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THE TELEPHONE REGULATIONS 1961, AMENDMENT NO. 5

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 28th day of March 1967

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. KEITH HOLYOAKE, C.H., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Post Office Act 1959, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Telephone Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 5, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Telephone Regulations 1961* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of April 1967.

2. (1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking the First Schedule thereto, and substituting the First Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

(2) Regulation 3 of the Telephone Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 1, the Telephone Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 2, and regulation 3 of the Telephone Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 3, are hereby revoked.

* S.R. 1961/102
Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1962/28
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1964/11
Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1964/165
Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1967/16

SCHEDULE

NEW FIRST SCHEDULE

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Reg. 156

Part 1

ANNUAL RENTAL AND OTHER CHARGES APPLICABLE TO
MAIN STATION CONNECTIONS*Division 1—General Base Rate Area Charges (Reg. 29)*

Class of Exchange	Class of Station	Business Rate			Residential Rate		
I— (Automatic exchanges with more than 10,000 paying subscribers.)	Individual ..	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Two-party ..	43	0	0	22	0	0
	Three-party ..	31	0	0	19	0	0
	Four-party ..	29	0	0	18	10	0
	Five-party ..	27	0	0	18	0	0
	Six to 10-party ..	25	0	0	17	0	0
II— (Automatic exchanges with 3,001 to 10,000 paying subscribers.)	Individual ..	23	0	0	15	0	0
	Two-party ..	40	0	0	22	0	0
	Three-party ..	30	0	0	19	0	0
	Four-party ..	28	0	0	18	10	0
	Five-party ..	26	0	0	18	0	0
	Six to 10-party ..	24	0	0	17	0	0
III— (Automatic exchanges with 201–3,000 paying subscribers and manual exchanges with more than 3,000 paying subscribers.)	Individual ..	21	0	0	15	0	0
	Two-party ..	36	0	0	21	0	0
	Three-party ..	29	0	0	18	0	0
	Four-party ..	27	0	0	17	10	0
	Five-party ..	25	0	0	17	0	0
	Six to 10-party ..	23	0	0	16	0	0
IV— (Automatic exchanges with up to 200 paying subscribers and continuous-attendance manual exchanges with 201–3,000 paying subscribers.)	Individual ..	20	0	0	14	0	0
	Two-party ..	33	0	0	20	0	0
	Three-party ..	28	0	0	17	0	0
	Four-party ..	26	0	0	16	10	0
	Five-party ..	24	0	0	16	0	0
	Six to 10-party ..	22	0	0	15	0	0
V— (Restricted-attendance exchanges.)	Individual ..	19	0	0	13	10	0
	Two-party ..	28	0	0	16	10	0
	Three-party ..	22	0	0	14	10	0
	Four-party ..	21	0	0	14	0	0
	Five-party ..	20	10	0	13	5	0
	Six to 10-party ..	18	10	0	12	10	0
		18	0	0	12	0	0

Business subscribers at Class IV automatic exchanges pay Class V rentals.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued**Division 2—Special Rate Area Charges (Reg. 30)*

As determined by the Minister.

Division 3—Milage Charges (Reg. 31)

(Applicable to main station connections beyond the boundary of a base rate area or special rate area)

	£	s.	d.	
For an individual line	..	1	0	0 per furlong or part for the first 5 miles; 10s. a furlong or part thereafter.
For a two-party line	..	0	10	0 per furlong or part for the first 5 miles; 5s. a furlong or part thereafter.
For a three-party line	..	0	4	6 per furlong or part for the first 5 miles; 10s. a mile or part thereafter.
For a four-party line	..	0	4	0 per furlong or part for the first 5 miles; 10s. a mile or part thereafter.
For a five-party line	..	1	8	0 a mile or part for the first 3 miles; 10s. a mile or part thereafter up to and including 20 miles; 6s. 6d. a mile or part thereafter.
For a six-party to 10-party line	1	0	0	0 a mile or part for the first 3 miles; 10s. a mile or part thereafter up to and including 20 miles; 6s. 6d. a mile or part thereafter.

