Pre Bid Queries Response for "Creation of OFC Network for BRTS Corridor and other important SMC Locations" Tender: SSCDL-ConnectedSurat-OFC-RFP-03-2017

#	Content of	Clarification Sought	Our Response
	the RFP requiring clarificati on		
1	Schedule III : O&M for Passive Component s	All components are 3 years warranty, hence bidders are required to quote the O&M charges accordingly". while as O& M quotes are asked for all the 7 years from y1 to Y7, how warranty will affect the O&M charges	The charges covered under warranty should not be considered as part of AMC. Thus, the prices quoted for O&M should considered all such aspects.
2	4.0 Solution Architecture / 4.1 Core Layer	Figure 1 indicates unarmoured cable, while as Sec. 4.1 describing it as armoured cable, clarify which type of cable actually referred.	Please refer Addendum & Corrigendum-1
3	Route No. 106 Locations	Locations are printed twice, hence no of locations gets increased.	Yes correct. To provide the understanding of complete BRTS corridor, route wise- station names were provided. This will facilitate the bidder to design the OFC route for BRTS corridor.
4		Does SSDCL envisage using telecom fibre cable in any of the outdoor locations or use only "Outside Plant Armoured Stranded Loose Tube" Cable?	Bidder to use outside plant armoured cable for all outdoor locations.
5		Hand hole / RCC chamber distance of 200 meter is short by industry standards. We have done hand holes with 500 meters distance. Will SSDCL allow longer than 200m hand holes should topography and straight line paths allow?	Hand hole will be required at aprx. 200 mtr because we have BRTS stations every 500 mtr and in between almost in centre, there is a cross road junction where cameras will be there. So, for connectivity, we shall require chamber at some location minimum 200 mtr.
6		Whether 96F core link is with ring topography? If so then which path is envisaged for return loop? BRTS corridor (central part of it) would accommodate only one OSP fibre cable. Kindly clarify	96F core layer is in ring. It starts from main HQ and return to same place after connecting 3 PoP locations. So, there will be only 1 cable on entire route. Please refer to the KMZ file which represents indicative network design for reference.