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No: BSNLCO-RPC/11(23)/1/2021-RPC

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### Tariff Circular-GSPS

01.03.2021

To,

1. The CGMs, BSNL Telecom Circle/Distt./Region/Projects/ITPC

2. All GM (Enterprise) Circle/GM (EB-City)

#### References:

GSPS Tariff Order 107-2/2017-BP-Ent. Dated 03.11.2017 regarding various Government and Commercial category GSPS Prepaid and Post-paid Tariff Plans.

ii. GSPS Tariff Order 100-76(1)/2017-TP®//GSPS Tariff dated 19.11.2018 regarding revised call charges in both Prepaid and Post-paid category plans.

iii. GSPS Tariff Order 100-76(1)/2017-TP®//GSPS Tariff dated 04.07.2019 regarding Remote Area Plans RAP1 and RAP2.

Subject: Revised Tariff Plans and Call Charges for Global Satellite Phone Services (GSPS)-Regd.

Kindly refer to the various tariff order mentioned under references above issued by BSNL Corporate office regarding Global Satellite Phone Service of BSNL (GSPS). With the approval of the competent authority the tariff of the GSPS service has been revised and the Remote Area Plans RAP-1 and RAP-2 offered vide letter dated 04.07.2019 are hereby withdrawn, however, the subsidised DSPT plan being provided to MHA (496 phones) and Indian Army (198 phones)and BRO (75 phones) will be continued till further orders. The following is intimated regarding subject matter:

- The revised tariff for GSPS service Prepaid Category plan and Post-paid category plans are attached at Annexure A. The revised tariff shall be applicable from 01.04.2021.
- 2. The Remote Area Plans RAP-1 & RAP-2 are hereby withdrawn with effect from the date of issue of this tariff order, however, the subsidised DSPT plan being provided to MHA (496 phones), Indian Army (198 phones) and BRO (75 phones) through USOF will be continued till further orders. The customers who are currently availing the Remote Area plans RAP-1/RAP-2 are required to move to the General Plans i.e. Plan G1/Plan GA. The customer who are currently in RAP-2 plan, they shall choose the General plans after the validity of the RAP-2 plan expires. No customer shall be allowed to recharge with RAP-2 plan from the date of issue to this letter. In cases where the expiry date of the subscribed RAP-2 plan falls before 01.04.2021, the customer may be offered the applicable general plans.
- Other terms and conditions for availing the Global Satellite Phone service are as per Annexure A.
- 4. This tariff order supersedes all previous tariff orders issued by BSNL for Global Satellite Phone Service.
- 5. The implementation of the tariff is to be made in accordance with 43rdAmendment of Telecom Tariff Order and orders/guidelines/clarifications issued by TRAI from time to time. Circles have to update their website and report the same to TRAI as per tariff reporting requirement of TRAI and TRAI regulations contained in Ir. No. 5-5/2008/regl Dated 16.06.2008 issued from regulation cell BSNL CO.

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6. Circles shall report to TRAI with full details of the tariffs as per existing

guidelines.

 This may be brought to the notice of all concerned for taking necessary action in this regard. Affected customers may also be communicated about this change in tariff.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

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1. PPS/PS to CMD BSN®/All Directors BSNL Board.

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3. OL Section to provide Hindi Translation

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## Annexure A

Prepaid Tariff Plan for Global Satellite Phone Services

		GOV	vernment U			Commercial Users	
SI.	Particulars	-	Plan G1 (monthly)	Plan GA	Plan C1 (monthly)	Plan CA	
1	Initial One Time Payment/ Startup Kit with GSPS Handset		(monemy)	(aimuai)	(montiny)	(amidai)	
1.1	Registration Amount (in Rs.)		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	
1.2	GSPS Handset Cost (in Rs.)		90,000	90,000	90,000	90,000	
1.3	Activation Charges including SIM (in Rs.)		500	500	500	500	
1.4	Annual WPC Charges to be deposited to WPC, DoT (including license fee and spectrum Charges (in Rs.)		14,250	14,250	14,250	14,250	
2(a)	Mandatory Minimum Monthly Recharge (in Rs.) (Plan Voucher Validity 30 days)	¥:	3,000	N/A	5,000	N/A	
2(b)	Mandatory Minimum Annual Recharge (in Rs.) (Plan Voucher Validity 365 days)	-	N/A	33,000	N/A	55,000	
2.1	No. of Free Calls/SMS (National)		100	1200	150	1800	
2.2	Top up value	2	00 / 500/ 10	00	200/500	/1000	
		During Disaster	During Normal time		. =		
3	Call Charges National						
3.1	Pulse rate of National Call	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	
3.2	Call Charges (National Calls)	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	
3.2.1	GSPS originating to PSTN/PLMN (outgoing call charges to GSPS user)	12	18	18	25	25	
3.2.2	GSPS Terminating from PSTN/PLMN (incoming call charges to GSPS user)	12	18	18	25	25	
3.2.3	GSPS originating to GSPS Terminating (both GSPS users will be charged separately)	12	18	18	25	25	
3.2.4	Per SMS Charge to GSPS Originating	12	18	18	25	25	
4	Call Charges International Calls						
4.1	Pulse rate of International Call	N/A	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	
4.2	Call Charges International/ Roaming Call	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	
	GSPS originating to PSTN/PLMN (outgoing call charges to GSPS user)	N/A	260	260	260	260	
1.2.2	GSPS Terminating from PSTN/PLMN (incoming call charges to GSPS user)	N/A	260	260	260	260	
.2.3	GSPS originating to GSPS Terminating (both GSPS users will be charged separately)	N/A	260	260	260	260	
24	Per SMS Charge to GSPS Originating & GSPS terminating	N/A	260	260	260	260	