Division 4—Foreign Exchange Service (Reg. 32)

As determined by the Minister.

Division 5—Message Rate Stations (Reg. 33)

Service rate £6 per annum.

In addition the subscriber is required to pay call fees at the rate prescribed for toll calls.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued**Division 6—Temporary Exchange Connection (Reg. 70)*

- (1) Main station .. A weekly rate at one fifty-second of the annual rate plus 50 percent, with a minimum charge as for two weeks or £1 5s., whichever is the higher, and a minimum charge of 12s. 6d. for each succeeding week or fraction thereof.
- (2) Intercommunica- 10s. a week or fraction thereof with a minimum
ting extension station charge of £1.
- (3) The applicant must pay also the estimated installation and dismantling costs in respect of labour and transport, and the value of any irrecoverable material or material rendered unfit for further use, with a minimum charge of 15s. 0d. If the connection is later made permanent a service connection fee becomes payable, and the foregoing costs are refunded less the value of any temporary material rendered unusable in so doing.

Division 7—Joint Use of Telephone (Reg. 71)

Additional annual rental—	£	s.	d.
Business main station ..	..	5	0 0
Residence main station ..	..	3	0 0

Division 8—Subscribers' Coin-box Service (Reg. 69)

Installation charge for subscribers' coin box: £2 10s. But no installation charge is payable if the coin box is installed at the same time as the telephone with which it is associated.

Annual charge additional to that payable for main station or extension station telephone service: £4 10s.

Division 9—Amplifying Systems for Partially Deaf People (Reg. 84)

	Installation Charge			Annual Rental		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(1) Amplifying telephones	1	5 0

No charge is made for installing an amplifying telephone if the work is done at the same time as the associated main or extension station is installed. Charge for changing from an instrument of the normal type to an amplifying telephone—

For one change	0	15	0	..
For each additional change effected in the same premises at the same time ..	0	7	6	..

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

(2) Associated signalling devices—

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|---|---------|----|
| (a) Eyeball indicator with wiring up to 110 yards | *1 5 0 | .. |
| (b) Eyeball indicator and buzzer with wiring up to 110 yards | *1 15 0 | .. |
| (c) Signal type relay for use in conjunction with 230 volt lamp | *1 5 0 | .. |

The subscriber must arrange with a private contractor for the provision of the wiring and power outlet socket for the a.c. supply if required.

Division 10—Voice Recording Apparatus and Telephone Answering Machines (Reg. 83)

	£	s.	d.
(1) Charge for connecting, or changing to another line ..	2	10	0
(2) Disconnection fee	1	0	0
(3) Annual charge for isolating switch	0	5	0

Division 11—Coloured Telephones (Reg. 82)

(1) Annual rental charges—	£	s.	d.
B.P.O. type 706	0	11	0
Ericofon	2	0	0
(2) Installation charges—			
(a) When a B.P.O. type 706 or Ericofon instrument is installed in replacement of a telephone of similar type but different colour—			
For one change	0	15	0
Each additional change effected in the same premises at the same time as the first ..	0	7	6
(b) When a B.P.O. type 706 telephone or an Ericofon is installed in replacement of a telephone of any other type			
	3	0	0

Provided that the installation charge for a coloured telephone shall not be payable if the installation is effected at the same time as the installation or external removal of the telephone station.

*Not payable if signalling device is installed at same time as the amplifying telephone.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Part 2

INTERCOMMUNICATING SERVICES (REG. 85)

(1) The subscriber is charged the cost of the labour and expenses involved for—

- (a) Providing a new extension station or system:
- (b) Adding to or altering an existing system:
- (c) Changing to another system:
- (d) Replacing a system by another of greater capacity:
- (e) Installing switchboards, at the request of the subscriber, in excess of the number required to handle the normal traffic.

