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Dated: 02/02/2023

To

The Chief General Managers,
A&N/CHG/CTD/GUJ/HAR/KRL/KTK
MH/MP/OD/PB/RAJ/UP(W)/TLNG/UKD.
BSNL Telecom Circles.

SUB: Limited Internal Competitive Examination (LICE) for promotion to the grade of Telecom Technician (TT) under 50% internal quota for vacancy years 2020 and 2021.

Reference:- Letter No. BSNLCO-A/15(14)/2/2022-ESTAB dated 01.02.2022.

I am directed to refer to aforesaid letter under reference and to convey the approval of the competent authority to conduct aforesaid LICE. The Model Exam Notification for LICE to the cadre of Telecom Technician (TT) is enclosed and same has to be notified by above mentioned (15) circles accordingly.

2. The examination shall follow the Recruitment Rules of Telecom Technician 2012 issued vide letter no. 250-3/2012-Pers.III dated 19.09.2012. The said LICE for Telecom Technician (TT) shall be conducted in accordance with the scheme and syllabus prescribed vide office letter no. 250-74/2001-pers.III (Pt.) dated 18.10.2011.

3. The vacancy shall be calculated strictly OA wise in Circles as on 31.12.2020 for VY 2020 and as on 31.12.2021 for VY 2021. The crucial date for reckoning the eligibility of candidate for appearing in the said LICE shall be 1st January, 2020 for VY 2020 and 1st January, 2021 for VY 2021. Number of LICE vacancies for each of these vacancy years for each of these 15 Circles has already been intimated vide Estt. Branch letter dated 01.02.2022 referred above. The circles shall distribute these vacancies OA wise and category wise (OC, SC, ST and PwBD) and incorporate the same in the notification to be issued by them in accordance with the model notification annexed. It may be noted that total LICE vacancies for a Circle for each of the VY 2020 and 2021 shall not exceed the number conveyed vide Estt Branch letter dated 01.02.2022 referred above (Enclosed).

4. It may also be noted that the LICE of Telecom Technician (TT) may be held only for those OAs where there is a clear vacancy. The vacancies of the Non-Recruiting Circles may also to be taken into account while notifying the vacancies of the particular OA of the Circle.

5. The Circles are requested to intimate vacancies, OA wise to Establishment Section of Corporate office (being cadre controlling authority) with a copy to Recruitment Branch, BSNL CO categorically so that the same would be available only in the drop down menu in the registration portal for such candidates who are eligible to apply against that vacancies of that particular OA.

- i. In case of any doubt for calculating vacancies position in an OA of the circle, cadre controlling authority i.e Establishment Section, BSNL CO may be consulted.
- ii. The Circles shall also provide a copy of the notification issued by them to Establishment Section, BSNL CO and to Recruitment Branch, BSNL CO so that the vacancy position in respect of a particular OA would be available in the drop down menu in the Registration portal for such candidates only who are eligible to apply against those vacancies of that particular OA.

6. There will be a single paper. The details of Papers and Time Table of the examination is as under:

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Sl No.	SECTION	Name of Paper	Maximum Marks/No. of Questions	Day & Time (IST) 2½ Hours
1	I	General Science & Mathematics	50 Marks (objective Multiple Choice) / 50 Questions	Will be communicated separately.
2	II	Departmental Practices	50 Marks (objective Multiple Choice) / 50 Questions	

