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**THE POST OFFICE ACT, 1962**

(Act No. 60 of 1962)

**THE TELEPHONE (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1979**

(Under section 105)

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 105 of the Post Office Act, 1962, the Minister for Works, Power & Communications hereby makes the following Regulations:-

*Citation*

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Telephone (amendment) Regulations, 1979 and shall be read as one with the Telephone Regulations, 1963, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations".

*Amendment of Regulations 2*

2. Regulation 2 of the principal Regulations is amended:-

(a) in paragraph (c) by inserting the following after item (vi) -

“(vii) Private Automatic Branch Exchange

Type	Exch. Lines	Extensions	Links	
AMD 512	1	5	1	100.00
AMD 516	2	6	1	150.00
ARD 526	3	16	2	500.00
AKD 735	5	30	4	900.00
AKD 741	10	50	6	1000.00
ARD 561	20	90	10	1800.00
ARD 561	30	180	15	2600.00
ARD 561	40	270	25	3400.00”

(b) by replacing paragraph (d) with the following -

“(d) Local Exchange Private Wire

(i) for the first 1.5 Km of circuit E20.00

(ii) for each additional 0.5 Km . . . . . E12.00”

“(e) Leased Trunk Circuit

Per leased trunk circuit terminal . . . . . 20.00

(f) Data Modem

Per data modem . . . . . 30.00”

*Amendment of Regulation 3(2)*

3. Regulation 3(2) of the principal Regulations is amended -

(a) an item (vii) by replacing the words “Private Wire” with the words “Local Exchange Wire”.

(b) by adding after item (viii) the following items -

“(ix) Private Automatic Branch Exchange

Type	Exch. Lines	Extensions	Links	Per Quarter	
				E	c
AMD 512	1	5	1	41.70	
AMD 516	2	6	1	68.52	
ARD 526	3	16	2	159.66	
AKD 735	5	30	4	379.95	
AKD 741	10	50	6	614.28	
ARD 561	20	90	10	1448.85	
ARD 561	30	180	15	2347.56	
ARD 561	40	270	25	3650.97	

The above rentals are for fully equipped basic units and exclude optional extras. All rentals will be subject to assessment.

In the event that the subscriber pays the capital costs of the PABX equipment the monthly maintenance charge will be E1 (One Lilangeni) per equipped extension line.

(x) Leased Trunk Circuit

Rental charges are based on 9000 paid minutes per month at the charge rate applicable for a public trunk circuit between the 2 terminal exchanges of the leased trunk circuit. Multiplication factors are applied in accordance with the type of trunk circuit and the use to which the circuit is to be employed:-

Telephone type trunk circuit

- Case 1 — Point to Point circuit with no extension outside the subscriber's premises at the terminals — multiplication factor — 0.667
- Case 2 — For a circuit with access at one or both terminals to the subscriber's exclusive private national network — multiplication factor — 0.833
- Case 3 — For a circuit for all uses and cases not covered by case 1 and 2 — multiplication factor — 1.0

Examples of telephone type trunk circuit charges

Mbabane	— Mhlambanyati	— Case 1	— E160.00 per month
Mbabane	— Manzini	— Case 1	— E320.00 per month
Mbabane	— Nhlango	— Case 1	— E480.00 per month

Telegraph type trunk circuit

Up to 50 baud — multiplication factor 0.25

Over 50 to 100 baud — multiplication factor 0.30

Over 100 to 200 baud — multiplication factor 0.40

Rental reductions are made for 'bundles' of telegraph type trunk circuits i.e. 20% reduction for a second circuit, 30% for a third circuit and 40% for any additional circuit over three.

Data and Special Quality trunk circuits.

For data circuits catering for bit speeds of from 200 up to 1200 these circuits are the same as telephone type trunk circuits and the relevant multiplication factors will be applicable.

There will be an additional charge for the lease of Special quality circuits such as high speed data.

(xi) Modems per terminal

For bit speeds of 200/300 and 600/1200	E30.00 per month
For bit speeds of 1200/2400 (4 wire)	E48.00 per month
For bit speeds of 1200/2400 (2 wire) and 4800	E90.00 per month

General Note on Leased Circuits and Modems

All attachments to leased circuits must be authorised in advance. Electrical Parameters of leased circuits will be advised to renters on application.

The Department of Posts and Telecommunications will normally supply modems for data circuits."

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