

Supplementary Order to Emergency Order No.1 of 2010

Further to Emergency Order No.1 of 2010 ordering all Licensees holding an Individual License for National Fixed Services, an Individual License for International Telecommunications Services and/or an Individual License for Mobile Telecommunications Services issued by the Telecommunications Regulatory Authority ("the Authority").

The Authority, in the exercise of its powers under Articles 3(c)(1) and 3(c)(18) of the Telecommunications Law, makes the following Supplementary Order to Emergency Order No. 1 of 2010 requiring all Licensees addressed in Emergency Order No. 1 of 2010 to:

- 1. Confirm by 9am on 19 August 2010 that the Licensee will comply with this Supplementary Order;
- 2. Block all outgoing calls until further notice to the numbers listed in Annex A of this Supplementary Order by 11:59pm on 22 August 2010; and
- 3. Confirm by 5pm on 23 August 2010 that it has complied with the Supplementary Order.

Failure to comply with this Supplementary Order will result in the Authority taking further regulatory action for breaches of the Telecommunications Law and Licenses.

Reasons for Supplementary Order

Further to the Authority issuing Emergency Order No. 1 of 2010, confirmation of adherence to the Order from Licensees and the Ministry of Culture and Information blocking www.spoofcard.com, the Authority has been alerted that users are still able to access numbers listed in Annex A of this Supplementary Order to place outgoing calls.

Use of these numbers to place outgoing calls using the features provided by the website result in:

1. Originating callers placing telephone calls without being traceable and without revealing the origin of the call as well as disguising the voices of the callers.



2. Incorrect CLI information being retained by the originating and receiving Telecommunications Service Providers under Article 8 (a) of the Lawful Access Regulation (Regulation No. 9 of 2009)¹, thus defeating the objectives of the Regulation.

The Authority hereby issues this Supplementary Order to Emergency Order No. 1 of 2010, after consideration of the facts outlined above where sufficient concerns have been raised that outgoing calls to the telephone numbers listed in Annex A should be blocked as soon as possible.

Issued on 16 August 2010 by

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¹ For the official Arabic text of this Regulation please visit: http://www.tra.org.bh/ar/pdf/PublishedLawfulAccessRegulation.pdf



Supplementary Order to Emergency Order No. 1 of 2010 Annex A

| | Country | Call Number | |
|----|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | United States of America | +1 (310) 510 6915 | Santa Monica, CA |
| | | + 1 (213) 799 1109 | Los Angeles, LA |
| | | +1 (215) 554 6233 | Philadelphia, PA |
| | | +1 (770) 881 8872 | Atlanta, GA |
| | | +1 (704) 755 0215 | Charlotte, NC |
| | | + 1 (312) 948 8918 | Chicago, IL |
| | | +1 (214) 702 4142 | Dallas, TX |
| | | +1 (303) 586 6516 | Denver, CO |
| | | +1 (248) 432 2102 | Detroit, MI |
| | | +1 (682) 214 5034 | Fort worth, TX |
| | | +1 (832) 838 0588 | Houston, TX |
| | | +1 (702) 537 0957 | Las Vegas, NV |
| | | +1 (901) 316 0460 | Memphis, TN |
| | | +1 (786) 375 6616 | Miami, FL |
| | 2 | +1 (201) 917 7020 | New Jersey, NJ |
| | | +1 (732) 720 0522 | New Jersey, NJ |
| | | +1 (602) 283 9467 | Phoenix, AZ |
| | | +1 (619) 489 9314 | San Diego, CA |
| | | +1 (408) 351 4055 | San Jose, CA |
| | | +1 (866) 967 6594 | Premium Toll Free |
| 2 | Australia | +61 3900 15572 | |
| 3 | Austria | +43 720 880023 | |
| 4 | Belgium | +32 280 84201 | |
| 5 | Brazil | +55 213 9580666 | |
| 6 | Canada | + 1 (416) 800 8950 | |
| 7 | Czech Republic | +420 2460 19703 | |
| 8 | France | +33 17997 4839 | |
| 9 | Greece | +30 2111 980086 | |
| 10 | Ireland | +353 7660 60769 | |
| 11 | Israel | +972 372 19687 | |
| 12 | Italy | +39 066 220 7812 | |
| 13 | Japan | +81 3457 89509 | |
| 14 | Mexico | +52 5511 638 735 | |
| 15 | Poland | +48 223 988 372 | |
| 16 | Spain | +34 901 667511 | |
| 17 | United Kingdom | +44 2033 183 280 | |
| 18 | Atlantic Islands | +1 (831) 300 0200 | |
| 19 | | +239 220 1061 | |