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| **Subject:** | **Member State consultation on Determined draft new Recommendations ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT), ITU-T D.198 (D.Unipricelist) and ITU-T D.263 (D.MFS) proposed for approval at the meeting of ITU-T Study Group 3 meeting (Geneva, 23 April - 2 May 2019).** | | | |

Dear Sir/Madam,

1 ITU-T Study Group 3 (Tariff and accounting principles and international Telecommunication/ICT economic and policy issues) intends to apply the Traditional Approval Procedure as described in Section 9 of WTSA Resolution 1 (Rev. Hammamet, 2016) for the approval of the above-mentioned draft Recommendations at its next meeting in Geneva, 23 April - 2 May 2019. The agenda and all relevant information concerning the ITU-T Study Group 3 meeting will be available in Collective letter 3/3.

2 The titles, summaries and locations of draft new Recommendations ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT), ITU-T D.198 (D.Unipricelist) and ITU-T D.263 (D.MFS) proposed for approval can be found in **Annex 1**.

3 This Circular initiates the formal consultation with ITU Member States on whether these texts may be considered for approval at the upcoming meeting, in accordance with clause 9.4 of Resolution 1. Member States are kindly requested to complete and return the form in **Annex 2** by 2359 hours UTC on **11 April 2019**.

4 If 70% or more of the replies from Member States support consideration for approval, one Plenary session will be devoted to apply the approval procedure. Member States that do not assign authority to proceed should inform the Director of TSB of the reasons for this opinion and indicate the possible changes that would enable the work to progress.

Yours faithfully,

*(signed)*

Chaesub Lee  
Director of the Telecommunication  
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**Annexes: 2**

ANNEX 1

Summary and location of Determined draft new Recommendations ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT), ITU-T D.198 (D.Unipricelist) and ITU-T D.263 (D.MFS)

# 1 Draft new Recommendation ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT) [[SG3-R11](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-SG03-R-0011/en)]

Collaborative Framework for OTTs

Summary

Draft Recommendation ITU-T D.262 provides a collaborative framework in order to promote competition, consumer protection, consumer benefits, dynamic innovation, sustainable investment and infrastructure development, accessibility and affordability in relation to the global growth of the Over the Top (OTT) applications.

# 2 Draft new Recommendation ITU-T D.198 (D.Unipricelist) [[SG3-R12](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-SG03-R-0012/en)]

Principles for unified format of price/tariffs/rates-lists used for exchanging telephone traffic

Summary

Draft Recommendation ITU-T D.198 recognizes the right of any operator to present price/tariffs/rates charged for telecommunications services in any form deemed convenient for the operator, and recommends that telecommunications companies offering international connections/exchange of traffic make use as far as possible of the same templates/forms/format of data to represent traffic destinations and offered price/tariffs/rates including if required optional clarifying information or quality of service criteria.

# 3 Draft new Recommendation ITU-T D.263 (D.MFS) [[SG3-R13](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-SG03-R-0013/en)]

Costs, Charges and Competition for Mobile Financial Services (MFS)

Summary

Draft Recommendation ITU-T D.263 proposes a possible approach to reduce high retail and wholesale telecommunication charges related to mobile financial service (MFS).

ANNEX 2

Subject: Member State response to TSB Circular 101:  
Consultation on Determined draft new Recommendations ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT), ITU-T D.198 (D.Unipricelist) and ITU-T D.263 (D.MFS)

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Dear Sir/Madam,

With respect to the Member State consultation on the Determined draft texts listed in TSB Circular 101, I would like to advise you of the opinion of this Administration, which is set out in the table below.

|  | **Select one of the two boxes** |
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| **Draft new Recommendation ITU-T D.262 (D.OTT)** | **assigns authority** to Study Group 3 to consider this text for approval (in which case, select one of the two options ⃝):  ⃝ No comments or suggested changes  ⃝ Comments and suggested changes are attached |
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Yours faithfully,

[Name]

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Administration of [Member State]

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