

**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Information and Broadcasting**

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The Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, through BECIL is organizing a **conference of Cable TV industry representatives, i.e MSOs** on 18th December to discuss various issues and seek their views about feasibility, affordability, and ubiquity on the issue of Broadband services through Cable TV Networks, infrastructure required for the same and modalities of payment and segregation of revenue earned for broadband activities.

**Major Issues to be discussed:**

- i) Willingness of the operators to invest in the infrastructure required.
- ii) The payment of 8% Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) as fee to DoT, whether to be paid only on the broadband services or on overall revenue earned in respect of both the businesses.
- iii) Whether separate entity needs to be created for the broadband activities for segregation of the revenue earned on it.
- iv) All other issues related to delivery of broadband services through Cable TV network.

The Conference will be held at Gulmohar Hall, Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road , New Delhi and will see participation from Major MSOs, Officials from MIB, DOT, TRAI and BECIL.