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Sub: Press Release

Dear Sir/ Ma'am,

We are enclosing herewith the following press releases dated April 15, 2024 being issued by the Company titled:

- (a) 'Airtel expands its network footprint in Nanded District under its rural enhancement project'
- (b) 'Airtel expands its network footprint in Palakkad District under its rural enhancement project'
- (c) 'Airtel expands its network footprint in Purba & Paschim Medinipur District under its rural enhancement project'
- (d) 'Airtel expands its network footprint in Shajapur District under its rural enhancement project'

Kindly take the same on record.

Thanking you, Sincerely yours,

For Bharti Airtel Limited

Rohit Krishan Puri Dy. Company Secretary & Compliance Officer



# Airtel expands its network footprint in Nanded District under its rural enhancement project

Densifies its network across 1150 villages by deploying additional sites for seamless connectivity

**Nanded, April 15, 2024:** Bharti Airtel, one of India's leading telecommunications service providers, today announced that it has deployed additional sites in Nanded district to densify its network.

The Nanded network enhancement project was undertaken across 1150 villages covering an 18.5 Lac population base. Customers in the tehsils of Hadgaon, Mukhed, Kandhar, Loha, Naigaon (Khairgaon), Ardhapur, Biloli, Dharmabad and Deglurand under the Nanded district will directly benefit from this network enhancement. The expansion will enable seamless access to high-speed connectivity that will ensure reliable mobile network for work, study and entertainment in rural Nanded. In this year alone, Airtel has doubled down on its commitment to the state and has invested additional capex to enhance its network connectivity for seamless experience on 4G, 5G, Broadband and Fiber.

To expand coverage in rural villages in the state and to bring customers to enjoy the power of high-speed connectivity, the rural enhancement project covers nine districts of Maharashtra including Ahmednagar, Sambhaji Nagar, Bid, Jalgaon, Nashik, Solapur, Nanded, Jalna and Buldana.

Airtel has been running this rural enhancement project nationally and will augment network connectivity across 60,000 villages in the country by 2024. Maharashtra has been one of the big focus markets for the Company and with this initiative, the Company will augment its network coverage across 5000 villages covering the entire state.

With the aim of stepping up network capacity and taking services deeper into rural and unconnected areas. Airtel has also enhanced its fiber presence in the state by deploying additional capacities. The addition of fresh fiber capacity will support the growth of demand for high-speed data services in this region. Airtel's network umbrella in the region now covers all key urban, semi urban and rural areas including highways, tourist destinations and trade centres.

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## Airtel expands its network footprint in Palakkad District under its rural enhancement project

Densifies its network across 14 towns and 129 villages in Palakkad district

**Palakkad, April 15, 2024:** Bharti Airtel, one of India's leading telecommunications service providers, today announced that it has deployed additional sites in Palakkad district to densify its network. The network enhancement project was undertaken across 14 towns and 129 villages covering 7 lakh population base in Palakkad district. The additional sites will further augment customer experience in this region on both voice and data connectivity.

Customers in the tehsils of Alathur, Attappady, Chittur, Mannarkad, Ottappalam, Palakkad and Pattambi under Palakkad district will directly benefit from this network enhancement. This expansion will enable seamless access to high-speed connectivity, a massive service for customers in rural & smaller towns in Palakkad thereby ensuring reliable mobile network for work, study and entertainment. In this year alone, Airtel has doubled down on its commitment to the state and has invested additional capex to enhance its network connectivity for seamless experience on 4G, 5G, Broadband and Fiber.

Airtel has been running rural enhancement project nationally and will augment network connectivity across 60,000 villages in the country by 2024. Kerala has been one of the big focus market for the Company and with this initiative, the Company will be augmenting its network coverage across 1600 villages and 355 towns covering the entire state.

To expand coverage in high potential villages in the state and to bring customers to enjoy the power of high-speed connectivity, the rural enhancement project covers all 14 districts of Kerala. With the aim of stepping up network capacity and taking services deeper into rural and unconnected areas. The addition of fresh fiber capacity will support the growth of demand for high-speed data services in this region.

