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Press Statement on “Centre approval Rs 6,466 cr package for telecom services in remote areas”

“COAI, the leading representative body for the Indian telecommunications industry, welcomes the announcement of Rs 6466 crore package passed by the Central Government. It is aimed to bring 7,287 uncovered villages of 44 aspirational districts across five states under 4G based mobile services. It will help bridge the digital divide and bring remote villages under the digital map of India by enhancing seamless coverage thereby providing a stimulus to the rural economy. This step is in line with the objectives of the National Broadband Mission of achieving universal and equitable broadband services across the country.”