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THE POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT, 1962

(ACT NO. 60 OF 1962)

THE TELEPHONE (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1981

(UNDER SECTION 105)

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 105 of the Posts and Telecommunications Act, 1962, the Minister for Works, Power and Communications hereby makes the following Regulations:-

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Telephone (Amendment) Regulations, 1981, shall be read as one with the Telephone Regulations, 1962 and shall come into force on the 1st April, 1981.

Amendment of Part III

2. Part III of the Telephone Regulations, 1962 is amended by replacing Regulations 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 with the following:-

"Subscriber calls

5. (1) The following are the charges for calls from automatic and manual subscribers.
(a) Automatically established calls within Swaziland -

Radial distance in Kilometres between Automatic Exchanges	Time interval in seconds between unit charges at 6 cents each		Calculated Average charge per minute - dialled calls		Operator Assisted Calls between Automatic Exchanges	
	Full Rate	Cheap Rate	Full Rate	Cheap Rate	Minimum Charge for first 3 Minutes or part thereof	Each Additional Minute or Part Thereof
Own Exchange	180	360	2c+	1c+	18c	6c
Up to 20 Kms	90	180	4c+	2c+	18c	6c
20 to 50 Kms	45	90	8c	4c+	36c	12c
50 Kms and over	30	60	12c	6c	54c	18c

+ Minimum charge for dialled calls 6 cents.

The cheap rate is from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. Monday to Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday within Swaziland.

- (b) Calls from or to manual subscribers within Swaziland. Calls between two manual exchanges, calls between a manual exchange and an automatic exchange, and calls between an automatic and a manual exchange within Swaziland.

Radial distance in kilometres between Exchanges	Minimum charge for first 3 minutes or part thereof	Each additional minute or part thereof
Own Exchange (Manual)	Free call	Free call
Up to 50 kms	18c	6c
50 kms and over	36c	12c

- (c) Calls from Swaziland to neighbouring countries

COUNTRY	Subscriber Dialed Calls		Operator Assisted Calls	
	Time interval in seconds between units charged at 6 cents each	Calculated average charge per minute - dialed Calls	Minimum charge for first 3 minutes or part thereof	Each Additional minute or part thereof
Botswana	—	—	3.00	1.00
Lesotho	4	90c	3.00	1.00
Mozambique	—	—	1.80	60c
Namibia	4	—	3.00	1.00
South Africa Transvaal & Natal	7	51.4c	1.80	60c
OFS, Eastern and North Cape	5	72c	2.40	80c
Western Cape	4	90c	3.00	1.00
Zimbabwe	—	—	3.00	1.00

- (2) The Director may, in his discretion, have terminated a call after the expiration of three minutes.

Call Office calls

6. (1) The following are the charges for call office calls –
 (a) Automatically established calls within Swaziland. Calls from automatic exchange type call offices.

Radial distance in kilometres between automatic exchanges	Time interval in seconds between unit charges at 8 cents each		Calculated average charge per minute – dialled calls		Operator assisted to Automatic subscriber numbers for each 3 or part thereof
	Full Rate	Cheap Rate	Full Rate	Cheap Rate	
Own Exchange	180	360	2.7c+	1.3c+	10c
Up to 20 kms	90	180	5.3c+	2.7c+	20c
20 to 50 kms	45	90	10.7c+	5.3c+	50c
50 kms and over	30	60	16c	10.7c+	70c

+ minimum charge 10 cents. The cheap rate is from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. Monday to Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday within Swaziland.

- (b) Manually established calls within Swaziland. Calls from automatic exchange type coinboxes manual subscribers, calls from manual type coinboxes to manual and automatic subscribers.

Radial distance in kilometres between exchanges	Charge for each 3 minutes or part thereof
Own Exchange (manual)	10c
Up to 50 kms	20c
50 kms and over	50c

- (c) Calls to neighbouring countries. Calls from automatic and manual type call offices.

COUNTRY	Time interval in seconds between units charged at 8 cents each	Calculated average charge per minute - dialled calls at 8 cents per unit charge	Operator Assisted calls - charge for each 3 minutes or part thereof
Botswana	—	—	4.00
Lesotho	4	1.20	4.00
Mozambique	—	—	2.40
Namibia	4	1.20	4.00
South Africa - Transvaal and Natal	7	68.6c	2.40
OFS, Eastern and North Cape	5	96c	3.20
Western Cape	4	1.20	4.00
Zimbabwe	—	—	4.00

- (2) The Director may, in his discretion, have terminated a call after the expiration of three minutes.

Supplementary Trunk Service Charges

7. (a) Fixed time calls — Arrangements may be made in advance for trunk communication with a given number to be effected at a specified time. The transaction is at caller's risk, and if the callee does not respond, the prescribed fee will, nevertheless, be charged. The charges shall be as follows:—
ordinary trunk service charge plus 50% of the charge applicable to a 3 minute period of the call.
- (b) Personal Calls — When making application for a trunk call to a subscriber's telephone, the caller may request that a particular person should be called to the telephone, by the subscriber, for the call. The fee for the transmission of the message of advice to the distant telephone subscriber will be 50% of the charge applicable to a 3 minute period of the call.
- (c) Advice of Duration and Charge — When making application for a trunk call to a subscriber's telephone, the caller may request to be advised of the duration and charges on completion of the call. The fee for the advice of the duration and charges shall be 30 cents.
- (d) Collect Calls — When making arrangements for a trunk call, the caller may request that the charges for the call are accepted by the callee. If the callee accepts to be billed for the call, the charges shall be as follows:
ordinary trunk service charge plus 50% of the charge applicable to a 3 minute period of the call.
- (e) Alarm Calls — Arrangements may be made in advance for a subscriber to receive an alarm call at a specified time. The fee for an alarm call shall be 30 cents."

G.M. MABILA
Permanent Secretary

MBABANE
March, 1981.

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 23 OF 1981

THE POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT, 1962
(ACT NO. 60 OF 1962)
THE TELEGRAPH (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1981
(UNDER SECTION 105)

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 105 of the Posts and Telecommunications Act, 1962, the Minister for Works, Power and Communications hereby makes the following Regulations:-

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Telegraph (Amendment) Regulations, 1981, shall be read as one with the Telegraph Regulations, 1962 and shall come into force on the 1st April, 1981.

Amendment of Fourth Schedule

2. The Fourth Schedule to the Telegraph Regulations, 1962 is replaced with the following:-

“FOURTH SCHEDULE
(Regulation 76)

INLAND TELEX SERVICE — OPERATING CHARGES

Service	Charge
1. Local Calls	6 cents for each 3 minutes or part thereof
2. Trunk Calls	
Namibia	30 cents per minute or part thereof
Republic of South Africa	30 cents per minute or part thereof
Lesotho	42 cents per minute or part thereof
Botswana	42 cents per minute or part thereof
Mozambique	42 cents per minute or part thereof
Malawi	75 cents per minute or part thereof
Zambia	75 cents per minute or part thereof
Zimbabwe	75 cents per minute or part thereof.”

G.M. MABILA
Permanent Secretary.

MBABANE
March, 1981.