

Ref. No. PGCIL/R/T/20/00490

Date : 04.12.2020

**To,**

Ms Monika Sharma  
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**Sub.: Regarding Information sought vide online communication dated 24.11.2020 under RTI Act, 2005.**

Sir,

This has reference to your online RTI application dated 24.11.2020. In this regard, information sought by you is as under :

S. N.	Information sought	Information Provided
1.	Kindly provide the details of optical fiber cable laid above transmission lines from Pithoragarh to Dhawaliganga power station in Dharchula (total number of fiber cores of fiber cores of that cable).	12 Pair fibre (24 Fibre) OPGW cable was laid on 400 kV Pithoragarh –Dhawaliganga line.
2.	Number of fiber cores utilized in OFC laid above power transmission lines in area mentioned above (Pithoragarh to Dharchula).	Presently, three (03) pairs are being utilized for ULDC purpose and four (04) pairs for Telecom purpose while balance 05 pairs serves any contingency to meet the availability and may be utilized as per future requirement for Grid Operation/ Telecom.
3.	Unused number of fiber cores in said OFC line.	

**Address of First Appellate Authority:**

Sh. Sanjai Gupta  
Executive Director, Northern Region – III  
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited  
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Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

  
(Rana Pratap)

GM (PESM) & Designated CPIO, NR-III  
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