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General Notices

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 61

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms of regulation 11 of the Regulations Regarding Licensing Procedures for Telecommunications and Broadcasting Service Licences and Spectrum Use Licences, as published in Government Gazette No. 4785, General Notice No. 272, dated 29 August 2011 (as amended), hereby gives notice that:

Hype Radio CC have submitted an application for a Spectrum Use Licence (Studio Link) as set out in the table below-

	Own			
	Service to be provided using frequencies applied for	Fixed		
	Maximum Output power	15 W		
hic coverage	City/Town	446.600 MHz Oshana Ongwediva Ongwediva		
Description of geographic coverage area	District	Ongwediva		
Description	Description Region			
List of radio	or group of frequencies being considered for assignment by the Authority	446.600 MHz		
	List of radio Frequencies or group of frequencies applied for	440 MHz - 470 MHz		
Percentage of Stock owned	100%			
	Namibia			
	Hype Radio CC			

Media for Christ has submitted an application for a Spectrum Use Licences as set out below-

	Party providing Signal Distribution;	Own	
Service to be	Service to be provided using frequenting Signal cies applied Distribution;		
	Maximum Output power	1000 W	
Description of geographic coverage area (s);	City/Town	Bethanie (NBC Tower)	
n of geograp area (s);	District	Bethanie	
Descriptio	Region	Karas	
List of radio	cies being considered for assign- ment by the Authority	107.3 MHz	
I ist of radio	Frequencies or group of frequencies applied for	88 MHz - 108 MHz	
Percentage of Stock owned by	Namibian Citizens or Namibian citi- zens or Namibian Companies con- trolled by Namib- ian Citizens	100%	
	Applicant's place of incorporation;	Namibia	
	Applicant		

3. Hit Radio Namibia CC has submitted an application for Transfer of Licences and Transfer of Control of Licences as set out below-

Licensee;	Type of license;	Transferor;	Transferee;	Percentage of Stock being transferred;	Reasons for the proposed transfer;
Hit Radio Namibia CC	Commercial Broadcasting Service Licence All Spectrum use licenses issued to the licensee in terms of section 101 of the Communications Act as published in various Government Gazettes.	Wilfried Haehner	Hartwig Rothkegel (51%) Jessica Rothkegel (49%)	51%	The transferee will inject funding to ensure operational and financial stability.

The public may submit comments in in writing to the Authority within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*. The applicants may submit written reply comments within fourteen (14) days from date of notification of the written public comments.

All written submissions must contain the name and contact details of the person making the written submissions and the name and contact details of the person for whom the written submission is made, if different, and be clear and concise.

All written submissions must be made either physically or electronically -

- (1) by hand to the head offices of the Authority, namely Communication House, 56 Robert Mugabe Avenue, Windhoek;
- (2) by post to the head offices of the Authority, namely Private Bag 13309, Windhoek 9000;
- (3) by electronic mail to the following address: legal@cran.na
- by facsimile to the following facsimile number: +264 61 222790; or
- (5) by fax to e-mail to: 0886550852.

F. K. MBANDEKA CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 62

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms of regulation 11 of the Regulations Regarding Licensing Procedures for Telecommunications and Broadcasting Service Licences and Spectrum Use Licences, as published in Government Gazette No. 4785, General Notice No. 272, dated 29 August 2011 (as amended), hereby gives notice that **Satelio Television Namibia (Pty) Ltd**

has submitted an application for Transfer of Licences and Transfer of Control of Licences as set out below-

Licensee	Type of license	Transferor	Transferee	Percentage of Stock being transferred	Reasons for the proposed transfer;
Satelio Television Namibia (Pty) Ltd	Broadcasting	Wilfried Hahner (35%)	Reinhold Rothkegel (35%)	(35%)	Wilfried Hahner sold his shares to Reinhold Rothkegel

The public may submit comments in in writing to the Authority within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*. The applicants may submit written reply comments within fourteen (14) days from date of notification of the written public comments.

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COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 63

REASONS FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING
THE NATIONAL NUMBERING PLAN FOR USE IN THE PROVISION OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA, NUMBERING
LICENCE FEE AND PROCEDURES FOR NUMBER LICENCES:
COMMUNICATIONS ACT, 2009

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia in terms of the Regulations Regarding Rule-Making Procedures published under Government Gazette No. 4630, General Notice No. 334, dated 17 December 2010, hereby publish the reasons for the Amendment of the Regulations Prescribing the National Numbering Plan for use in the provision of Telecommunications Services in the Republic of Namibia, Numbering Licence Fee and Procedures for Number Licenses (**Number Portability**) published under Government Gazette No. 6692, General Notice No. 500, dated 30 August 2018 set out in the Schedule.

