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Communication Minister connects Gauri Chak Village in Bihar to New Delhi, launching BSNL's Bharat AirFibre Service.

Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad, Minister of Communication, Electronics and IT, and Law & Justice, launched BSNL's rural broadband initiative "Bharat AirFibre" by having a video conferencing from BSNL's Corporate office to Gauri Chak village in Patna District. The "Bharat AirFibre" will enable high speed broadband access to villages in the country. This service is rolled out in a public private partnership model. Minister announced the simultaneous start of this service in Bihar, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Haryana, and Telangana circle, which shall be rolled out in all circles also in near future. Through this service, very affordable and reliable voice and internet service can be given in every nook and the corner of the country, said Shri P.K. Purwar CMD BSNL.

Addressing to all circle heads of BSNL, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad appreciated the rural initiative of BSNL and further directed all CGMs of BSNL Circle to improve customer feedback, make field visits to field units, focusing on QoS and share best work practices. He said that work culture need to be further improved and commented sail, swim or else sink.

BSNL has been rolling out BharatFibre services across the country, and Bharat AirFibre shall further improve the delivery of high speed broadband across the country.