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Government of Himachal Pradesh.  
Department of Panchayati Raj.

To

1. All the DPOs in Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the BDOs in Himachal Pradesh.

Shimla Dated 13-5-2022

Subject:- Regarding renewal fee for the telecom towers installed in the Gram Panchayats in Himachal Pradesh.

Sir,

Kindly refer to the subject cited above. This is to inform you that Department of Information Technology, Himachal Pradesh has informed that as per Clause 7 E under Chapter-3 of Himachal Pradesh Right of Way Policy, 2021 there is provision <sup>of</sup> one time non-refundable fee to be taken from TSPs/ ISPs during submission of online application on RoW Portal. However there is no provision of renewal fee in Row Policy. The annual rent is applicable only if towers are installed on Panchayat land. In case the towers are installed on private land, no annual rent/ renewal fee is required to be paid to Gram Panchayat as per the revised Row Policy notified by IT Department vide Notification No.IT-(F)1-1/2020 DATED 09-02-2021.

You are therefore, requested to kindly issue necessary directions to all the Gram Panchayats in your jurisdiction and act accordingly.

Yours faithfully

(Kewal Sharma)

Additional Director,  
Panchayati Raj Department.

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