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Subject: ASSOCHAM Response on TRAI's Pre consultation on Spectrum Auction

Dear Sir,

We wish to congratulate and applaud the Authority for their timely action to immediately views on the issue of Auction of Spectrum in 2G band and to start the process of Consultation.

ASSOCHAM established in the year 1920 is a representative industry body of over 4,00,000 member companies and professionals across India. Our members include the stakeholders of the telecommunications markets in India.

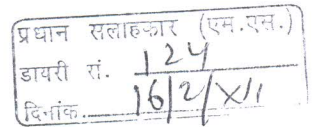
Our drive for competition and inclusive growth in all sectors of India has been represented at various forums in the country. As an industry body representing many industries we have been deeply concerned with the recent developments in the telecommunications sector. Telecom impacts all members and consumers equally. With the recent rise in telecom tariffs it has become imperative to invite new entrants to create competition for already existing incumbents.

Our views and inputs for the upcoming 2G auctions and its consultation process are enclosed for the consideration of the Authority.

Thanking You,

Yours Sincerely,

Authorised Signatory



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