Subject: Inviting nominations for seeking inputs in respect of development of Essential Requirements for ‘DRONES/UAS’ under Mandatory Testing & Certification of Telecom Equipment framework

The Department of Telecommunications, Ministry of Communications, Government of India vide Gazette Notification No. G.S.R. 1131(E) dated 5th September, 2017 has amended the Indian Telegraph Rules, 1951 (Amendment 2017) to introduce Mandatory Testing & Certification of Telecom Equipment. The testing and certification of the telecommunication equipment shall be done for ensuring compliance with the respective Essential Requirements (ER) documents of TEC.

To implement Mandatory Testing & Certification of Telecommunication Equipment, ERs are being formulated. The Radio Division of TEC is currently envisaging formulating the Essential Requirements under the following broad category

i. **Drones/ Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS)**

The stakeholders are invited to send nominations (not exceeding 2 representatives from each organization) to participate in the activities for development of Essential Requirements document for Drones, along with their contact details (email, contact no.).

The nominations may be sent to harshit.modi@gov.in with a copy to neha.upadhyay86@gov.in latest by August 31, 2020.

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To:

1. All concerned Stakeholders through TEC Website.
2. DDG (I), TEC, with a request to upload this letter on TEC web