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General Notices

COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

No. 596

2018

NOTICE IN TERMS OF REGULATION 19(1) OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms Regulation 19(1) of the Regulations Regarding Licensing Procedures for Telecommunications and Broadcasting Service Licences and Spectrum Use Licences, published in Government Gazette No. 4785, General Notice No. 272, dated 29 August 2011 (as amended), hereby gives notice that it has made the following decisions:

1. Application for Renewal of Community Broadcasting Service Licence

a) Ohangwena Regional Community Radio

- i) Decline the renewal of the Community Broadcasting Service Licence awarded to Ohangwena Regional Community Radio on 18 November 2011;

- ii) Cancel the Spectrum Use Licence for 94.1 MHz in the geographical area of Eenhana as awarded on 13 September 2012 and published in Government Gazette No. 5037, General Notice No. 306; and
- iii) Direct Ohangwena Regional Community Radio to cease providing all broadcasting services with immediate effect.

2. Application for Amendment of Community Broadcasting Service Licence and Additional Spectrum Use Licences

Maroela Trust

- i) Amend the Community Broadcasting Service Licence awarded to Maroela Trust as published in Government Gazette No. 5776 General Notice No. 290 dated 3 July 2015, to allow for the provision of broadcasting services in the entire Republic of Namibia; and
- ii) Award additional Spectrum Use Licences to Maroela Trust for:

Description of geographic coverage areas			Radio frequencies assigned	Maximum output power
Region	District	Site		
Erongo	Swakopmund	Swakopmund Tamariskia Powercom Tower	96.5 MHz	500 Watts
Erongo	Walvis Bay	Walvis Bay Powercom Tower	104.0 MHz	500 Watts
Otjizondjupa	Otjiwarongo	Otjiwarongo Berg Powercom Tower	99.6 MHz	1000 Watts
Otjizondjupa	Grootfontein	Signal Berg NBC Tower	96.3 MHz	2000 watts

3. Applications for Class Telecommunications Service Licences (Non-Profit ECS and ECNS)

a) Kleine Kuppe Neighbourhood Watch

- i) Approve the award of a Class Telecommunications Service Licence (Non-Profit ECNS) to Kleine Kuppe Neighbourhood Watch; and
- ii) The licence is awarded subject to additional licence conditions regarding the privacy of individuals' homes.

b) Ludwigsdorf Neighbourhood Watch

- i) Approve the award of a Class Telecommunications Service Licence (Non-Profit ECNS) to Ludwigsdorf Neighbourhood Watch; and
- ii) The licence is awarded subject to additional licence conditions regarding the privacy of individuals' homes.

c) Namibia University of Science and Technology

- i) Approve the award of a Class Telecommunications Service Licence (Non-Profit ECNS) to Namibia University of science and Technology; and
- ii) Decline the award of a Spectrum Use Licence to Namibia University of science and Technology as the frequencies applied for are spectrum use license exempt.

4. Determination of Lapsing of Commercial Broadcasting Service Licence and Spectrum Use Licence

Otji-Investment CC

- i) Note that the Commercial Broadcasting Licence awarded to Otji-Investments CC lapsed on 09 May 2015; and
- ii) Declare that the Spectrum Use Licence for 102.3 MHz awarded to Otji-Investments CC in the geographical area of Otjiwarongo lapsed.

5. Application for Community Broadcasting Service Licence and Spectrum Use Licence

Namibian College of Open Learning

- i) Award a Community Broadcasting Service Licence to Namibian College of Open Learning; and
- ii) Award a Spectrum use licence to The Namibian College of Open Learning for:

Description of geographic coverage areas			Radio frequencies assigned	Maximum output power
Region	District	Site		
Oshana	Ongwediva	NamCol Building Ongwediva	102.7 MHz	500 Watts

6. Application for Class Comprehensive Telecommunications Service Licence (ECS and ECNS)

Virtua Technologies (Pty) Ltd

- i) Approve the award of a Class Comprehensive Telecommunications Service Licence (ECS and ECNS) to Virtua Technologies (Pty) Ltd;
- ii) Decline the award of a Spectrum Use Licence to Virtua Technologies (Pty) Ltd as the frequencies applied for are spectrum use license exempt; and
- iii) The licence is awarded subject to additional licence conditions.