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# Post-paid Tariff Plan for Global Satellite Phone Services

		Government Users			Commercial Users	
SI.	Particulars	-	Plan G1	Plan G3	Plan C1	
1	Initial one time Payments					
1.1	Registration Amount (in Rs.)		1000	1000	1000	
1.2	GSPS Handset Cost (in Rs.)		90,000	90,000	90,000	
1.3	Activation Charges including SIM (in Rs.)		500	500	500	
1.4	Annual WPC Charges to be deposited to WPC, DoT including license fee and spectrum Charges (in Rs.)		14250	14250	14250	
2	Security Deposit			====	5000	
2.1	National Calls		5000	5000	5000	
2.2	International Calls		10000	10000	10000	
2.3	International Roaming		15000	15000	15000	
3	Fixed Monthly Charges/ Rental	Ψ.	3000	5000	10000	
4	Freebies offered per month		~	(40)	-	
4.1	No. of Free Calls/SMS (National)	-	80	150	300	
5	Call Charges National	During Disaster	During Normal time			
5.1	Pulse rate of National Call	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	
5.2	Call Charges National	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	
5.2.1	GSPS originating to PSTN/ PLMN (outgoing call charges to GSPS user)	12	18	18	25	
5.2.2	GSPS Terminating from PSTN/ PLMN (incoming call charges to GSPS user)	12	18	18	25	
5.2.3	GSPS originating to GSPS Terminating (both GSPS users will be charged separately)	12	18	18	25	
5.2.4	Per SMS Charge to GSPS Originating	12	18	18	25	
6	Call Charges International					
6.1	Pulse rate of International Call	N/A	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	60 Sec.	
6.2	Call Charges International/ Roaming	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	Rs./Min.	
6.2.1	GSPS originating to PSTN/ PLMN (outgoing call charges to GSPS user)	N/A	265	265	265	
6.2.2	GSPS Terminating from PSTN/ PLMN (incoming call charges to GSPS user)	N/A	265	265	265	
	GSPS originating to GSPS Terminating (both GSPS users will be charged separately)	N/A	265	265	265	
	Per SMS Charge to GSPS Originating & GSPS terminating	N/A	265	265	265	



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#### **Terms and Conditions:**

- 1. All applicable Taxes including GST shall be extra as applicable from time to time.
- 2. Cost of handset is excluding of applicable taxes, spectrum charges and license fee as applicable.
- 3. WPC Charges shall be levied from each customer per year per handset and operating license is to be issued to the user. These are the mandatory charges to be deposited to WPC, DoT on yearly basis to renew the operating license. At present, the WPC Charges are Rs. 14250/- per handset per year which includes Rs. 250 as @icense Fee (®F) and Rs. 14000/- as Spectrum Charges (SUC). GST shall be extra on WPC Charges.
- 4. WPC Charges (License Fee and Spectrum Charges) are to be paid to WPC, DoT on annual basis and these charges will be charged separately as these charges are to be deposited to WPC, DoT.
- 5. The tariff for calls destined outside India/ to other Inmarsat services/ other Satellite Phones will be worked out separately in consultation with Inmarsat U. K. Presently such calls may be routed through ILD Network of BSNL and additional charges for ILD shall be applicable for International Call charges.
- 6. The user has to make a request in writing for activating ISD call facility. The user has to furnish a valid purpose for getting the ISD facility. The Out- roaming facility shall be granted only after approval of MHA. The customer has to obtained permission from MHA for out-roaming facility himself and submit to PGM (Inmarsat), Satellite Building, ALTTC Ghaziabad for further necessary action.
- 7. Call Charges indicated under Disaster Category shall be applicable only when Government declares a disastrous situation in affected area.
- 8. It is mandatory to recharge within 7 days after validity expired date of the package subscribed. If the recharge is not done within 7 days after the validity expired date, the following penalty shall be applicable:
  - a) Re-activation charges of Rs. 10000 per terminal on the customers falling under Grace 2 category and customer want to recharge the phone.
  - b)Rs. 25000 per terminal on the customers falling under Grace 2E category and customer want to recharge the phone
  - c) If the customer fails to recharge within 365 days of last validity date, the connection will be disconnected and charges of Rs. 45000/- per terminal will be levied as Reconnection charges if the customer wants to recharge after more than 365 days of last validity date.
    - Grace 2 Category: Customer fails to recharge within 7 days after package validity expired date and enters Grace 2 Category. Grace 2 period starts from 8th day of the package validity expired date and continue upto 165th day of the validity expired date.
    - Grace 2E Category: Customer fails to recharge within 8 to 165 days after package validity expired date and enters Grace 2E Category. Grace 2E period starts from 166<sup>th</sup> day of the package validity expired date and continue upto 365<sup>th</sup> day of the validity expired date.
- 9. For the post-paid customers, if payment is not received within 60 days of bill date, the connection will be disconnected and re-connection charges of Rs. 25000/- per connection will be charged from the customer.

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