(2) The annual charges for installed equipment are as set out in the following table:

Equipment	Annual Charge
	£ s. d.
(a) PRIVATE AUTOMATIC BRANCH EXCHANGE (P.A.B.X.)	
(i) Each extension telephone not equipped with special facilities—	
ALD 20 and N.Z.P.O. type systems	10 0 0
Other type systems	9 5 0
(ii) Direct in-calling service*—	
Each extension telephone not exceeding the number of exchange connections rented	8 10 0
Each extension telephone in excess of the number of exchange connections rented	11 10 0
(iii) Call-back telephones (either exclusive or shared use of a call-back line)	10 0 0
(iv) Conference facilities—	
When provided by means of jacks on switchboards: each party ..	2 0 0
When provided by master cabinet for—	
Up to five extensions	19 0 0
Six to 10 extensions	24 0 0
Each single wire circuit from the master cabinet to the P.A.B.X. unit: for every 110 yards or fraction thereof in excess of 110 yards	0 6 0
(v) Tie line for interconnecting two departmentally owned P.A.B.X. systems—	
Circuit charge: each furlong or fraction thereof	1 5 0
Access to extensions via operator	8 15 0
Direct dialling in one direction without access to operator	8 15 0
Direct dialling in one direction with access to operator	17 10 0
Direct dialling in two directions	35 0 0
(b) PRIVATE MANUAL BRANCH EXCHANGE (P.M.B.X.)	
(i) Each extension telephone not equipped with special facilities ..	7 15 0
(ii) Call-back telephones (either exclusive or shared use of a call-back line)	9 5 0
(iii) Conference facility: each party	2 0 0
(iv) Tie line for interconnecting two departmentally owned P.M.B.X. systems—	
Circuit charge: each furlong or fraction thereof	1 5 0
Access to extensions	7 15 0

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Equipment	Annual Charge
(c) INTERPHONE EQUIPMENT	
(i) Each interphone set (key box)	£ 7 15 0
(ii) Holding device: each holding key in excess of one per exchange connection	0 10 0
(iii) Secrecy device: each exchange line interphone key so equipped ..	0 17 0
(iv) Excess cable: each 15 ft or fraction thereof in excess of an aggregate allowance of 60 ft per set	0 5 0
(v) Lead-covered cable crossing a street or road to provide an interphone extension: each furlong or fraction thereof of each pair of wires used	0 7 0
(vi) Tie line for interconnecting two departmentally owned interphone systems—	
Circuit charge: each furlong or fraction thereof	1 5 0
Access to extensions	7 15 0
(d) EXTENSION TELEPHONE WIRED FOR INTERCOMMUNICATION BUT NOT ASSOCIATED WITH A PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE	
Each extension telephone	7 15 0
(e) CIRCUIT CHARGES†	
(Applicable to all intercommunicating extension stations)	
(i) For each 110 yards or fraction thereof of circuit in excess of 110 yards required to provide each extension station	0 12 6
(ii) For each furlong or fraction thereof of circuit required to connect each distant-extension telephone	1 5 0
(iii) Special line between P.A.B.X. and main exchange to prevent selection of next idle number when night-switched number is engaged: each furlong or fraction thereof of circuit	1 0 0
(f) OPERATORS' EQUIPMENT‡ (Reg. 88)	
Operators' equipment in excess of one set per operator at each switchboard position—	
(i) Hand set with plug and cord	0 12 6
(ii) Head receiver	0 12 6
(iii) Combined transmitter and head receiver	1 0 0
(g) SWITCHBOARDS (Reg. 89)	
Switchboards in excess of number normally required	As determined by the Director-General

* Available in automatic exchange areas to subscribers having at least six exchange lines to the same premises.

† If any circuit required under this part of the Schedule cannot be provided by the normal methods of reticulating for telephone exchange service the cost of providing the circuit by other means must be paid by the subscriber in addition to the annual rental charge (reg. 91).

