

1.7	<b>Boards, Councils, Committees and other Bodies constituted as part of the Public Authority [Section 4(1)(b)(viii)]</b>		
Sl. No.	<b>Details of disclosure</b>	Category (Fully Met/ Partially met/ Not Met)	Remarks/ Web links
1.7.1	<b>Name of the Committee –</b> Telephone Advisory Committee (TAC)	Twice in a year (Preferably when parliament is not in session)	<a href="https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf">https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf</a>
1.7.2	<b>Composition –</b> Hon'ble MP as the Chairman, concerned officer heading the area of the TAC viz Principal General Manager (PGM), General Manager (GM) and TAC members nominated by Hon'ble MoC as members of the committee.	Same as above.	<a href="https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf">https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf</a>
1.7.3	<b>Date from which constituted</b> – 14.01.2022	Same as above.	
1.7.4	<b>Tenure –</b> TACs are constituted for a period of two years or till further orders, whichever is earlier	Same as above.	TAC 2022 is extended to a further period of 6 months i.e., 14.01.2022 to 13.07.2024. <b>(Initially 14.01.2022 to 13.01.2024)</b> <a href="https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/extension%20of%20current%20TAC%20for%20a%20period%20of%206%20months%20a.pdf">https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/extension%20of%20current%20TAC%20for%20a%20period%20of%206%20months%20a.pdf</a>
1.7.5	<b>Powers and functions:</b>  i. TAC shall work as an interface between telecom service	Same as above.	<a href="https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf">https://dot.gov.in/sites/default/files/TAC_Guidelines_0001_1.pdf</a>

	<p>consumers and BSNL/MTNL, as the case may be.</p> <p>ii. TAC shall work to give the public a confidence that their aspirations relating to telecom services are properly represented and taken care of.</p> <p>iii. Educate public/bring awareness among telecom service consumers about the various services provided by BSNL/MTNL.</p> <p>iv. To suggest measures for improving telecom services and efficiency.</p>		
1.7.6	<p><b>Whether their meetings are open to the public?</b></p> <p>No</p>	Same as above.	
1.7.7	<p><b>Whether the minutes of the meetings are open to the public?</b></p> <p>No</p>	Same as above.	TAC meetings are organised by BSNL/MTNL
1.7.8	<p><b>Place where the minutes if open to the public are available?</b></p> <p>Not available.</p>	Same as above.	Available with BSNL/MTNL