- i. The LICE shall be held in CBT online mode. All the questions will be of multiple choice Question (MCQ) type. Each question contains four options and the candidate has to select only one correct answer. There would be negative marking and for each wrong answer 25% of the mark of that question would be deducted.
 - ii. It is reiterated that LICE will be held in concerned 15 Telecom circles strictly, for such OAs where vacancies exist, in centralised manner by BSNL Corporate office on the fixed date and time.
 - iii. It is informed that checking the eligibility condition of the aspiring candidates will be the sole responsibility of the circles by going through their service book of all probable candidates for the said LICE. Therefore, Circles should ensure that service particulars of candidates are up-to-date in all respects to avoid any kind of pre/post exam discrepancies. Further, circles should ensure that only eligible candidates appear in the examination and send the details of the eligible candidates to Recruitment section well in advance for issue of their admit card by the Exam Agency.
 - iv. On completion of Exam, the list of qualified candidates of each circle will be shared by Rectt. Branch with the circles which will declare the merit wise result for the respective circles as per the notified vacancies (OA-wise/ category- wise).
7. All circles will arrange training at OA level to familiarize the aspiring candidates for appearing in online CBT based LICE.
8. All the above mentioned circles are requested to issue notification along with vacancies (with break-up of category OA wise) within 15 days of receipt of this letter with a copy to Establishment Section BSNL CO for vetting of vacancies and to Recruitment Section, BSNL CO for creating drop down.
9. An examination conducting team with suitable nos. of members shall be constituted, wherein an Executive/Officer not below the rank of GM (preferably from HR/Admin sections) would be the Examination Co-ordinator.
10. The Examination Coordinator then shall nominate the Examination Superintendent (ES) not below the rank of DGM or equivalent. The Examination Coordinator Shall also depute Examination Observer (EO) at every exam centres irrespective of numbers of candidates. The Examination Observer (EO) should not be below the rank of AGM/DE/EE or equivalent. The Examination Observer (EO) would submit the report to the Examination Co-ordinator. The duties and responsibilities of Examination Co-ordinator (EC), Examination Superintendent (ES) and Examination Observer (EO) will be sent separately.
11. The Circles should also intimate the following details in respect of the Examination Coordinator, Examination Superintendent and Examination Observer to the undersigned through the e-mail Ids:- **bsnlrectt@bsnl.co.in** by **10.02.2023**:-
Name:
Designation:
Office Address:
Office Telephone Number:
Mobile Number:
Authenticated BSNL E-mail Address:
Mail ID other than BSNL Domain.

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12. Circles are requested to bring this notification to the notice of all working eligible employees.

13. Any other factor/point etc. not mentioned, herein, and which is useful for conducting the online examination smoothly may be incorporated at circle level.

14. Online registration process will be initiated only after the Exam Notifications are issued by all the concerned circles.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

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(Pravin Kumar Jha)
Assistant General Manager (Recruitment)

Enclosures:

- I. Letter No. BSNLCO-A/15(14)/2/2022-ESTAB dated 01.02.2022 with Annexure –A.**
- II. Draft Examination Notification along with Annexures – ‘B’, ‘C’, ‘D’ and ‘E’.**

Copy to: - PGM (Estt.) BSNL Corporate Office with a request to provide vacancies category and OA wise.

I/387531/2023

EXAMINATION NOTIFICATION (Draft)**No:-(of relevant circle)****Dated: /01/2023****To****The General Managers,
Concerned OAs/BAs****SUB: Limited Internal Competitive Examination (LICE) for promotion to the grade of Telecom Technician (TT) under 50% internal quota for vacancy year 2020 and 2021.**

STARTING DATE OF ONLINE REGISTRATION OF APPLICATION 10.00 AM	will be communicated separately.
CLOSING DATE OF ONLINE REGISTRATION OF APPLICATION 04.00 PM	
DATE OF ONLINE EXAMINATION	will be communicated separately.

2. With the approval of Competent Authority, it has been decided to hold the online **Limited Internal Competitive Examination (LICE) for promotion to the grade of Telecom Technician(TT)** to fill up the vacant posts in the grade of Telecom Technician(TT) under 50 % internal quota for **vacancy year 2020 and 2021** from the eligible working employees in the following Operational Areas(OAs) for the Vacancy Years 2020 & 2021 as per vacancies indicated against each:-

VY-2020

S.No	Name of OA	No of Vacancies				
		OC (a)	SC (b)	ST (c)	Total d = (a+b+c)	PwD (Out of d)
1						
2						

VY-2021

S.No	Name of OA	No of Vacancies				
		OC (a)	SC (b)	ST (c)	Total d = (a+b+c)	PwD (Out of d)
1						
2						

