

Overview of Total Sum of Charges Collected and Administrative Costs

Year Ended 31 December 2014

1. Background

In accordance with Article 18 of the Electronic Communications (Regulation) Act (the "ECRA") and the Directive of 2004 on Modalities of Payment for General Authorisations and Rights of Use, as amended by Directive No 1 of 2007 (hereafter "the Directive"), the Authority collects administrative charges to cover the administrative costs incurred in carrying out its responsibilities under the ECRA.

In accordance with the same Act, any differences between the charges collected and the costs incurred shall result in appropriate repayments or compensation in the case of overcharging, or the imposition of additional charges in the case of undercharging, as specified in the ECRA and the Directive.

The Authority is also required to publish an annual overview of the total sum of charges collected and its administrative costs.

2. Results

The Authority prepares Audited Financial Statements under the historical cost convention and in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. The following table shows an overview of the total sum of charges collected and administrative costs incurred, which have been extracted from the income statement forming part of the Audited Financial Statements of the Authority.



	Total	Electronic communications	Scarce resources	Postal services, right of way, e-commerce	IS Initiatives	Others	EU Projects	RadioComm- unication Licences
	Euro	Euro	Euro	Euro	Euro	Euro	Euro	Euro
Revenue								
Government Subvention	441,624				441,624			
Administrative Charges	3,205,836	3,205,836						
Income deferred to 2015	(401,964)	(401,964)		040 404				
Usage Fees for Scarce Resources	5,376,134		4,565,653	810,481				
Postal Authorisations & Rights of Way Amortisation of Deferred Income	-							
Other revenues	107,972				86,537	- 21,435		
			26.204		60,557	21,433		
Amortisation of Spectrum Equipment	26,284		26,284					
Radiocommunication Licences	715,026							715,026
EU Projects Revenue	338,506						338,506	
	9,809,418	2,803,872	4,591,937	810,481	528,161	21,435	338,506	715,026
Expenditure	(4,326,837)	(2,810,309)	(329,838)	(314,886)	(528,161)	(5,137)	(338,506)	
Spectrum equipment financed via deductions								
from Govt	14,425		14,425					
Finance revenue	17,791	7,573				10,218		
Finance costs	-	-						
Taxation	(4,317)	(1,136)				(3,181)		
Transfers to government	(5,487,145)		(4,276,524)	(495,595)				(715,026)
Surplus/(deficit) for the financial year	23,335	_	_	_	-	23,335	_	-



During the year ended 31 December 2014, the positive difference between the total sum of administrative charges collected and administrative costs incurred in carrying out responsibilities under the ECRA amounted to €401,964.

3. Compensation of 2014 difference

The Authority will be making the respective repayments and compensations required under the ECRA, by offsetting, or repaying where applicable, the amount of €401,964 proportionately to the providers of electronic communications services or networks on which administrative charges were imposed during the year ended 31 December 2014, in two equal portions during the months of July 2015, and December 2015.

Dr Edward Woods Chairman

26 June 2015