



Independent Communications Authority of South Africa

**COUNCIL DECISIONS – 28 MARCH 2023**

ITEM NO.	AGENDA ITEM	DECISION
1.	<p><b>ECS-ECNS Annual Compliance Report</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>1.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the ECS/ECNS Annual Compliance Report in line with the OPP for the 2022/2023FY.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>1.2. Council resolved to approve the submission, subject to editorial inputs made by Council on the Report.</p>	The recommendation was approved.
2.	<p><b>Zomerlust I-ECNS Transfer Application</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>2.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the transfer of ownership of an I-ECNS licence for the following reasons:</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>2.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	The recommendation was approved.
3.	<p><b>Change and Update of Cell C Licensee Information</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>3.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the submission.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>3.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	The recommendation was approved.

<p><b>4.</b></p>	<p><b>Submission of Broadcasting Annual Compliance Reports for Individual and Class Broadcasting Services Licenses</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>4.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the twenty-two (22) broadcasting compliance reports, compiled for the period under review as part of the sixty (60) reports required in terms of the OPP.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>4.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>
<p><b>5.</b></p>	<p><b>Postal Annual Compliance Report – 2022/23FY</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>5.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the submission.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>5.2. Council resolved to approve the submission, subject to the editorial input made by Council on the Report.</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>
<p><b>6.</b></p>	<p><b>Q4 Bi-annual Tariff Analysis Report</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>6.1. It was recommended that Council should note:</p> <p>6.1.1. The report on the analysis of tariff notifications which were submitted to ICASA for the period 01 July 2022 to 31 December 2022, which will be published on the Authority’s website.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>6.2. Council resolved to approve the submission, subject to the editorial input made by Council on the Report.</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>
<p><b>7.</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Research Report on the review of the 2012 Digital Migration Regulations</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>

	<p>7.1. It was recommended that Council should note the Internal Research Report on the Review of the 2012 Digital Migration Regulations.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>7.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	
<b>8.</b>	<p><b>Dynamic Spectrum Access and Opportunistic Spectrum Management Project</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>8.1. It is recommended that Council should approve the:</p> <p>8.1.1. Notice regarding the Discussion Document on the Framework for Dynamic Spectrum Access and Opportunistic Spectrum Management for consultation.</p> <p>8.1.2. Publication of the notice in the Government Gazette as well as on the ICASA website.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>8.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	<b>The recommendation was approved.</b>
<b>9.</b>	<p><b>Implementation of the Radio Frequency Migration Plans, 2013 and 2019</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>9.1. It was recommended that Council should note the report on the implementation of the Radio Frequency Migration Plans of 2013 and 2019.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>9.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	<b>The recommendation was approved.</b>
<b>10.</b>	<p><b>Post Hearing Report on the Review of the Advertising, Infomercials and Programme Sponsorship Regulations, 1999</b></p>	<b>The recommendation was approved.</b>

	<p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>10.1. It was recommended that Council should note the Post Hearing Report on the review of the Advertising, Infomercials and Programme Sponsorship Regulations, 1999.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>10.2. Council resolved to note the submission.</p>	
<b>11.</b>	<p><b>ITP-R Community Sound Broadcasting Service and Frequency Spectrum Licences</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>11.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the Report regarding the licensing process of CSBS and RFS licences.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>11.2. Council resolved to approve the Report.</p>	<b>The recommendation was approved.</b>
<b>12.</b>	<p><b>Applications received in response to the Invitation to Pre-register for Community Television broadcasting service ("CTBS") and radio frequency spectrum ("RFS") licences</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>12.1. It was recommended that Council should:</p> <p>12.1.1. Note the applications received in response to the ITP-R;</p> <p>12.1.2. Approve disqualification of the seventeen (17) non-compliant applications; and</p> <p>12.1.3. Approve the draft Notice inviting interested parties to submit written representations in respect of the twenty (20) applications that are admitted to Phase 1 of the ITP-R licensing process, for publication on the Authority's website and in the Government Gazette.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>12.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	<b>The recommendation was approved.</b>

<p><b>13.</b></p>	<p><b>CAP Q4 Report</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>13.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the CAP reports, including the annual advisory report for the financial year 2022/2023.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>13.2. Council resolved to approve the CAP Q4 Report.</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>
<p><b>14.</b></p>	<p><b>Amendment Regulations on the Individual Processes and Procedures Regulations</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>14.1. It was recommended that Council should approve the amendment Regulations and Reasons Document on the Processes and Procedures Regulations for Individual Licences for publication in Government Gazette.</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>14.2. Council resolved to approve the submission.</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>
<p><b>15.</b></p>	<p><b>Implementation of the International Mobile Telecommunications Roadmap 2014 and 2019</b></p> <p><u>Recommendation to Council:</u></p> <p>15.1. It was recommended that Council should:</p> <p>15.1.1. Approve the below three (3) Final Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plans (RFSAPs) for International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT) Systems for:</p> <p>15.1.1.1. The frequency band 450 MHz to 470 MHz (Annexure A);</p> <p>15.1.1.2. The frequency band 825 MHz to 830 MHz and 870 MHz to 875 MHz (Annexure B);</p> <p>15.1.1.3. The frequency band 1452 MHz to 1518 MHz (Annexure C).</p>	<p><b>The recommendation was approved.</b></p>

	<p>15.1.2. Approve the Reasons Document for the Final IMT450, IMT850 and IMT1500 RFSAPs (Annexure D); and</p> <p>15.1.3. Note the Report for the Implementation Plans for the Radio Frequency Migration Plan 2013 and 2019 as well as the implementation of the International Mobile Telecommunication Roadmap 2014 and 2019, and the consequential Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plans (Annexure E).</p> <p><u>Council Decision</u></p> <p>15.2. Council resolved to approve the recommendation of the submission.</p>	
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**Nicholous Mabilane  
Corporate Secretary**