The Authority in terms of regulation 7 of the Regulations Regarding Rule-Making Procedures further gives notice herewith that it will hold a public hearing regarding the above reasons:

DATE: 29 April 2019 TIME: 10H00 - 12H00

VENUE: TBA

Members of the public are invited to make oral submissions at the aforesaid public hearing subject to the following:

- 1. Any person desirous to make oral submissions at the aforesaid public hearing must deliver written notice thereof to the Authority not later than 5 days before the date of the hearing. Such written notice must be accompanied by concise statement setting out the basis and rationale of the oral submissions.
- 2. Oral submissions made at the aforesaid public hearing must -
 - (a) Include a statement of the name and contact details of the person making the oral submissions and the name and contact details of the person of entity on whose behalf the oral submissions are made, if different;
 - (b) Be clear and concise.
- 3. The aforesaid notice of oral submissions and concise statement must be delivered to the Authority either physically or electronically as follows:
 - (a) By hand to the head offices of the Authority, namely Communications House, 56 Robert Mugabe Avenue, Windhoek;
 - (b) By post to the head offices of the Authority namely Private Bag 13309, Windhoek;
 - (c) By electronic mail to the following address legal@cran.na;
 - (d) By facsimile to the following facsimile number +264 61 222 790; or
 - (e) By fax to email to: 088642748.

Members of the public are further invited to make written submissions to the Authority no later than 30 days from the date of publication of this notice of reasons, in the manner set out below for making written submissions.

Reply comments to written submissions may be submitted to the Authority.

- (a) no later than 15 days after the time for the making of written submissions has lapsed; or
- (b) if the opportunity for the submission of reply comments is published in a subsequent Gazette, after the lapse of 14 days from the date of such publication.

All written submissions must-

- (a) contain the name and contact details of the person making the written submissions and the name and contact details of the person or entity on whose behalf the written submissions are made, if different; and
- (b) be clear and concise.

All written submissions must be delivered to the Authority in the manner provided above for the delivery of notices of oral submissions.

F. KISHI CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

2019

SCHEDULE

REASONS FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING THE NATIONAL NUMBERING PLAN FOR USE IN THE PROVISION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA, NUMBERING LICENCE FEE AND PROCEDURES FOR NUMBER LICENCES

Section 81(3) of the Communications Act, 2009, provides that the "numbering plan must require mobile number portability by all technology and service neutral licensees within two years from the date of commencement of this Act".

Section 81(3) provision directs it to implement the numbering plan with respect to "mobile number portability" within a specified period of time and excludes the implementation of "fixed number portability."

It is the Authority's position that in cases of statutory interpretation, the first rule is that the provisions should be given their ordinary and grammatical interpretation. The Authority has therefore interpreted section 81(3) to exclude fixed number portability as it was not directed to do so.

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 64 2019

NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 53(7) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT,2009 READ WITH THE REGULATIONS REGARDING THE SUBMISSIONS OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENTS AND TARIFFS

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms section 53(1) and (7) of the Communications Act read with regulation 8 of the "Regulations Regarding the Submission of Interconnection Agreements and Tariffs", in Government Gazette No. 4714, General Notice No. 126, dated 18 May 2011, herewith gives notice that it has **approved:**

- 1. VoIP Rates Amendment, Wimax & Fiber, LTE Pre-Paid and Top-ups for these packages as submitted by **Paratus Telecommunications (Pty) Ltd,** which came into force and effect on **1 October 2018**, notwithstanding the date of publication of the notice in the *Gazette*; and
- 2. Jola Extreem as submitted by **MWireless (Pty) Ltd t/a Africa Online,** which came into force and effect on **1 October 2018**, notwithstanding the date of publication of the notice in the *Gazette*; and
- 3. Fixed Wireless packages as submitted by **Oblixx Communications Networks cc**, which came into force and effect on **1 October 2018**, notwithstanding the date of publication of the notice in the *Gazette*; and
- 4. Pre-paid and Post-Paid Extra Data as submitted by **Mobile Telecommunications Limited**, which came into force and effect on **1 October 2018**, notwithstanding the date of publication of the notice in the *Gazette*.

5. Speed-link Prepaid as submitted by **Telecom Namibia**, which came into force and effect on **24 October 2018**, notwithstanding the date of publication of the notice in the *Gazette*.

Please note that the full tariff submission and reasons for approval can be obtained from the Authority.

F KISHI CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 65

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING THE SUBMISSIONS OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENTS AND TARIFFS

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms of Section 53(10) of the Communications Act, 2009 (Act No. 8 of 2009) read with regulation 8(1) of the Regulations Regarding the Submission of Interconnection Agreements and Tariffs, published in Government Gazette No. 4714, General Notice No. 126, dated 18 May 2011, herewith gives notice that **Witel Service Provider (Pty) Ltd** has filed tariffs with the Authority as set out in **Schedule 1**.

Any person may examine copies of the tariffs submitted at the head offices of the Authority during normal business hours and copies may be made on payment of a fee determined by the Authority. Copies are also available at www.cran.na where copies may be downloaded free of charge.

The public may submit in writing to the Authority written comments within fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Witel Service Provider (Pty) Ltd may submit, in writing to the Authority, a response to any written comments within fourteen (14) days from the lapsing of the time to submit written submissions.

All written submissions must contain the name and contact details of the person making the written submissions and the name and contact details of the person for whom the written submissions is made, if different and be clear and concise.