‡ A charge of 15s. is made for providing these items, or for replacing one item with another.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Part 3

NON-INTERCOMMUNICATING EXTENSION STATIONS AND MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT (REG. 90)

Installation and Rental Charges

Equipment	Installation Charge	Annual Charge	
		Business Connection	Residential Connection
(a) EXTENSION TELEPHONES AND JACK EQUIPMENT			
(i) Extension telephone, including circuit up to a length of 110 yards	£ s. d. 2 10 0*	£ s. d. 6 0 0	£ s. d. 3 0 0
(ii) Extension telephone switchable to two lines	2 15 0*†	7 10 0	4 0 0
(iii) Portable extension telephone equipped with plug-ended cord, for use in conjunction with jack equipment .. .. .	..	6 0 0	3 0 0
(iv) Jack equipment, and wiring up to 110 yards, for plugging in portable extension telephones; each point	1 10 0*	1 5 0	0 12 6
Note—If the main station telephone is replaced by a fixed bell, the first portable telephone and the first jack point are provided free of installation and rental charges, but an additional charge as for one extension bell is made if ringing is required on any of the jack points.			
(b) SAFETY TELEPHONES			
Intrinsically safe and flameproof types	**	5 0 0	..
(c) EXTENSION BELLS			
Extension bell, including circuit up to a length of 110 yards—			
(i) Ordinary type	1 10 0*	0 12 6	0 8 0
(ii) Loud-ringing type	1 10 0*	0 16 0	0 12 0
(d) DISTANT EXTENSION CIRCUITS			
Circuits beyond boundaries of same premises: per furlong	Reg. 91	£ s. d. 1 5 0	
(e) SWITCHING KEYS			
(i) Switching key, single	0 15 0‡	0 5 0‡	
(ii) Switching key, double, comprising two two-position keys or one three-position key	0 15 0‡	0 10 0	
(iii) Secrecy device, other than on interphone system: each exchange line so equipped .. .. .	..	0 10 0	

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Equipment	Installation Charge	Annual Rental Charge for Equipment in Either Business or Residence Premises
(f) TREMBLER BELLS, RELAYS, ETC.		
(i) Trembler bell, annunciator drop, and battery, including circuit up to a length of 110 yards—		
When gong does not exceed 4 in. in diameter	£ 2 10 0*	£ 2 10 0
When gong exceeds 4 in. in diameter	2 10 0*	3 0 0
(ii) Annunciator drop or eye-ball indicator only, including circuit up to a length of 110 yards	1 10 0*	1 10 0
(iii) When two or more trembler bells are associated with one annunciator drop—		
For every additional trembler bell after the first—		
When gong does not exceed 4 in. in diameter	1 5 0	0 12 6
When gong exceeds 4 in. in diameter	1 5 0	1 0 0
(iv) Relay for signalling	1 10 0	1 10 0
(g) EXCESS WIRING AND CORD		
(i) Circuit in excess of 110 yards required to connect extension telephones, bells, etc.: for each 110 yards of wiring or fraction thereof	..	0 12 6
(ii) Cord for desk set: for each 6 ft or fraction thereof in excess of the length usually provided||	0 15 0¶	0 5 0
(h) SECOND RECEIVERS, ETC.		
(i) Second receiver for use with hand microphone	0 15 0	0 5 0
(ii) Head receiver	0 15 0	0 12 6
(iii) Combined transmitter and head receiver ..	0 15 0	1 0 0
(i) PUSH BUTTON AND BUZZER CIRCUITS (As this equipment is not essentially telephone apparatus, subscribers may make their own arrangements)		
Push button and buzzer for use in connection with extension telephones—		
(i) For a single circuit not exceeding 110 yards in length, including one push button and buzzer	1 10 0*	1 0 0
(ii) For each additional push button or buzzer installed in a circuit at the same time as the main installation	0 7 6	0 5 0
(iii) For an additional push button or buzzer installed in the circuit of an existing installation	0 15 0	0 5 0
(iv) For each separate single circuit, including one push button and buzzer, installed at the same time as the first	1 0 0*	1 0 0

* Includes the cost of installing any switches and any wiring in excess of 110 yards.

