

TELECOMMUNICATIONS ORDINANCE
(Chapter 106)

SERVICES-BASED OPERATOR LICENCE
MOBILE VIRTUAL NETWORK OPERATOR SERVICES

DIRECTION
(Special Condition 6)

To : China Telecom Global Limited
Date : 30 December 2022

1. Pursuant to Special Condition 6 of the Services-Based Operator Licence granted to China Telecom Global Limited (the “Licensee”) on 8 August 2016 and subsequently amended on 30 December 2022, the Communications Authority (the “Authority”) hereby directs the Licensee, until further notice is given in writing, to pay its relevant share of the universal service contribution, as may be specified in the relevant statements issued by the Authority and as revised from time to time, to PCCW-HKT Telephone Limited and Hong Kong Telecommunications (HKT) Limited or other unified carrier licensees (with provision of fixed services authorized) or other licensees with a universal service obligation, as the case may be, to assist those licensees to meet their universal service obligations.

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DIRECTION
(Special Condition 19)

To : China Telecom Global Limited
Date : 30 December 2022

1. Pursuant to Special Condition 19 of the Services-Based Operator Licence (the “Licence”) granted to China Telecom Global Limited (the “Licensee”) on 8 August 2016 and subsequently amended on 30 December 2022, the Communications Authority (the “Authority”) hereby directs the Licensee, until further notice is given in writing,

- (a) to facilitate, at the Licensee’s own expenses, the portability of numbers from the numbering plan of Hong Kong as stipulated in the Special Condition 2 of the Licence for (i) customers of fixed telecommunications services licensed under unified carrier licences (with provision of fixed services authorized), and (ii) customers of internal fixed telecommunications services for carrying real-time voice communications (which may be integrated with other types of communications) which is capable of allowing customers to make and receive calls to and from parties assigned with numbers from the numbering plan of Hong Kong and licensed under services-based operator licences (“Operator Number Portability”), so that HKCA 2102 entitled

“Procedures for Handling Number Porting by Database Solution” issued by the Authority and as revised from time to time by the Authority can be fully complied with on and after the launch of the service;

- (b) to facilitate, at the Licensee’s own expenses, the portability of numbers from the numbering plan of Hong Kong as stipulated in the Special Condition 2 of the Licence for (i) customers of mobile telecommunications services licensed under unified carrier licences (with provision of mobile services authorized), (ii) customers of mobile virtual network operators services licensed under services-based operator licences or other licences, and (iii) customers of internal mobile telecommunications services for carrying real-time voice communications (which may be integrated with other types of communications) which is capable of allowing customers to make and receive calls to and from parties assigned with numbers from the numbering plan of Hong Kong and licensed under services-based operator licences (“Mobile Number Portability”), so that the Code of Practice entitled “Code of Practice related to the Implementation of Mobile Number Portability” issued by the Authority and as revised from time to time by the Authority can be fully complied with on and after the launch of the service.

2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1, nothing in this Direction requires the Licensee:

- (a) to enable any number assigned by the Licensee to be used

for a “Class 2 service” provided by any other licensee ; or

- (b) to enable any number assigned by any other licensee for a “Class 2 service” to be used for any service provided by the Licensee.

3. Notwithstanding paragraph 1, where the Licensee provides a “Class 2 service”, nothing in this Direction requires the Licensee:

- (a) to enable any number assigned by the Licensee for such “Class 2 service” to be used for any service provided by any other licensee; or
- (b) to enable any number assigned by any other licensee to be used for such “Class 2 service” provided by the Licensee.

4. For the purpose of this Direction, “Class 2 service” means the services referred to in the applicable provisions in unified carrier licences, services-based operator licences or other licences under which provision of Class 2 service is authorized.

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