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Sub: Counter Comments on Consultation paper on “Road Map to Promote Broadband Connectivity and Enhance Broadband Speed”

A) Authorities/Stakeholders have not mentioned or addressed the following:

- Different road maps required to provide broadband connectivity for **Urban** & **Rural/Remote /difficult areas**. Or in other terms separate roadmaps are to be formulated in respect of **Profitable areas** and **non-profitable areas / areas unviable for doing business**. The consultation paper itself as well inputs provided by various stakeholders not covered about this major gap. Hence, categorize all the habitats across nation accordingly and create a separate road map for each such category.

B) BBNL (Bharat Broad Band Network Limited) is responsible for delivery of broadband services to the areas where actual licensees not extending their coverage/services. It seems BBNL not participating in this discussion.

Best Wishes to Team TRAI & all Stake holders

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