Airtel's network umbrella in the region now covers all key urban, semi urban and rural areas including highways, tourist destinations and trade centers. With this, all popular tourist destinations ranging from hill stations to beaches across the state will experience enhanced network footprint. Hill Stations in Wayanad, Idukki and Pathanamthitta are equipped with better network, making Airtel available even in remote locations.

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# Airtel expands its network footprint in Purba & Paschim Medinipur District under its rural enhancement project

Densifies its network across 7497 villages by deploying additional sites for seamless connectivity

**Purba & Paschim Medinipur, April 15, 2024:** Bharti Airtel, one of India's leading telecommunications service providers, today announced that it has deployed additional sites in Purba & Paschim Medinipur districts to densify its network.

Purba & Paschim Medinipur district network enhancement project was undertaken across 7497 villages covering 91.2Lac rural population. Customers in the tehsils of Kharagpur - I, Midnapore , Haldia , Debra ,Panskura Tamluk , Narayangarh ,Keshpur and Contai - I under Purba & Paschim Medinipur districts will directly benefit from this network enhancement. The expansion will enable seamless access to high-speed connectivity that will ensure reliable mobile network for work, study and entertainment in rural areas of Purba & Paschim Medinipur. In this year alone, Airtel has doubled down on its commitment to the state and has invested additional capex to enhance its network connectivity for seamless experience on 4G, 5G, Broadband and Fiber.

To expand coverage in rural villages in the state and to bring customers to enjoy the power of high-speed connectivity, the rural enhancement project covers across West Bengal including Alipurduar, Bankura, Barddhaman, Birbhum, Dakshin Dinajpur, Darjiling, Haora, Hugli, Jalpaiguri, Jhargram, Kalimpong, Koch Bihar, Maldah, Murshidabad, Nadia, North Twenty Four Parganas, Paschim Bardhaman, Paschim Medinipur, Purba Medinipur, Puruliya, South Twenty Four Parganas and Uttar Dinajpur.

Airtel has been running this rural enhancement project nationally and will augment network connectivity across 60,000 villages in the country by 2024. West Bengal has been one of the big focus markets for the Company and with this initiative, the Company has already augmented its network coverage across 37,661 villages covering the entire state.

With the aim of stepping up network capacity and taking services deeper into rural and unconnected areas. Airtel has also enhanced its fiber presence in the state by deploying additional capacities. The addition of fresh fiber capacity will support the growth of demand for high-speed data services in this region. Airtel's network umbrella in the region now covers all key urban, semi urban and rural areas including highways, tourist destinations and trade centers.

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# Airtel expands its network footprint in Shajapur District under its rural enhancement project

Densifies its network across 596 villages by deploying additional sites for seamless connectivity

**Shajapur, April 15, 2024:** Bharti Airtel, one of India's leading telecommunications service providers, today announced that it has deployed additional sites in Shajapur district to densify its network.

Shajapur district network enhancement project was undertaken across 596 villages covering 8.6 Lac rural population. Customers in the tehsils of Shujalpur, Kalapipal, Shajapur and Mohan Badodiya under Shajapur districts will directly benefit from this network enhancement. The expansion will enable seamless access to high-speed connectivity that will ensure reliable mobile network for work, study and entertainment in rural Shajapur. In this year alone, Airtel has doubled down on its commitment to the state and has invested additional capex to enhance its network connectivity for seamless experience on 4G, 5G, Broadband and Fiber.

To expand coverage in rural villages in the state and to bring customers to enjoy the power of high-speed connectivity, the rural enhancement project covers across Madhya Pradesh including Shajapur, Agar, Ujjain, Indore, Sehore, Ratlam, Dhar, Dewas and Bhopal.

Airtel has been running this rural enhancement project nationally and will augment network connectivity across 60,000 villages in the country by 2024. Madhya Pradesh has been one of the big focus markets for the Company and with this initiative, the Company has already augmented its network coverage across 5000 villages covering the entire state.

With the aim of stepping up network capacity and taking services deeper into rural and unconnected areas. Airtel has also enhanced its fiber presence in the state by deploying additional capacities. The addition of fresh fiber capacity will support the growth of demand for high-speed data services in this region. Airtel's network umbrella in the region now covers all key urban, semi urban and rural areas including highways, tourist destinations and trade centers.

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