

Government of India
Ministry of Communications
Department of Telecommunications
Sanchar Bhawan, 20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi – 110001
(Access Services Wing)

File No.: 800-09/2022-AS.II

Date: 13.10.2023

To,
All UAS/ UL/ UL (VNO) Licensees

Subject: Provisioning of telecommunication services by the licensees through Franchisee, Agents and Distributors {Point of Sale (PoS)}- regarding

This is in reference to instructions issued vide letter of even number dated 31.08.2023 on the above-mentioned subject. Various representations have been received from the licensees in which certain clarifications have been sought. In addition to this, licensees have also sought additional time for implementation of these instructions as it requires changes in their IT systems. The effective date of implementation of instructions dated 31.08.2023 was 01.10.2023.

2. In this regard, the representations of the licensees have been examined and the undersigned has been directed to convey the approval of competent authority for the following:

(a) The instructions dated 31.08.2023 are ample clear and does not require any additional clarification.

(b) As a **one-time measure**, an additional time of two months is being granted for implementation of instructions dated 31.08.2023. Accordingly, the instructions dated 31.08.2023 shall come into effect from **01.12.2023** and all the existing PoS (i.e., PoS existing as on 30.11.2023) shall also be registered by **30.11.2024**.



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