† This charge is also applicable to the conversion of an existing extension telephone to provide for its having access to a second line.

‡ Charge not applicable when key is associated with an extension telephone or an extension bell.

§ Not payable when key installed at same time as associated equipment.

¶ The excess cord supplied is limited to one length in excess of the length usually provided.

|| 15s. is the total installation fee payable in respect of any length of cord in excess of the length usually provided.

** Covered by prescribed charge for a new connection, new extension, extension bell, or change in type of telephone. Labour and incidental costs are payable when these telephones are installed on intercommunicating systems or leased-direct circuits. Any conduit and tiles required are at the cost of the subscriber.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

When an extension telephone or other item of miscellaneous equipment is installed in a subscriber's premises situated beyond the boundary of the base rate area the subscriber shall pay, in addition to the installation charge, the cost of the workmen's travelling time and expenses, assessed at the rate of 2s. 0d. a mile or fraction thereof, for one return trip between the boundary of the base rate area and the subscriber's premises. This additional charge is not made when the installation of an extension telephone or other item of miscellaneous equipment is undertaken in conjunction with the installation of the main telephone.

Part 4

REMOVALS OR CHANGES OF TELEPHONES AND EQUIPMENT

Division 1—Removal to Other Premises (Reg. 72)

		Fee for Removal		
		£	s.	d.
(1)	Main telephone	10	0	0
	But if the telephone, internal wiring, and outside circuit are in position from a former connection and the equipment is taken over without alteration the charge is reduced to	1	0	0
(2)	Ordinary extension telephone, when moved at the same time as the main telephone	2	10	0
	But if an extension telephone is already in position from a former connection and no alteration in position or wiring is required no charge is made. If an extension telephone is moved away from the premises in which the main telephone is located, becoming a "distant" extension, or if a "distant" extension is moved to other premises, the charge is	10	0	0
(3)	Intercommunicating extension telephone or P.B.X. system			Labour and incidental expenses.
(4)	Interphone key box or interphone system ..			Labour and incidental expenses.
(5)	Extension bell or other miscellaneous equipment which involves labour in fitting, when moved at the same time as the main telephone	1	10	0

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued**Division 2—Removal Within Premises (Reg. 72)*

	Fee for Removal	
	From One Room to Another	From One Position to Another in the Same Room
(1) Main telephone If outside the base rate area there is an additional charge of 2s. 0d. a mile for one return trip between the boundary of the base rate area and the premises.	£ s. d. 2 10 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0
(2) Ordinary extension telephone If outside the base rate area, mileage is charged as in the preceding item unless already charged in connection with the removal of the main telephone.	2 10 0	1 0 0
(3) Intercommunicating extension telephone or P.B.X. system	Labour and incidental expenses	
(4) Interphone key box or interphone system ..	Labour and incidental expenses	
(5) Extension bell or other miscellaneous equipment If outside the base rate area, mileage as in the first item unless already charged.	1 10 0	1 0 0

In the case of a removal or an alteration which is not covered above, or the disturbance of apparatus, equipment, or wiring by building alterations or renovations, the subscriber is charged with the labour and incidental expenses.

Division 3—Change of Telephone (Reg. 74)

	Fee for Change	
	For One Change	For Each Additional Change in Same Premises at Same Time
(1) Change to another telephone except to a B.P.O. 706 telephone or Ericofon telephone	£ s. d. 0 15 0	£ s. d. 0 7 6
(2) Change of extension bell or other small item of miscellaneous equipment where no additional wiring is required	1 0 0	0 7 6
(3) Conversion of a manual extension telephone from non-intercommunicating to intercommunicating	Labour and incidental expenses	