7. Applications for Reconsideration

a) Lightstruck Operating Company (Pty) Ltd

Decline the application for reconsideration submitted by Lightstruck Operating Company (Pty) Ltd, and endorse the Authority's decision of 26 June 2018.

b) Q-Kon Telecom (Namibia) (Pty) Ltd

- i) Award a Class Comprehensive Telecommunications Service Licence (ECS and ECNS) to Q-Kon Telecom Namibia (Pty) Ltd; and
- ii) Award Spectrum Use Licence to Q-Kon Telecom Namibia (Pty) Ltd for:

Radio Frequencies	Description of geographic coverage areas	Services to be provided
Uplink: 14347 – 14352 MHz Downlink: 11539.2558 – 11547.0058 MHz Bandwidth Uplink: 5MHz Downlink: 7.75 MHz	National	FIXED SATELLITE

8. Assignment of Temporary Spectrum Use Licence

Trustco Administrative Support Services (Pty) Ltd

Award temporary Spectrum Use Licence to Trustco Administrative Support Services (Pty) Ltd for:

Description of geographic coverage areas			Radio frequencies assigned	Maximum output power
Region	District	Site		
Kavango East	Rundu	Arendnes NBC Tower	107.2 MHz	1000 Watts

All the above decisions are effective from the date of publication of this General Notice.

Kindly take note that the full reasons for all the decisions can be requested from the Authority. Further, in terms of section 31 of the Communications Act, 2009 (Act No. 8 of 2009), the Authority may, on its own motion or on a petition filed by an aggrieved party to any proceedings, reconsider any order or decision that it has made, within 90 days from the date of making that decision or issuing that order.

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COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF NAMIBIA

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No. 597

2018

NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE REGULATIONS REGARDING LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND BROADCASTING SERVICE LICENCES AND SPECTRUM USE LICENCES

The Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia, in terms of regulations 11 of the Regulations Regarding Licensing Procedures for Telecommunications and Broadcasting Service Licences and Spectrum Use Licences, as published in Government Gazette No. 4785, General Notice No. 272, dated 29 August 2011 (as amended), herewith gives notice that the Applicants referred to in the table below have submitted the following applications for **Spectrum Use Licences** to the Authority:

Applicant's Name	Applicant's citizenship or place of incorporation	Percentage of Stock owned by Namibian Citizens or Namibian Companies controlled by Namibian Citizens	Type of service license	List of radio frequencies or groups of radio frequencies applied for	List of radio frequencies or groups of radio frequencies being considered for assignment by the Authority	Description of geographic coverage areas	License Fees Outstanding	Service to be provided using frequency applied for
MTN Business Namibia (Pty) Ltd	Namibian	30 %	Spectrum Use License	38 GHz Band (37-39.5 GHz)	Chnl 1 Tx/RX: (37086/38346 MHz) Chnl 2 Tx/RX: (37142/38402 MHz) Chnl 3 Tx/RX: (37198/38458 MHz) Bandwidth= 56 MHz	National	No	FIXED
MTN Business Namibia (Pty) Ltd	Namibian	30 %	Spectrum Use License	28 GHz Band (27.5-29.5 GHz)	Chnl 1 Tx/RX: (27576.5/28584.5 MHz) Chnl 2 Tx/RX: (27632.5/28640.5 MHz) Bandwidth= 56 MHz	National	No	FIXED
Witel Service Provider CC	Namibian	100 %	Spectrum Use License	6 GHz Band (5925-7075 MHz)	Tx/RX: (6640/7000 MHz) Bandwidth= 20 MHz	National	No	FIXED
MWireless (Pty) Ltd	Namibian	51 %	Spectrum Use License	Downlink 19.7- 20.2 GHz Uplink 29.5 – 31 GHz	Downlink (Center) 19707.5 MHz Bandwidth (5 MHz) Uplink (Center) 29507.5 MHz Bandwidth (5 MHz)	National	No	FIXED SATELITE

The public may submit comments in writing to the Authority within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

The Applicants may submit written reply comments within fourteen (14) days from date of notification of the written public comments.

All written submissions must contain the name and contact details of the person making the written submissions and the name and contact details of the person for whom the written submission is made, if different, and be clear and concise.

All written submissions must be made either physically or electronically -

- (1) by hand to the head offices of the Authority at Communication House, 56 Robert Mugabe Avenue, Windhoek;
- (2) by post to the head offices of the Authority, Private Bag 13309, Windhoek 9000;
- (3) by electronic mail to legal@cran.na
- (4) by facsimile to +264 61 222790; or
- (5) by fax to e-mail to 088642748.

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