Note:-

- i. The number of vacancies mentioned above is tentative and subject to change. Reservation will be effective as per guidelines /policy/court orders by Govt. of India, if any.
 - ii. Since the Jarnail Singh batch of cases is pending in the Hon'ble Supreme court of India, any promotion order issued shall be subject to the outcome of further orders that may be passed by the Supreme court in the said case.
 - iii. The LICE for promotion to Telecom Technician(TT) shall be conducted as per provisions laid in the Recruitment Rules (RR) of Telecom Technician(TT) circulated vide BSNL Corporate Office Letter No. 250-3/2012-PERS-III dated 19.09.2012 (**ANNEXURE-B**).
 - iv. The scheme & syllabus for this said examination has been circulated vide letter no. 250-74/2001-Pers-III (part) dated 18th Oct 2011 (**ANNEXURE-C**).
 - v. The crucial date for reckoning the eligibility of candidate for appearing in the said LICE shall be 1st January,2020 for VY 2020 and 1st January ,2021 for VY 2021.
 - vi. ***It may be noted that the LICE of Telecom Technician(TT) will be held only for those OAs where there is a clear vacancy.***
 - vii. The Circles are requested to intimate vacancies, OA wise through Establishment Section of Corporate office (being cadre controlling authority) with a copy to Recruitment Branch, BSNL CO categorically so that the same would be available only in the drop down menu in the registration portal for such candidates who are eligible to apply against that vacancies of that particular OA.
 - viii. In case of any doubt for calculating vacancies position in an OA of the circle, cadre controlling authority i.e Establishment Section, BSNL CO may be consulted.
3. It is further informed that in RR of Telecom Technician (TT) 2012 issued vide Ltr. No. 250-3/2012-PERS-III dated 19.09.2012, the date of reckoning of eligibility for Limited Internal competitive examination will be 1st July of the Recruitment year. As per DoP&T instructions endorsed by Establishment branch vide its letter no. BSNL CO-A/15(14)/2/2022-

ESTAB dated 01.02.2022 (**Annexure D**), crucial date for determining the qualifying service shall be 1st January of the respective vacancy year instead of 1st July of the Recruitment year.

4. . Subject to para 3 above, the eligibility for appearing in the above mentioned Limited Internal Competitive Examination shall be as per existing Recruitment Rules of Telecom Technician (TT) issued by cadre controlling authority of BSNL CO vide their letter no. 250-3/2012-PERS- III dated 19.09.2012. In case of any doubt with regard to eligibility, schemes and syllabus of the examination, the circles may take up the matter suitably with the cadre controlling authority i.e Establishment Branch of the BSNL CO for necessary clarification.

5. There will be a single paper. The details of Papers and Time Table of the examination is as under:

Sl No.	SECTION	Name of Paper	Maximum Marks/No. of Questions	Day & Date	Time (IST) 2 1/2 Hours
1	I	GENERAL SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS	50 Marks (objective Multiple Choice) / 50 Questions		Will be communicated separately.
2	II	Departmental Practices	50 Marks (objective Multiple Choice) / 50 Questions		

The LICE shall be held in CBT online mode.

- All the questions will be of Multiple choice Question (MCQ) type. Each question contains four options and the candidate has to select only one correct answer. There would be negative marking and for each wrong answer 25% of the mark of that question would be deducted.
- Minimum qualifying marks prescribed is as under:-

S.No	Category	Minimum qualifying Marks in each section	Aggregate Marks
1	OC	30%	37%
2	SC/ST	20%	30%

Note: There shall be no further relaxation of marks or any other parameter under any circumstance owing to maintenance of efficiency of administration.

6. The LICE will be held at Circle Head Quarters indicated at **(Annexure-E)**.

7. The OA/BA Heads are requested to ensure updating of service particulars from the service book of all probable candidates for the said LICE for timely e-verification of eligibility through ERP.

8. The employees, who are eligible in accordance with the eligibility conditions as referred in the Recruitment Rules and who desire to appear in the examination should submit the application through online mode. Applications will be considered through the online registration process only. Therefore, candidates are advised to visit BSNL Intranet site (www.intranet.bsnl.co.in) for any updates regarding the said LICE. All candidates applying for LICE for Telecom Technician(TT) are required to read all the instructions provided on website **www.internalexam.bsnl.co.in** before filling the online application form. Candidates must have valid E-mail ID and mobile number at the time of on-line registration. After submitting the application on-line, the applicant shall retain a hard & soft copy of the application form for record. Data are also required to be verified in SAP/ ERP.