If, in either instance, the connection is beyond the base rate area, travelling expenses at 2s. 0d. a mile for one return trip beyond the boundary of the base rate area are charged. But in no instance is a charge made for changing a telephone when the change occurs concurrently with a removal.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Part 5

Division 1—Miscellaneous Fees and Charges

	£	s.	d.
(1) Service connection fee (reg. 7)	10	0	0
The service connection fee is reducible to £1 if the telephone and the wiring back to the exchange are in position from a former connection and if in these circumstances the new lessee does not require a change in the directory listing the service connection fee is waived.			
(2) Reconnection fee (reg. 41)	0	12	6
(3) Transfer fee (reg. 75)	1	0	0
But no charge is made if:			
(i) There is no change in the user of the telephone even though a change in the directory listing is required and/or			
(ii) The new lessee does not require a change in the directory listing.			
(4) Extra entries in telephone directories: per line of type per annum (reg. 51)	1	0	0

Division 2—Night Grouping Service and Night Switching to Toll Line

	Annual Charges		
	£	s.	d.
(a) Night grouping (reg. 79)—			
Each main station telephone	0	5	0
(b) Night switching to toll line (reg. 80)—			
Individual subscriber or individual private line owner—			
Having the exclusive use of the toll circuit ..	2	15	0
Sharing the toll circuit	1	10	0
Each party line subscriber or joint private line owner	1	10	0

Part 6

Leased Direct Circuits (Regs. 95 to 107)

	Annual Rate per Furlong or Fraction of Circuit			Minimum Annual Rate		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(1) Single wire circuits including equivalent superimposed circuits	1	0	0	3	0	0
(2) Metallic circuits including equivalent superimposed circuits	1	5	0	3	15	0
(3) Associated telephones (including wiring up to 110 yards)				2	15	0
(4) Temporary circuits—						

A weekly rate at one fifty-second of the annual rate plus 50 per cent with a minimum charge as for two weeks or £1, whichever is the higher, and a minimum charge of 10s. for each succeeding week or fraction thereof.

The applicant must pay also the estimated installation and dismantling costs in respect of labour and transport, and the value of any irrecoverable material, or material rendered unfit for further use.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Part 7

*Privately Owned Telephone Lines Connected with Toll Stations
(Reg. 129)*

			£	s.	d.	
(1) Annual switching fee	..	..	2	10	0	per subscriber.
(2) Annual maintenance fee	0	12	6	per line.

Part 8

Public Call Stations (Coin in the Slot) (Reg. 135)

Local call charge	3d.
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Part 9

TOLL SERVICES

Division 1—Basic Rates for Ordinary Calls (Reg. 137)

	Charges		For each three minutes conversation or fraction thereof irrespective of the time the call is made.
	For Calls Other Than From Coin-box Telephones	For Calls From Coin-box Telephones	
(1) For distances—	s. d.	s. d.	} For each three minutes conversation or fraction thereof irrespective of the time the call is made.
Up to and including 10 miles ..	0 6	0 6	
Over 10 miles but not over 15 miles	0 9	0 9	
Over 15 miles but not over 20 miles	1 0	1 0	
Over 20 miles but not over 30 miles	1 3	1 3	
(2) (a) For distances over 30 miles, for the initial period of three minutes or fraction thereof—	s. d.	s. d.	
Over 30 miles but not over 40 miles ..	1 9	1 9	Between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Weekdays and Between 6 a.m. and Midnight on Sundays and Departmental Holidays
Over 40 miles but not over 60 miles ..	2 0	2 0	Between Midnight and 8 a.m. and Between 6 p.m. and Midnight on Weekdays, and Between Midnight and 6 a.m. on Sundays and Departmental Holidays
Over 60 miles but not over 100 miles ..	3 0	2 6	
Over 100 miles but not over 150 miles	4 0	3 0	
Over 150 miles but not over 200 miles	5 0	4 0	
Over 200 miles but not over 250 miles	6 0	4 6	
Over 250 miles but not over 300 miles	6 6	5 0	
Over 300 miles but not over 350 miles	7 0	5 6	
Over 350 miles but not over 400 miles	7 6	6 0	
Over 400 miles	8 0	6 6	
(b) For each minute or fraction thereof exceeding the initial period of three minutes for distances over 30 miles the charge is one-third of the initial charge.			

