

**Tender for the Provisioning of Fibre Optic Broadband Access Network and Services at the Universal Service Targets Under the National Fiberisation and Connectivity Plan 3 (NFCP 3)**

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**Questions & Answers**

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1.	<p>We have an ongoing effort to perform RAN upgrade to support NFCP's initiative of 30Mbps mobile network speed in 98% of populated areas nationwide (not limited to target location).</p> <p>Can this initiative qualify for 1:1 matching for self-funded commercial plan VS USP-funded NFCP3 plan?</p>	<p>Pursuant to paragraph 3.30 of the NFCP 3 Invitation document, it is stated that <i>"The Interested Licensee shall submit to the Commission a written commercial <b>deployment plan for fibre optic network</b> to match the value proposed under the USP Fund for the Project, together with the Draft Universal Service Plan submission."</i></p> <p>Hence, only commercial deployment plans that involve fibre optic network deployment can be considered for the matching investment under NFCP 3 Project.</p>