Pursuant to paragraph 9 of Article 38 of the Telecommunications Law (Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia number 44/03 and 36/06) and pursuant to item 11 of Article 18 of the Statutes of the Republic Telecommunication Agency (Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia number 78/05), the Managing Board of the Republic Telecommunication Agency in its session held on 7<sup>th</sup> April 2006, adopted the

# RULES

# ON PUBLIC TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORKS AND PUBLIC TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES FOR WHICH AUTHORIZATION IS REQUIRED

## **Article 1**

These Rules define public telecommunication networks and public telecommunication services, the operation or provision thereof is performed on the basis of issued authorization.

### Article 2

Terms used in these Rules shall have the following meaning:

**Access network** means network which enables the transmission of telecommunication services between the locations from which telecommunication services are provided to end users and the network on users' premises.

**Network on users' premises** means network which connects the devices of the users with the access network.

**Transport network** means network which enables the transmission of signal between locations from which the telecommunication services are provided to end users.

**Internet** means global network or global electronic communications system of interconnected computer networks and devices, intended for exchange of all types of information through a set of common Internet protocols.

**Internet Protocol (IP)** means a set of protocols for communication and data transfer between the devices on the Internet.

**Internet services** means, for the purpose of these Rules, public telecommunications services using Internet technology, with the exception of commercial services of Internet telephony.

**Internet telephony** means a set of technologies, which enables voice service provision of any form, by using Internet protocol.

**Cable network service** means service of radio and TV signal distribution through telecommunication network.

**Services in closed group of users** enable forming of a group of users, who are provided with determined set of telecommunication services.

# **Article 3**

The Republic Telecommunication Agency issues, in accordance with the manner and conditions stipulated by the law governing the telecommunication sector and by its own bylaws, authorization for:

- 1. access networks for which the license is not required;
- 2. transport networks for which license is not required;
- 3. Internet service provision;
- 4. commercial provision Internet telephony service in case the assignment of numbers from the Numbering Plan is not required;
- 5. cable network service provision;
- 6. data transfer service provision;
- 7. value added service provision;
- 8. service provision in closed group of users; and
- 9. call back service provision.

### Article 5

These Rules shall come into force on the eight day following the day of its publication in the *Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia*.

Number: 1-01-110-17/06 Chairman of the Managing Board

Belgrade, 7<sup>th</sup> April 2006

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