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

- (3) (a) **Urgent calls:** double the charge for an ordinary call plus the prescribed charges for any special services.
- (b) **Contract call charges** (reg. 145)—
The charge for a series of contract calls is the ordinary charge less 10 percent.
- (c) **Calls from coin-box telephones:** any part of three minutes is charged for as three minutes.
- (d) **Charge for a local call from a toll station—**
To a private-line owner connected with the station 3d.
To a subscriber's station of an exchange, the base rate area of which includes the site on which the toll station is situated 3d.
- (e) **Charge for a toll call from a toll station—**
The charge for a toll call for a distance of not more than 30 miles shall be the same as for a call from a coin-box telephone.

Division 2—Additional Charges for Special Services

For Distances	(1)	(2)	(3)
	Person to Person or Appointment Calls (Regs. 140 and 143)	Completed Collect Call (Reg. 146)	Refused and Uncompleted Collect Call (Reg. 146)
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Up to and including 100 miles	1 6	0 6	0 6
Over 100 miles but not over 150 miles	2 0	0 6	1 0
Over 150 miles but not over 300 miles	3 0	1 0	1 6
Over 300 miles but not over 400 miles	4 0	1 0	1 6
Over 400 miles	5 0	1 0	1 6

The foregoing charges are constant and are not affected by the time the call is made or its duration, nor shall they be doubled for an urgent call.

(4) **Fixed-time call charges** (reg. 144)—

Circumstances	Charge
For each completed call	As for an ordinary call plus a fixed-time fee of 20 percent of the basic charge for a call of three minutes' duration, with a minimum of 3d.
If call is cancelled more than 15 minutes before the time of appointment	One-third of the charge for a three-minute call with a maximum of 2s.
If call is cancelled within 15 minutes before or after the time of appointment, but before service has been offered	Half the charge for a three-minute call plus the fixed-time fee with a maximum of 3s. 6d.
If call is cancelled upon the making of the connection within 15 minutes of the appointed time	The charge for a three-minute call plus the fixed-time fee.
If call not connected within 15 minutes of time of appointment and the subscriber cancels it	No charge.
If call not connected within 15 minutes and it is still required by the subscriber	As for an ordinary call without the addition of a fixed-time fee.

(5) **Delivery fees** (reg. 141)—

- (a) Within the radius of the free delivery of telegrams—
- (i) On weekdays during the normal hours of telegraph attendance of the called office but not later than 5 p.m. 6d.
- (ii) After 5 p.m., and on Sundays and holidays 1s.
- (b) Outside the free delivery of telegrams Actual expenses incurred.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

- (6) **Charge for reopening office after hours** (reg. 148)—
 (a) If officer lives on premises .. 5s. for each 20 minutes' attendance or fraction thereof.
 (b) If officer lives away from premises 10s. 0d. for first 20 minutes' attendance or fraction thereof, and 5s. for each subsequent 20 minutes or fraction thereafter.
- (7) **Transferred charge service** (reg. 147) 6d. for each call.
- (8) **Credit toll card service** (reg. 147A)—
 (a) For issue of each credit toll card 10s.
 (b) For each call 6d.

Division 3—Search Fees (Reg. 152)

- (1) If the toll ticket is on hand at the office of inquiry and can be readily located No charge.
- (2) If the toll ticket is required for the purpose of confirming the correctness of a toll charge made No charge.
- (3) If the toll ticket is not on hand locally but full particulars are supplied to enable it to be readily obtained 1s.
- (4) If in either case full particulars cannot be supplied and a search is necessary 8s.
- (5) If the search extends beyond half an hour; for each half hour after the first the additional charge is 8s."

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

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