9. The prescribed examination fee shall be Rs.500/- (Rupees Five Hundred only) for the OC candidates, and Rs. 250/- (Rupees Two Hundred Fifty only) for the SC/ST candidates. The fees shall be paid through on-line mode i.e. Internet Banking, Credit Card, Debit Card etc. **Fee once paid for the said LICE shall neither be refunded under any circumstances nor can be held in reserve for any other examination or selection even if the said exam is not conducted due to any administrative reasons. Candidates are requested to ensure their eligibility for the said LICE before applying for the same.**

10. Candidates are advised to complete their online registration process well before the last date to avoid last day rush/unforeseen circumstances. Online registration process will not be allowed after the last date and all incomplete registrations will be rejected.

11. The applicants would be admitted to the examination on the basis of data/information furnished by them during online registration. Candidates are, therefore, once again advised to ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions before applying. The applicant must also ensure regarding his parent circle / category while filling the same in online application. In case it is found at a later stage that the information furnished by an applicant is false or an applicant does not fulfill any of the eligibility conditions, the candidature of such applicants shall be cancelled even if the candidate qualifies in the LICE and no

correspondence in this regard shall be entertained. Issuance of an admit card/Hall Ticket for the examination will NOT confer candidates any right for promotion/appointment etc. The promotion/appointment will be solely subject to fulfillment of all eligibility conditions & availability of vacancies in the concerned OAs provided by concerned authorities.

12. BSNL shall display/provide the questions & provisional answer key on the www.internalexam.bsnl.co.in, soon after the Exam, for a stipulated period, wherein candidates shall be provided with a suitable format to submit their online grievances/queries on question/answer options only. On the basis of grievance received from candidates, if any, the final answer key & merit list shall be deployed as per prevailing guidelines.

13. Issuance of candidate response sheet, score card etc. for the said LICE shall NOT confer candidate any right for promotion/appointment etc. The promotion/appointment will be solely subject to fulfillment of all eligibility conditions and magnitude of qualified marks secured vis-à-vis availability of vacancies.

14. Nothing other than specified in the Admit card be permitted to be taken inside the examination premises by the candidates. Violation of the instructions at any stage will make the candidate liable for disqualification of the candidature without assigning any reason thereof.

15. All concerned BA heads are requested to arrange for the pre exam training to aspiring SC/ST/Minority candidates for aforesaid LICE, as per admissible rules.

16. Promotion on the basis of result of this examination will be subject to the outcome of court cases pending in different courts on the issue related to reservation and also mentioned in para 2 (ii) above and the DoP&T instructions issued from time to time in this regard.

17. The decision of BSNL in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the applications for false information, mode of selection, conduct of examination(s) and allotment of examination centres will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry/correspondence will be entertained in this regard. Discrepancies regarding eligibility during exam or later shall make candidates liable for rejection of candidature. The custodian of the service book shall ensure all aspects while verifying the eligibility and shall be sole responsibility of eligibility verifying authority.

18. All OA/BA Heads are requested to bring this notification to the notice of all working eligible employees.

19. BSNL reserves the right to modify/amend any of the terms & conditions of this recruitment at any point of time.

AGM(.....o/o CGM, Circle)

Enclosure:

1. The Recruitment Rules of Telecom Technician(TT) : ANNEXURE 'B'.
2. The Schemes & Syllabus of LICE to the grade of Telecom Technician(TT) : ANNEXURE 'C'.
3. Letter no. BSNL CO-A/15(14)/2/2022-ESTAB dated 01.02.2022: ANNEXURE 'D' endorsing Annexure-A.
4. List of Examination centres of LICE to the grade of Telecom Technician(TT) : ANNEXURE 'E'.

Copy to:

1. The OA/BA Heads ofCircle for taking necessary action and a request to arrange necessary training to SC/ST/Minority candidates as per usual norms please.
2. PGM(Estt),BSNL CO for information please.
3. GM(Rectt.) BSNL CO.

ANNEXURE E

Sr. No	Name of the BSNL Coordinating Circle for the LICE	Name of Circles	Name of the Examination Centre
1	Andaman & Nicobar	Andaman & Nicobar	Port Blair
2	Chhattisgarh	Chhattisgarh	Raipur
3	Gujarat	Gujarat	Ahmedabad
4	Haryana	Haryana	Ambala
5	Karnataka	Karnataka	Bangalore
6	Kerala	Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram
7	Madhya Pradesh	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal
8	Maharashtra	Maharashtra	Mumbai
9	Odisha	Odisha	Bhubaneshwar
10	Punjab	Punjab	Chandigarh

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11	Rajasthan	Rajasthan	Jaipur
12	Uttar Pradesh(West)	Uttar Pradesh(West)	Meerut
13	Uttarakhand	Uttarakhand	Dehradun
14	Telangana Circle	Telangana	Hyderabad
15	Calcutta Telephones	Calcutta Telephones	Kolkata

Note: - Depending upon the number of the candidates, exam centre may be any of the above mentioned cities or any nearby city (not mentioned above).

