



**भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण**  
(सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय)  
**National Highways Authority of India**  
(Ministry of Road Transport & Highways)  
क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, चेन्नई / **Regional Office, Chennai**  
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### Invitation of Public Comments

Sub: NHAI, RO, Chennai - PIU, Salem - Request for permission to lay underground Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) on NH-7 (Krishnagiri Thumbipadi Section) along the road between Km 105/900 to Km 106/660 (RHS), Km 143/800 to Km 144/350 (LHS) & Km 143/800 to Km 144/350 (RHS) and across @ Km 106/660, Km 144/350 for a total length of 1984m in the limits of National Highways by M/s. Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, Chennai - **Approval Requested** - Reg.

1. The proposal is regarding permission for laying of Optical Fibre cable on NH-7 (Krishnagiri - Thumbipadi section) along the road between Km 105/900 to Km 106/660 (RHS), Km 143/800 to Km 144/350 (LHS) & Km 143/800 to Km 144/350 (RHS) and across @ Km 106/660, Km 144/350 for a total length of 1984m in the limits of National Highways by M/s. Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, Chennai submitted to this office by the PD, NHAI, Salem vide letters No. NHAI/PIU-SLM/OFC/NH-7/2021/878 dated 31.07.2021.

2. M/s. Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, Chennai has furnished an undertaking to accept any claims raised by the Concessionaire if any and the same will be paid by them and furnished undertaking not to damage other utility, if damaged, then to pay the losses either to NHAI or to the concerned agency. Further, the applicant has furnished undertaking that they will adopt HDD method wherever, the available width of ROW is less than 15m.

3. As per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter No. RW/NH-33044/29/2015/ S&R(R) dated 22.11.2016, the proposal submitted by M/s. Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, Chennai will be made available for 30 days seeking public comments/objections and the comments shall be furnished within 30 days from the day of closure of public objections.

# National Highways Authority of India

In view of the above, comments of the public on the above proposal are invited and may be sent to the below mentioned address:

The Regional Officer  
National Highways Authority of India  
(Ministry of Road, Transport & Highways)  
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Yours faithfully,

  
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3. PD, NHAI, Salem - for information