All written submissions and reply comments must be made either physically or electronically -

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- (4) by facsimile to the following facsimile number: +264 61 222790.
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F. MBANDEKA
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY

SCHEDULE 1

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED TARIFFS BY WITEL SERVICE PROVIDER (PTY) LTD COMMUNICATIONS ACT, 2009

The following are the proposed tariffs as submitted by Witel Service Provider Limited:

CODE	UP/DOWN	36 Months	24 Months	12 Months
HINT1	1Mbps/1Mbps	NAD 435.00	NAD 456.75	NAD 478.50
HINT2	1Mbps/2Mbps	NAD 565.00	NAD 593.25	NAD 621.50
HINT5	1Mbps/5Mbps	NAD 965.00	NAD 1,013.25	NAD 1,061.50
HINT8	2Mbps/8Mbps	NAD 1,470.00	NAD 1,543.50	NAD 1,617.00
HINT10	2Mbps/10Mbps	NAD 1,928.00	NAD 2,024.40	NAD 2,120.80
HINT15	5Mbps/15Mbps	NAD 2,558.00	NAD 2,685.90	NAD 2,813.80
HINT20	5Mbps/20Mbps	NAD 3,289.00	NAD 3,453.45	NAD 3,617.90

- Installation cost is once off at N\$1800.00 per installation
- All pricing exclude VAT.
- Pensioner contracts may qualify for a 10% discount on the HINT1 and HINT2 packages.

Please note that the full tariff submission including the terms and conditions and the remedies available to the consumers can be obtained from the Authority.

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 66 2019

WITHDRAWAL OF PART 4 OF GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 30 PUBLISHED UNDER GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 6846 DATED 22 FEBRUARY 2019: NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES - CITY OF WINDHOEK

Part 4 of Government Notice No. 30 that was published on 22 February 2019, under Government Gazette No. 6846 is withdrawn.

F. K. MBANDEKA
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

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No. 67

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES

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dated 29 August 2011 (as amended), hereby gives notice that the **City of Windhoek** submitted the following application to the Authority:

Applicant	Applicant's place of incorporation	Percentage of Stock owned by Namibian Citizens or Namibian citizens or Namibian Companies controlled by Namibian Citizens	Category of service licence applied for	Services intended to be provided	Description of geographic coverage areas	Application Fees paid?
City of Windhoek	Established in terms of the Local Authorities Act (Act No. 23 of 1992)	100 %	Class Network Facilities Service License	Network Facilities	Windhoek, Khomas Region, Namibia	Yes

The public may submit comments in writing to the Authority within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

The applicant may submit written reply comments within fourteen (14) days from the due date of the written public comments.

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F. K. MBANDEKA CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 68

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING THE SUBMISSIONS OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENTS AND TARIFFS

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms of Section 53(10) of the Communications Act, 2009 (Act No. 8 of 2009) read with regulation 8(1) of the "Regulations Regarding the Submission of Interconnection Agreements and Tariffs", in Government Gazette No. 4714, General Notice No. 126, dated 18 May 2011, herewith gives notice that **Paratus Telecommunications (Pty) Ltd** has filed tariffs with the Authority as set out in Schedule 1.

Any person may examine copies of the tariffs submitted at the head offices of the Authority during normal business hours and copies may be made on payment of a fee determined by the Authority. Copies are also available at www.cran.na where copies may be downloaded free of charge.

The public may submit in writing to the Authority written comments within fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Paratus Telecommunications (Pty) Ltd may submit, in writing to the Authority, a response to any written comments within fourteen (14) days from the lapsing of the time to submit written submissions.

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F. K. MBANDEKA CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

SCHEDULE 1

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED TARIFFS BY PARATUS TELECOMMUNICATIONS (PTY) LTD COMMUNICATIONS ACT, 2009

The following are the proposed tariffs as submitted by Paratus Telecommunications (Pty) Ltd:

LTE

Package Name	Current Subscription fee (Vat Excl)	<u>Discount</u>	Subscription fee with Pensioner Discount (Vat Excl)
Lite	345	15%	293.25
Pulse	440	15%	374.00
Flix	485	15%	412.25
Deluxe	575	15%	488.75
Premier	775	15%	658.75
Ultimate	975	15%	828.75

WIMAX/TD-LTE

Package Name	Current Subscription fee (Vat Excl)	<u>Discount</u>	Subscription fee with Pensioner Discount (Vat Excl)
XTREME 30	425	15%	361.25
XTREME 50	585	15%	497.25
XTREME UNCAPPED	1585	15%	1347.25

GPON

Package Name	Current Subscription fee (Vat Excl)	<u>Discount</u>	Subscription fee with Pensioner Discount (Vat Excl)
Lite	620	15%	527.00
Pulse	1020	15%	867.00
Flix	1340	15%	1139.00
Deluxe	2150	15%	1827.50
Premier	785	15%	667.25
Ultimate	3335	15%	2834.75
Ultimate	6290	15%	5346.50

Please note that the full tariff submission including the terms and conditions and the remedies available to the consumers can be obtained from the Authority.