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Summary

This Recommendation sets out various procedures for remuneration destination and transit Administrations for international telephone communications.

In this amendment, an optional transit share arrangement is proposed. There is now a possibility that the Administration of the country of origin pays (all) the transit share(s) for its outgoing traffic.

Source

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Modify clause 2.3.2 as follows:

- **2.3.2** For the transit share(s), there are two possibilities:
- <u>either The the Administration of each terminal country in principle</u> pays an appropriate share (normally half) of any remuneration due to the Administrations of transit countries.
- or the Administration of the country of origin pays (all) the transit share(s) for its outgoing traffic.

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