

Replies to Bidder's Queries (Batch-2)
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1	<p>There are multiple Mauzas within the schedule "C" that are categorized as "Within 10 Km" under the "Coverage Requirement". Given the response against query 1 (Query Set 1) we will require clarifications for such Mauzas;</p> <p>If we follow the SOP, we will clearly not be allowed to install BTS sites within 10Km of the international border so in our opinion those Mauzas shall be considered as optional and does not need to be planned for. However, do we still need to include planning of sites that are required to be installed within 10Km for the purpose of providing coverage to such Mauzas and specifically when their population count is more than 100? If yes, then this will unnecessarily increase the subsidy levels.</p> <p>Clarification of the above has substantial impact on the subsidy levels; thus your urgent response is solicited.</p>	Schedule C of draft SSA	The current PTA SoP on the subject should be followed. BTS should not be planned and installed in restricted areas as per the SoP. However the Service Provider is expected to plan and optimize coverage with sites outside the restricted area, such that coverage is extended to maximum possible population in restricted area.