

भारतीय दूरसंचार विनियामक प्राधिकरण TELECOM REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF INDIA



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Date: 17th February 2025.

To
The Secretary,
Department of Telecommunications,
Ministry of Communications,
Sanchar Bhawan, 20, Ashoka Road,
New Delhi – 110 001

Subject: Recommendations on The Terms and Conditions of Network Authorisations to be Granted Under the Telecommunications Act, 2023 – reg.

- 1. The Department of Telecommunications (DoT), through its letter No. 20-1350/2024 AS-I (Vol. II) dated 26.07.2024, had requested the Authority to provide its recommendations on the terms and conditions, including fees or charges, for authorisation to establish, operate, maintain or expand telecommunication networks as per the provisions of Section 3(1)(b) of the Telecommunications Act, 2023. Subsequently, DoT, through its letter dated 17.10.2024, had requested the Authority to consider an authorisation for satellite communication network under section 3(1)(b) of the Telecommunications Act, 2024.
- 2. In this regard, the Authority issued a consultation paper on 'The Terms and Conditions of Network Authorisation to be Granted Under the Telecommunications Act, 2023' dated 22.10.2024 for seeking comments and counter comments from stakeholders on the issues raised in the consultation paper. In response 32 stakeholders furnished their comments, and 11 stakeholders furnished their counter comments. As part of the consultation process, TRAI conducted an open house discussion (OHD) through virtual mode on 17.12.2024.
- 3. Based on the comments/ counter-comments received from stakeholders and its own analysis, the Authority has finalized **Recommendations on The Terms and** Conditions **of Network Authorisations to be Granted Under the Telecommunications Act, 2023**. A copy of the recommendations is enclosed herewith.
- 4. In keeping with the practice, a copy of this letter, along with the recommendations, is being placed on the website of TRAI (www.trai.gov.in).

Enclosure: As above

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