

Split Charging number services

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1 Introduction

This Addendum to the ProximusReference Interconnect Offer 2006 concerns:

decision of 02/03/2012 concerning terminating market: Split Charging number services

This Addendum comes into effect as from 01/04/2012. The sections of the BRIO, which are impacted by this Addendum, are indicated in the subsequent paragraphs.

2. Adaptation of section 1.1

The second last sentence in the first paragraph of section 1.1 is replaced as follows:

The present Reference Interconnect Offer includes also an Access Service for Calls to specific Value Added Services of the Operator (Freephone, Premium Rate, Infokiosk and Universal Number Services).

The bullet points in the second paragraph of section 1.1 are adapted as follows:

- Terminating Access Services:
 - for Calls to Proximus geographic numbers
 - for Calls to Proximus Split Charging numbers
 - for Calls to Emergency Services
- Collecting Access Services by means of a Communication Access Code providing access to the following services offered by the Operator:
 - basic telephony services
 - data services
 - VPN services
- Access Service for Calls to particular Value Added Services of the Operator (Freephone, Premium Rate, Infokiosk and Universal Number Services)
- Interconnect Link Service
- Transport Interconnect Service



3. Adaptation of section 1.3

In section 1.3 three definitions are replaced as follows:

Access Service for Calls to Value Added Services of the Operator: An Interconnect Service in which Proximus conveys Calls generated by Proximus end-users to a ProximusAccess

Point where they are handed over to an Operator in order to reach the Freephone, Premium Rate, Infokiosk and Universal Number Services provided by that Operator.

Proximus bills its end-users for the mentioned Calls⁵

Terminating Access Services:

Interconnect Services offered at a Proximus Access Point in which Proximus conveys the Calls handed over by the Operator and directed to Proximus geographic numbers, Split Charging numbers and Emergency Services numbers from that Proximus Access Point11 to the destinations concerned

Value Added Service (VAS):

A Telecommunication Service which can be accessed via the PSTN/ISDN by dialling a non-geographic number, excluding in particular the numbers related to mobile networks, Emergency Services, Split Charging Service and Operator Assistance Services



4. Adaptation of section 3.1

The first till fourth paragraph in section 3.1 is replaced as follows:

The Voice Telephony traffic, including the Call types described in Chapter 7, generated by end-users on the Operator's Network and directed to the Proximus Network is to be conveyed from an Interconnected Operator Access Point to one or more Proximus Access Points. The Terminating Access Service for Calls to Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers and the terms and conditions applicable to it are available for Calls handed over by the Operator and terminated by Proximus on its Network.

When Interconnection is implemented at Area Access Points, Calls to Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers can also be terminated in a Proximus Access Area which is different from the one in which the Area Access Point is located at which they are handed over by the Operator. In that case, the Calls are considered as "Extra Access Area" Calls from an Interconnection perspective. Calls terminated in the same Proximus Access Area as the one within which they are handed over, are called "Intra Access Area" Calls from an Interconnection perspective. As mentioned earlier, at Local Access Points the Terminating Access Service for Calls to Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers is limited to specific number ranges which are related to the Local Access Point concerned 18.

The prices applicable to the Terminating Access Service for Calls to Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers which are not ported outside the Proximus Network are indicated in §16.2.1. The local termination rate is only available for Calls handed over at Local Access Points. For geographic numbers, different prices apply for "Extra Access Area" Calls and "Intra Access Area" Calls, which are handed over at Area Access Points. For Split Charging numbers, same national prices apply for "Extra Access Area" Calls and "Intra Access Area" Calls, which are handed over at Area Access Points.

The prices indicated in §16.2.1 are also applicable to Calls to non-Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers ported to the Proximus Network, which are handed over by the Operator at a Proximus Access Point with a routing number providing all the necessary information to route the Calls concerned to their final destination in the Proximus Network.

The last paragraph in section 3.1 is replaced as follows:

The Operator is responsible for the setting of the retail prices and for the invoicing of its end-users for the Calls to Proximus geographic numbers or Split Charging numbers.



5. Adaptation of Section 5

The first paragraph in section 5 is replaced as follows:

The Calls to Freephone, Premium Rate23, Infokiosk and Universal Number Services of the Operator are conveyed from the Proximus network termination point at which the Call was originated to the Proximus Area or Local24 Access Point chosen by the Operator. Proximus will invoice its end-users making Calls to the VAS of the Operator in accordance with the end-user retail rates applicable for the VAS concerned. End-users which have the benefit of special tariff plans, may have to pay a usage fee for the mentioned Calls in addition to the mentioned retail rates, except for Calls to Freephone Services, which are free of charge for all Proximus end-users.

6. Adaptation of section 16.2.1

The title of section 16.2.1 is replaced as follows:

16.2.1 Calls directed to Proximusgeographic numbers and Proximus Split Charging numbers

7. Adaptation of section 16.4.2

The title of section 16.4.2 is to be replaced as follows:

16.4.2 Premium rate, Infokiosk and Universal Number numbers of the Operator

8. Deletion of section 16.4.2.1

The section 16.4.2.1 is deleted.