

Sierra Leone Telecom to centrally procure trunk fiber optic cables



Article Overview

Leonecom, in partnership with the Government of Sierra Leone, manages the national fiber optic backbone and is likely the central entity for procuring trunk fiber optic cables to expand connectivity nationwide.

Key Stakeholders

Leonecom is a neutral fiber optic operator working closely with the government to oversee the national fiber optic backbone and ancillary infrastructure. The company is responsible for operations, maintenance, and commercialization of the ICT infrastructure, providing services such as E-LAN, Dark Fiber, Layer 3 Network, IP VPN, and Metro services across more than 40 coverage points. The Ministry of Communication, Technology and Innovation (MoCTI) regulates the ICT sector, formulates policies, and ensures the implementation of broadband and digital infrastructure projects. The National Communications Authority (NatCA) oversees licensing, spectrum management, and ICT development, ensuring fair competition and consumer protection.

Centralized Procurement Process

Centralized procurement of trunk fiber optic cables typically involves:

- **Tender Announcements:** Government or authorized operators like Leonecom issue tenders for fiber optic cables and related infrastructure. These tenders are published on platforms such as Global Tenders and SierraLeoneTenders, providing opportuniti...

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Sierra Leone's Minister of information and Communication, Mohamed Rahman Swaray, has on Tuesday September 1 st 2020 said

Minister witnesses first fibre optic cable blowing

Minister witnesses first fibre optic cable blowing The first phase of the ongoing installation of fiber optic cable under the

Sierra Leone's fibre-optic infrastructure project still on track

Sierra Leone's fibre-optic infrastructure project still on track Julius Kamara, the project coordinator of the West African

(National Fibre Backbone Network)

Approximately 90% of backbone cable damages are due to vandalism—deliberate acts of destruction, often carried out by individuals

Sierra Leone: construction of phase 2 of the national fiber optic ...

Huawei Technologies has launched the construction of phase 2 of Sierra Leone's fiber optic network. The site which is still at the

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Leonecom is a neutral fiber optic operator working as a private partner with the Government of Sierra Leone to manage the country's

US\$ 30Mn fiber optic set to roll out in Sierra Leone

The Government of Sierra Leone is set to roll out the phase two of a US\$30 million fiber optic project. The Ministry of Information and

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Western Area Fibernet and IP Communications Infrastructure

Sierra Leone Cable Limited (SALCAB) is a wholly government owned Optical Fiber infrastructure company incorporated as a limited

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Guinea and Sierra Leone to jointly develop fiber optic infrastructure ...

The agreement grants each operator reciprocal access to the other's national fiber infrastructure through the cross-border exchange

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Sierra Leone has confirmed a US\$30-million loan agreement to finance its contract with Huawei for the second phase of its National

List of terrestrial fibre optic cable projects in Africa

This is a list of terrestrial fibre optic cable projects in Africa. While submarine communications cables are used to connect countries

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