

Telecom Regulatory Authority of India

Corrigendum to the Consultation Paper on “Review of Per Port Transaction Charge and Other Related Charges for Mobile Number Portability”

27th March 2019 - The Authority notified “The Telecommunication Mobile Number Portability Per Port Transaction Charge and Dipping Charge (Amendment) Regulations, 2018 (03 of 2018)” whereby prescribing the 'Per Port Transaction Charge' of Rs. 4/- for each successful porting. “The Telecommunication Mobile Number Portability Per Port Transaction Charge and Dipping Charge (Amendment) Regulations, 2018 (03 of 2018)” came into force w.e.f. 31st January 2018. Subsequently, TRAI issued a Consultation Paper on “Review of Per Port Transaction Charge and Other Related Charges for Mobile Number Portability” on 22nd February, 2019.

2. On 8th March 2019, the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi delivered its judgement on the Writ Petition(C) 1507/2018 and 1508/2018 filed by M/s Syniverse Technologies (India) Pvt. Ltd. and M/s MNP Interconnection Telecom Solutions India Pvt. Ltd. respectively, which *inter alia* states:

“...the impugned Telecommunication Mobile Number Portability Per Port Transaction Charge and Dipping Charge (Amendment) Regulations, 2018, are hereby quashed as being ultra vires the powers of the TRAI under the TRAI Act, and also contrary to Article 14 of the Constitution. The writ petitions are allowed but without any orders as to costs.”

3. In view of the above, following corrigendum to the Consultation Paper on “Review of Per Port Transaction Charge and Other Related Charges for Mobile Number Portability” is hereby issued: -

CORRIGENDUM

- (i) the para numbers 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 3.10 and 3.27 of the Consultation Paper on “Review of Per Port Transaction Charge and Other Related Charges for Mobile Number Portability”, stand deleted.
- (ii) Accordingly, para numbers of the Consultation Paper would now be as under:-

Para number	May be read as
3.11	3.7
3.12	3.8
3.13	3.9
3.14	3.10
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