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Sub: TCL Response to TRAI Consultation Paper on Tariff Issues of Telecom Services

Dear Sir,

Kindly find attached herewith Tata Communications Ltd. response to the TRAI Consultation Paper dated 17.12.2019 on "Tariff Issues of Telecom Services"

It is requested that the same may kindly be taken on record.

With kind regards,

For Tata Communications Ltd.

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TCL Response to TRAI Consultation Paper on “Tariff Issues of Telecom Services”

Q1. Do you foresee any requirement of regulatory intervention at this stage in tariff fixation to protect the interest of telecom service providers as well as the consumers? Please support your comments with justification.

TCL Response:

No. In our view tariffs should be left to be determined by the market forces.

Q2. Do you foresee any need for change in TRAI policy of forbearance in tariffs? Please give reasons for your response.

TCL Response:

No. The policy of forbearance in tariffs lets the market forces determine the tariffs.

Q3. If the answer to Q1 is in affirmative, is fixing a floor price, i.e. a standing prohibition on TSPs not to offer services below a predetermined price level, the answer? Please give detailed reasons for your response.

Not Applicable
