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THE TANZANIA COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
ACT,  
(CAP.172)

**NOTICE**

*(Made under section 18(5))*

THE TANZANIA COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY (INQUIRY ON COST BASED INTERCONNECTION RATES) NOTICE, 2017

- Citation 1. This Notice may be cited as the Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority (Inquiry on Cost Based Interconnection Rates) Notice, 2017.
- Interpretation 2. Unless the context require otherwise-  
“Authority” means the Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority established under the Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority Act;  
Cap.172 “Inquiry” means the entire process of receiving comments from stakeholders with regard to the proposed cost based interconnection rates.
- Purpose of inquiry 3. The Authority shall be conducting an inquiry to collect views on cost based interconnection rates which have to be applied among the interconnecting network operators.
- Rates 4. The proposed rates for cost based interconnection are as specified in the Second Schedule to this Notice.
- Participation 5. The operators and any stakeholder who wishes to participate in the inquiry shall submit in writing to the Authority on or before 11<sup>th</sup> December, 2017 at 1400hrs and the submission from is as specified in the Third Schedule to this Notice.

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Address of the Authority

6. The Address of the Authority shall be:  
TCRA Head Office,  
Mawasiliano Towers,  
20 Sam Nujoma Road,  
P.O. Box 474,  
14414Dar es Salaam.

**FIRST SCHEDULE**

*(Made under paragraph 3)*

Current glide path for cost based Interconnection rates

	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2013	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2014	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2015	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2016	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2017
Voice call termination rates in TZS	34.92	32.40	30.58	28.57	26.96

**SECOND SCHEDULE**

*(Made under paragraph 4)*

Proposed Interconnection rates glide path from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022.

	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2018	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2019	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2020	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2021	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2022
Voice call termination rates per minute in TZS	15.6	10.4	5.2	2.6	2.0

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**THIRD SCHEDULE**

*(Made under paragraph 5)*

**INQUIRY SUBMISSION FORM**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY/INSTITUTE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
JOB TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_  
BUSINESS ACTIVITY: \_\_\_\_\_  
LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_  
POSTAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
FAX: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_  
WEBSITE: \_\_\_\_\_  
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: \_\_\_\_\_  
VIEWS ON THE PROPOSED INTERCONNECTION RATES: \_\_\_\_\_  
ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION: \_\_\_\_\_  
RECOMMENDED INTERCONNECTION RATES: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Dar es Salaam,  
23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2017

JAMES M. KILABA,  
*Director General*