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To

The Secretary,
Department of Telecommunications,
Ministry of Communications,
Sanchar Bhawan,
New Delhi -110001.

Sub: Recommendations of TRAI on ‘Ensuring Adequate Numbering Resources for Fixed Line and Mobile Services’.

The Department of Telecommunications through its letter No. 20-281/2010-AS-I Vol. XII (pt.) dated 08th May 2019 has solicited recommendations on the strategies/items under strategies of National Digital Communications Policy 2018 which inter-alia includes ‘Ensuring adequate numbering resources, by developing a unified numbering plan for fixed line and mobile services’.

2. In this regard, a Consultation Paper on ‘Developing a Unified Numbering Plan for Fixed Line and Mobile Services’ was issued by TRAI on 20.09.2019 to seek views/comments from stakeholders. The comments from 14 stakeholders and counter-comments from 5 stakeholders were received. An Open House Discussion (OHD) was conducted on 16.01.2020 in New Delhi.

3. Based on the comments/inputs received from the stakeholders, discussion held during OHD and on its own analysis, TRAI has finalized its recommendations on ‘Ensuring Adequate Numbering Resources for Fixed Line and Mobile Services’. The same 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).

Encl: As above

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