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VSAT System Communication Service Regulations

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SCOPE OF SERVICES

1.1 Pursuant to this Service Regulation, the Service Provider, may practice the following:

A. Establish, a Telecommunications Network in the Kingdom using (VSAT) System conforming to international standards and approved by a recognized international standards organization(s) acceptable to the CITC, and operate and maintain the network to provide telecommunication services in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Regulation.

B. Provide telecommunication services using (VSAT) System at local and national levels.

C. Use space capacities of the Satellites allowed to be used in the Kingdom. The Service Provider may reach an agreement with other Operators authorized to provide (VSAT) Systems to participate in these capacities.

1.2 The Service Provider may inter-link the closed groups inside or outside the Kingdom. In case of providing the Internet Services to those groups pursuant to the Commission Statutes, this shall be through the international gateways Licensed by the Commission inside the Kingdom.

1.3 The location of the Station/Stations Hub of the (VSAT) System belonging to the Service Provider shall be inside the Kingdom and can be used for monitoring and control of the (VSAT) Systems in other countries, provided that necessary Licenses or approvals shall be obtained from those countries.

1.4 The Service Provider shall coordinate with the Commission in regard to registering the Station/Stations Hub pursuant to the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) regulations and also any other terminal station using very huge antenna and a wide band of radio frequencies.. In the event the Commission allows the Service Provider to use the frequencies licensed before completion of the required coordination procedure, the Service Provider shall provide the necessary information and carry out the necessary adjustment or amendment operations at his own expense.

1.5 Content transmission is subject to separate Licenses or permissions issued by the related Government bodies.

1.6 The Service Provider shall Fulfill the requirements of the Universal Access and Universal Services determined by the Commission.

1.7 No involvement shall be made with any telecommunications Networks not licensed by the Commission.

1.8 The Service Provider shall adhere to the General Conditions and all other relevant License Conditions specified in the License Classification Regulation

2. 2. Fees

The Service Provider shall pay to CITC the fees as prescribed in the License Fee Regulation

3. Frequencies Assigned to the Licensee

Frequencies allowed to be used by the Licensee for providing the telecommunications services using (VSAT) System in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Regulation are the following Frequencies:

(…….. MHz) with (……MHz) bandwidth for each frequency.

4. Duration of Service Authorization

The Service Provider can offer this service as long as it has a valid General Class License and a valid Service Authorization to offer this service
A Service Authorization for this service is typically issued for a duration of 10 years

Appendix No. (1) Service Authorization

The Service Authorization for VSAT Services will be as per 'Appendix E: Draft Service Authorization Annexure' in the 'License Classification Regulations'

Appendix No. (2) Requirements to obtain a Service Authorization

All necessary requirements must be met and fulfilled:
1. Attach the application form for allocation of frequencies after filling.
2. Attach a definition of the Applicant.
3. Attach the technical specifications of the systems, devices and services to be implemented through this service.
4. Provide regulatory requirements for the service.
5. Commitment to pay the service fee after approval by the Authority for the license application through SADAD within one month from the date of issue of the invoice, noting that the invoice will be sent directly to the e-mail of the Authority.
6. Obligation to pay the annual fee for the use of spectrum, in accordance with the provisions of the regulation of the use of frequencies.
7. All requirements must be submitted in Arabic with the possibility of submitting other supporting documents in English.