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Department of Telecommunications  
Wireless Planning & Coordination (WPC) Wing  
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Office Memorandum

**Subject: Spectrum charges for Inmarsat based Global Satellite Phone Services under 'sui-generis' category offered by M/s BSNL-reg.**

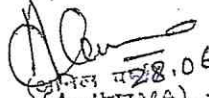
Levy of spectrum charges to the users of Inmarsat Global Satellite Phone Services (GSPS) – operated by M/s BSNL under the sui generis category license granted by DOT, will be as follows:

1. M/s BSNL shall pay spectrum charges as a percentage of its Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR). These charges would cover the entire spectrum charges for handsets and for the gateway.
2. The applicable charges shall be 1% of the AGR of BSNL's satellite based services under 'sui-generis' category. The spectrum charges shall be applicable from the date of inception of GSPS services by BSNL.
  - 2.1 The proceeds from the sale of handsets shall be included in the AGR.
  - 2.2 Excess payment, if any, made by BSNL with regard to this service will be adjusted against the other SUC dues payable by BSNL to DOT.
  - 2.3 The Pr. CCA, Delhi is assigned the responsibility for the AGR based assessment and related matters.
3. M/s BSNL, being the licensee, is hereby allowed to act as a single window agency to obtain NOC/ clearance from Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) directly and other security vetting from other security agencies, wherever applicable, as per the policy to be laid down by DoT.
  - (i) M/s BSNL will furnish a list of its subscribers to WPC Wing on a half-yearly basis for endorsement on its Wireless Operating License (WOL).
  - (ii) Also, Inmarsat satellite phone users, including those users who were issued Wireless Operating Licenses (WOL) by WPC Wing will now be included under the provision of the service (GSPS) provided by M/s BSNL. These old users will no more be required to pay any spectrum charges separately to WPC Wing. Their existing licenses will stand terminated with effect from date of issue of this OM.

  
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4. This order is applicable to the services, provided by BSNL under 'sui generis' category only.
5. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours Faithfully

  
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28.06.2021

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To:

1. M/s BSNL, Bharat Sanchar Bhawan, Harish Chandra Mathur Lane, Janpath, New Delhi-01
2. Joint Secretary(IS-I), Ministry of Home Affairs, with request to inform users under MHA regarding the changed procedure.
3. Pr. Controller of Communication Accounts, Prasad Nagar, Karol Bagh, New Delhi, Delhi 110005.
4. DDG(Satellite), Satellite Division, DoT, Sanchar Bhawan/ DDG (WPF), DoT
5. Secretary, Telecom Regulatory Authority of India
6. Sr.DWA(ASMS), WPC Wing, may kindly arrange to upload this letter on DoT website.