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Shri R.S. Sharma,
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Subject: Review of IUC

Sir,

The concept of IUC is totally flawed in the context of current scenario in Indian telecom sector where 3 generations of telecom technologies are coexisting.

In view of different costing for each type of technology, it would be appropriate that costs and benefits of a particular technology are shared among users of that technology only.

Therefore, TRAI needs to create a framework where all costs of telecom networks are recovered from its own subscribers rather than cross-subsidization by various technologies.

It will also reduce regulatory intervention and allow each technology to compete with other technologies on its own merits.

Since as per TRAI estimates, older telecom technologies are going to be around for a while, it is better that cross subsidization across technologies and network be dispensed with immediately and each technology be allowed to compete its own merits.

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