

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 164 OF 1934.

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE TELEPHONE REGULATIONS.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under and by virtue of the powers in him vested by section *three* (4) and section *four* of Act No. 10 of 1911 of the Union of South Africa, as of force in the Bechuanaland Protectorate in terms of Proclamations No. 28 of 1916 and No. 23 of 1928, His Excellency the High Commissioner has been pleased to approve, with effect from the first day of November, 1934, of the subjoined regulations made by the Postmaster-General, with the concurrence of the Resident Commissioner, amending the Telephone Regulations of the Bechuanaland Protectorate, published in Schedule B to the aforesaid Proclamation No. 23 of 1928.

By Command of His Excellency  
the High Commissioner.

E. COHEN,  
for Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Pretoria, 13th November, 1934.

Delete regulations 51, 52, 53, and 54, and substitute:—

51. *Call Offices*.—Public call offices are provided at convenient points. The minimum fee for each call shall be 3d. for three minutes or portion thereof. For calls to other call offices, or to subscribers connected to exchanges more than 15 miles distant, measured radially, the prescribed charges for trunk line calls shall apply. The Postmaster-General shall have the right to terminate any call after the expiration of six minutes.

52. *Trunk Line Calls*.—The charges for trunk line calls shall be as follows:—

Distance—Miles.	Day Charge. 8 a.m.—6 p.m.		Night Charge. 6 p.m.—8 a.m.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
1— 15.....	0	3	0	3
16— 30.....	0	6	0	6
31— 45.....	0	9	0	6
46— 60.....	1	0	0	9
61— 75.....	1	3	1	0
76— 90.....	1	6	1	0
91— 105.....	1	9	1	3
106— 120.....	2	0	1	6
121— 145.....	2	6	1	9
146— 170.....	3	0	2	0
171— 195.....	3	6	2	6
196— 220.....	4	0	2	9
221— 245.....	4	6	3	0
246— 270.....	5	0	3	6
271— 295.....	5	3	3	6
296— 320.....	5	9	4	0
321— 345.....	6	0	4	0
346— 370.....	6	6	4	6
371— 395.....	6	9	4	6
396— 420.....	7	3	5	0
421— 445.....	7	6	5	0
446— 470.....	8	0	5	6
471— 495.....	8	3	5	6
496— 520.....	8	9	6	0
521— 545.....	9	0	6	0
546— 570.....	9	6	6	6
571— 595.....	9	9	6	6
596— 620.....	10	3	7	0
621— 645.....	10	6	7	0
646— 670.....	11	0	7	6

Distance—Miles.	Day Charge. 8 a.m.—6 p.m.		Night Charge. 6 p.m.—8 a.m.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
671—695.....	11	3	7	6
696—720.....	11	9	8	0
721—745.....	12	0	8	0
746—770.....	12	3	8	3
771—795.....	12	6	8	6
796—820.....	12	9	8	6
821—845.....	13	0	8	9
846—870.....	13	3	9	0
871—895.....	13	6	9	0
896—920.....	13	9	9	3
921—945.....	14	0	9	6
946—970.....	14	3	9	6
971—995.....	14	6	9	9
996—1,020.....	14	9	10	0
1,021—1,045.....	15	0	10	0
1,046—1,070.....	15	3	10	3
1,071—1,095.....	15	6	10	6

53. *Unit Period.*—The unit period shall be three minutes reckoned from the time the caller is informed that the connection required is established, provided that when the charge for a three-minute call is not less than 8s. 9d. (6s. at night) extra time shall be charged for *pro rata* per minute.

54. *Assessment of Charges.*—Where the assessed charge for any trunk line service as calculated on a *pro rata* or percentage basis is not a multiple of 3d. it may be adjusted to the next higher multiple thereof.