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## **Telecom Regulatory Authority of India**

TRAI Releases Report on Audit and Assessment of Quality of Service of Telecom Services

**New Delhi 16**<sup>th</sup> **May, 2016:** TRAI has conducted Audit and Assessment of Quality of Service being provided by the service providers through independent agencies for Cellular Mobile Telephone Services, Basic Services and Broadband Services.

2. The audit and assessment of Quality of Service for the period October to December 2016 was carried out in respect of Cellular Mobile Services, Basic services and Broadband services in following Service areas.

Cellular Mobile Services:- AP, Assam, Bihar & Jharkhand, Chennai, Delhi, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, J&K, Karnataka, Kerala, Kolkata, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh & Chhattisgarh, Mumbai, North East, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, UP(East), UP(West) and West Bengal Service areas.

Basic Service: - Mumbai, Kolkata and Kerala & Lakshadweep.

**Broadband Service: -** Mumbai, Kolkata and Kerala & Lakshadweep.

- i) Verification of the data submitted by the service providers to TRAI as part of QoS monitoring reports
- ii) Verification of the performance of service providers against the Quality of Service benchmarks laid down by TRAI using live measurement for 3 days
- iii) Verification of the performance of service providers against the Quality of Service benchmarks laid down by TRAI using the data for the entire month.
- iv) Operator assisted Drive tests of the mobile networks.
- v) Live testing of the efficiency of the call center / customer care help line of Telecom Service providers.
- 4. The detailed Report on Quality of Service Audit conducted during the period October to December 2015 is available at TRAI website <a href="www.trai.gov.in">www.trai.gov.in</a>.
- 5. In case of any clarification, please contact, Shri. A Robert.J.Ravi Advisor (QoS) at Tel. No. 23230404 or at email.id: advqos@trai.gov.in

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