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Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited
(A Govt. Of India Enterprises)
[Corporate Office]

No. BSNLCO-A/15(14)/2/2022-ESTAB

Dated: 01.02.2022

To

The GM(Recrt.)
BSNL Corporate Office
New Delhi 110001

Subject: Limited Internal Competitive Examination for promotion to the grade of Telecom Technician under 50% internal quota for vacancy years 2020 and 2021 up-to 31.12.2021-reg.

The undersigned, is directed to convey the approval of the Competent Authority for holding of LICE (Limited Internal Competitive Examination) for promotion to the post of Telecom Technician under 50% internal quota for the vacancy years 2020 and 2021. The LICE for Telecom Technician for the vacancy years 2020 & 2021 shall be conducted as per provisions laid in the Recruitment Rules of TTs 2012 issued vide this office letter No.250-3/2012-Pers-III Dated 19.09.2012.

The competent authority has approved 59 vacancies for VY 2020 and 393 for VY 2021 for 15 circles as per Annexure-'A'. Hence, LICE for TT-under 50% internal quota for the vacancy years 2020 & 2021, as per the provisions of TTs' RR's 2012 for vacancies upto 31.12.2021 may be conducted as per details given below:

- The LICE will be held as per the scheme and syllabus circulated vide this office letter No.250-74/2001-Pers-III dated 18.10.2011.
- All the recruiting circles are directed to prepare roster plan of the existing employees with reference to revised sanctioned strength and calculate category wise vacancies as per existing DoP&T guidelines on roster. The breakup of vacancies (i.e OC/SC/ST) as per Annexure 'A' (including vacancies of non-recruiting circles) under 50% internal quota may be sent to GM(Recruitment), BSNL CO directly to e-mail ID at 'bsnlrectt@bsnl.co.in' latest by 11th February 2022.
- The eligibility for appearing in the TTs' LICE shall be as per TT RRs of 2012 as endorsed vide this office letter No.250-3/2012-Pers-III Dated 19.09.2012.
- As per DoPT OM no. 22011/4/2013—Estt(D) Dated 08th May 2017, crucial date for determining the qualifying service shall be 1st January of the respective vacancy year against which the candidature of the official is being considered.

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- f. Examination will be conducted for 50% quota for vacancy years 2020 & 2021 i.e for vacancies upto 31.12.2021.
- g. Since, it is a competitive exam, results shall be declared upto the notified vacancies for the particular years i.e. 2020 & 2021.

Encl: As above

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01/02/2022

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Asstt. Gen. Manager (Estt.-IV)

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2. CGMs – AN / Kol. TD/ Chhattisgarh / Guj/ Haryana/ KTK/ KL/MH/ M.P./ Odisha/ Punjab/ Rajasthan/ U.P(West) /Uttarakhand/ Telangana for sending the UR /SC/ST breakup of the vacancies (as per Annexure 'A' to the Recruitment Cell Corporate office, BSNL Corporate Office , latest by 11th February 2022.

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Annexure "A"

Telecom Technician LICE Vacancy For VY 2020 and VY 2021				
Sl No	Name of Circles	Total LICE Vacancy	2020 LICE Vacancy	2021 LICE Vacancy
1	A&N	2	1	1
2	Calcutta Telephones	7	0	7
3	Chhatisgarh	13	2	11
4	Gujarat	20	2	18
5	Haryana	27	4	23
6	Karnataka	40	5	35
7	Kerala	123	15	108
8	MH	88	12	76
9	M.P	11	1	10
10	Odisha	24	4	20
11	Punjab	45	6	39
12	Rajasthan	34	4	30
13	J.P (West)	1	0	1
14	Uttarakhand	10	2	8
15	Telangana	7	1	6
Total		452	59	393

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