

रेलटेल कॉर्पोरेशन ऑफ़ इंडिया लिमिटेड (भारत सरकार का उपक्रम) RailTel Corporation of India Ltd. (A government of India Enterprise) www.railtelindia.com

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RailTel Corporation of India Limited, a CPSU under Ministry of Railways has bagged an order from the Madhya Pradesh State Electronics Development Corporation Ltd. (MPSEDC), a Govt. Of M.P. undertaking for expansion of State Data Centre (SDC) and establishment of Disaster Recovery (DR) centre. The work order is valued at Rs 97.64 Crore (excluding GST) which after including GST amounts to RS. 115 Crore (including GST). This order has been acquired through open competitive bidding process.

The said project entails designing upgradation, commission and managing a State Data Centre in Madhya Pradesh along with setting up of a Disaster Recovery centre in Madhya Pradesh for a period of five years.

State Data Centre (SDC) is envisioned as the 'shared, reliable and secure infrastructure services centre for hosting and managing the e-Governance Applications of State and its constituent departments/Organization. It would provide many functionalities like Central Repository of the State, Secure Data Storage, Online Delivery of Services, Citizen Information/Services Portal, State Intranet Portal, Disaster Recovery, Remote Management and Service Integration. SDC would facilitate secure, reliable and efficient delivery of G2G, G2C and G2B services thereby improving end-user satisfaction. Disaster Recovery (DR) services are required to prevent either man-made or natural disasters from causing expensive service disruptions.

More citizen's centric beneficial schemes involving e-governance applications will be available at the click of the mouse to the citizen and help in improving the delivery of services to citizens after completion of this project. This will improve transparency, efficiency and effectiveness in different Government initiatives, public expenditure and schemes. The projects assume significance with SDCs emerging as one of the backbones of the core infrastructure required for the National e-Governance Plan (NeGP).



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Talking about it, Chairman & Managing Director Shri Puneet Chawla said, "RailTel has established itself as a prominent Information and Communication Technology (ICT) provider and as one of the largest neutral telecom infrastructure providers in the country. Securing this prestigious project from Government of Madhya Pradesh is an endorsement of RailTel's key position in the domestic IT space based on its strong technology expertise, process excellence and superior execution capabilities. With this, RailTel is well- positioned to win other State Data Centre (SDC) projects as well".

About RailTel:

RailTel, a "Mini Ratna (Category-I)" Central Public Sector Enterprise under Ministry of Railways, is one of the largest neutral telecom infrastructure providers in the country owning a Pan-India optic fiber network covering several towns & cities and rural areas of the country. Along with a strong a reliable network of 61000+ RKM of Optic fibre, RailTel has two MeitY empaneled tier III data centers as well. With its Pan India high-capacity network, RailTel is working towards creating a knowledge society at various fronts and has been selected for implementation of various mission-mode projects for the Government of India in the telecom field. RailTel offers a bundle of services like, MPLSVPN, Telepresence, leased line, Tower Co-location, Data center services etc. RailTel is also working with the Indian Railways to transform railway stations into digital hub by providing public Wi-Fi at railway stations across the country and 6100+ stations are live with RailTel's RailWire Wi-Fi.

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