

**NATIONAL STOCK EXCHANGE OF INDIA LIMITED****DEPARTMENT : MEMBER SERVICE**

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To All Members,

**Sub: POP network changes – Service Mode selection**

Exchange vide its circular NSE/MSD/37300 dated March 26, 2018 informed members about implementation of a new digital distribution architecture. Under the proposed architecture the new Network Integrator (NI) for POP network shall be Sify Technologies Ltd. As informed earlier, the Exchange is introducing two service modes viz. Managed Service (MS) and Self-Service (SS). Salient features of these modes were also shared in the above mentioned circular.

Members are now requested to note the following:

**Managed Service Mode:**

- Members who intend to opt for managed-service mode for their existing Leased Line scenarios of A2, A4, B1, B2, C1, C2, D1, D2, S1 and S2 will be required to provide purchase order for each such scenario as per Annexure 1 via ENIT latest by June 3, 2018.
- The details of the router to be used and associated charges are provided as Annexure 1.
- Members need to buy at least one router per scenario and can apply for multiple routers per scenario with a view to maintain router redundancy.
- Based on the purchase order for managed-service mode, applicable router and recurring charges as per Annexure 1 shall be deducted from member's Exchange Dues Account starting from June 4, 2018 onwards.
- A facility has been provided on ENIT for members to provide the purchase order for their existing scenario under their membership. The ENIT path is Membership > TCP IP Scenario > Purchase order.
- Members are urged to provide their Purchase Orders at the earliest to expedite delivery of new lines on the enhanced network.

**Self Service Mode:**

- All active leased line scenarios for which members do not opt for managed-service mode as per the above stated process shall be deemed to have opted for self-service mode.
- Members opting for self-service mode shall be responsible for procuring their own router, leased lines, related services etc. to replace such scenarios, if desired, with new lines.

- All existing scenarios shall be compulsorily terminated by HCL by October 31, 2018. As a consequence, all user ids and facilities existing on such scenarios, if any, shall also be removed.
- Hence members are requested to arrange for their self-service lines within the above time line. Members can surrender through ENIT their existing scenarios which they may not need or for which they procure self-service lines before October 31, 2018.
- A separate circular shall be issued to communicate the process to be followed by members opting for self-service mode enabling them to start procurement.

#### **Commercials:**

- No application processing fee will be applicable for any connectivity applications received through ENIT during the period April 01, 2018 to September 30, 2018.
- Interest Free Security Deposits (IFSD) shall not be applicable for the new Managed-Service leased lines.
- IFSD pertaining to existing leased lines, as available with the Exchange will be refunded in due course, if applicable, as per circular NSE/MEM/19404 dated November 22, 2011.
- Members may note that the existing routers may be physically retained by the members and dealt with by the members accordingly.
- Members shall be responsible to bear the difference in connectivity charges, if any, due to change in bandwidth from current base of 2 Mbps to new base of 4 Mbps.
- As the new digital distribution architecture may lead to change in POP addresses, members shall be responsible to bear the difference in connectivity charges, if any, due to change in connectivity distance.

#### **General:**

- New lines provided to Members shall be connected to the nearest POP available based on feasibility.
- Self Service lines and member procured routers cannot be used/comingled with Exchange offered scenarios, Managed Service lines and routers sourced by NSE.
- POP network will be expanded to more cities to boost local connectivity. List of POPs enclosed as Annexure 2.
- Based on telecom vendor feasibility, TCL, Bharti & MTNL/BSNL shall offer their services at the POPs. Rate chart of service providers is enclosed as Annexure 3.
- Other than surrender, category change and cancellation of requests; no other request shall be accepted under the existing POP network with immediate effect. Separate circular shall be issued on commencement of application process for new lines under Managed Service and Self Service.

In order to bring about a seamless transition towards the new digital distribution architecture, Members are requested to kindly co-operate and adhere to the processes/timelines provided in this regard from time to time.

For any query related to commercial kindly contact Finance and Accounts team on 26598142 or email at dl-fa-mem@nse.co.in.

For any query related to service provider rate card and router kindly email at dl-it-lgcom@nse.co.in

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