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The Telephone Amendment (No. 3) Regulations, 1953

Made - - - -	30*th September*, 1953
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Coming into Operation	1*st January*, 1954

I, The Right Honourable Herbrand Edward Dundonald Brassey Earl De La Warr, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Treasury, by virtue of the power vested in me by section one of the Telephone Act 1951(a) and of every other power enabling me in this behalf, do hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say :—

Interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations shall be read as one with the Telephone Regulations 1951(b) (hereinafter called " the principal regulations ") and all regulations amending the same.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Amendments to the principal regulations

2. The following paragraph shall be inserted at the end of regulation fifty-one of the principal regulations:—

" (5) In this regulation and in the Thirteenth Schedule hereto :—

" telephone directory " does not include any directory in which the entries are classified according to the trades or professions of the subscribers to whom the regulations relate ;

" main telephone directory " means the London Postal Area Telephone Directory published in numbered parts and the Outer London and Provincial Telephone Directory published in numbered sections ;

" local telephone directory " means a directory containing entries relating to a particular geographical area, not being a part or section of the main telephone directory ;

" main entry " means a single entry relating to the exchange line or lines provided for a subscriber at one address ;

" extra entry " means an entry additional to a main entry, and relating to the exchange line or lines to which that main entry relates ;

" extra word " means any word which the Postmaster-General permits to be included in an entry on condition that the extra charge specified in the Thirteenth Schedule hereto is payable therefor ;

and references in this regulation to an issue of a directory, being a directory which is published in parts or sections, shall be construed as references to the issue of the part or section which is or would be appropriate to the particular entry."

(a) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 52. (b) S.I. 1951/2075; Rev. XXII, p. 369; 1951 II, p. 697.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

3. The Thirteenth Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby revoked, and the following Schedule shall be substituted therefor:—

Regulation 51.

THIRTEENTH SCHEDULE

CHARGES FOR TELEPHONE DIRECTORY ENTRIES

PART 1

Entries in the main telephone directory

	Annual Rate	
	London Postal Area Telephone Directory	Outer London and Provincial Telephone Directory
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Main entry in heavy type	1 14 6	1 4 2
2. Extra entry in ordinary type	11 6	9 2
3. Extra entry in heavy type	2 6 0	1 13 4
4. Entry containing one or more extra words: For each extra word	5 9	5 9

PART 2

Entries in a local telephone directory

	Annual Rate	
	London Telecommunications Region	Elsewhere
	s. d.	s. d.
1. Main entry in heavy type	11 6	11 6
2. Extra entry in ordinary type, where there is no corresponding extra entry in the main telephone directory...	5 9	4 7
3. Extra entry in heavy type:		
(*a*) where there is a corresponding extra entry in ordinary or heavy type in the main telephone directory...	11 6	11 6
(*b*) where there is no corresponding extra entry in the main telephone directory	17 3	16 1
4. Entry containing one or more extra words, which do not appear in a corresponding entry in the main telephone directory: For each extra word...	2 11	2 11

Transitional Provisions

4. On and after the date on which these regulations come into operation :—

(*a*) any application made (whether or not before that date) under paragraph (2) of regulation fifty-one of the principal regulations for an entry in the London Telephone Directory shall be treated as an application for an entry in the London Postal Area Telephone Directory or in the Outer London and Provincial Telephone Directory, whichever is appropriate ;

(*b*) any notice referred to in sub-paragraph (*a*) of the said paragraph (2) requesting the Postmaster-General to cease to make an entry in the London Telephone Directory (whether or not given before the said date) shall be treated as a notice requesting the Postmaster-General to cease to make the entry in the London Postal Area Telephone Directory or in the Outer London and Provincial Telephone Directory, whichever is appropriate.

Short title and commencement

5.—(1) These regulations may be cited as " The Telephone Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1953 ".

(2) These regulations shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 1954.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1953.

De La Warr,
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

We consent to these regulations.

Dennis Vosper,
Hendrie D. Oakshott,
Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

30th September, 1953.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.*)

These regulations fix the rates of charge for special entries in the London Postal Area Telephone Directory and the Outer London Telephone Directory (which are to replace the present London Telephone Directory), and revoke and re-enact the present rates of charge for special entries in the Provincial and Local Telephone Directories. The London Postal Area Telephone Directory rates fixed by the regulations are the present London Telephone Directory rates, and the rates for the Outer London Telephone Directory are the present Provincial Telephone Directory rates.