some operators have been showing the negative growth i.e. BSNL(2.3 Mn.) & Tata Tele(0.1 Mn.) in the total telephone connection during June 2014 (As per MIS, COAI & AUSPI report). During May 2014, 0.04 million broadband connections were increased taking the total broadband connections in the country to 14.95 million as on 31.05.2014.

The tele-density & market share of all telecom operators is enclosed (Annexure-1 to 11).

It is seen that:

For total telephone connections: (1)

The total telephone connections as on 30.06.2014 are 943 million, out of (i)

which 108 million are provided by BSNL.

BSNL has been at 65th position as an operator with Market share of 11. (ii) 4%. BSNL market share has decreased by 0.3% during the month of June 2014 and by 0.73% during 2014-15 (upto 30.06.2014).

BSNL's telephone connections have decreased by 2.3 million during the (iii) month of June 2014 and by 5.64 million during the year 2014-15 (upto

30.06.2014).

BSNL has been at 13th position w.r.t. addition of the total telephone (iv) connections during FY 2014-15 (upto June 2014).

For Wireless connections: (2)

For Wireless Service: (a)

The total connections as on 30.06.2014 are 915 million, out of which (i) 89.5 million are provided by BSNL.

BSNL has been at position as an operator with Market share of 9.78% (ii) BSNL market share has decreased by 0.3% during the month of June 2014 & by 0.7% during 2014-15 (upto 30.06.2014).

BSNL's connection has declined by 2.14 million during the month of (iii) June 2014 and by 5.2 million during 2014-15 (upto 30.06.2014).

BSNL has been at 13th position w.r.t. addition of the total wireless (iv) connections during FY 2014-15 (upto June 2014).

The Wireless industry has grown by 1.2% in terms of connections during (v) 2014-15(upto 30.06.2014) but relatively, BSNL has declined by 5.5%.

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(b) Proportion of VLR subscribers:

 The graphical depiction of proportion of VLR Subscribers, service provider wise is given at Annexure-11.

(ii) The total VLR Subscribers as on 31.05.2014 is 790.53 million, which comes to approximately 86.86% of total wireless telephone connections.

(iii) In terms of %age of active subscriber, BSNL is at 09th position with 61.53% active connections.

- (iv) Idea leads the list in %age of active subscriber with 101.48%, followed by Reliance 98.81%, Airtel 94.98%, Vodafone 94.53% and Unitech 73.42%.
- (3) For Broadband(DSL) services:
- (i) The total connections as on 31.05.2014 are 14.95 million, out of which 9.95 million are provided by BSNL.
- (ii) BSNL has declined by 0.02 million connections during month of May 2014.
- (iii) BSNL has been at 1st position as an operator with Market share of 66.56 % as on 31.05.2014. BSNL market share has decreased by 0.31% during the month of May 2014.

(4) Summary:

- (i) The tele-density in the country is 76% with <u>Delhi License</u> area at top (228.42%) and Bihar License area at lowest (47.13%) as on 30.06.2014. The Broadband-density in the country is 1.2% out of which BSNL's share is 0.8% as on 31.05.2014.
- BSNL holds 1st position as an operator with total number of telephone connections in a single license area viz. Kerala Circle.
- (iii) In total number of wireless connections, BSNL has No.2 position in 2 License area viz. Karnataka & Kerala Circles.

Encl:- Annexure 1 to 11.

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