



## Application for a Licence to Provide a Telecommunications Service

Applicants should furnish the Authority with the following information:

### **1.1 Particulars of the Applicant**

- The juristic nature and the particulars of the applicant must be fully disclosed
- A complete ownership profile must be provided, listing all the Directors, their addresses, and their equity holdings valued in Pula.
- It must be indicated whether your company is a member of a group, and if so, give details of the ownership profile of the subsidiaries from the ultimate parent company of the group to the applicant.

The nature of your company must be disclosed, i.e. whether it is a private or public company incorporated in terms of the Companies Act. Botswana registration number of your company should also be provided.

### **1.2 Technical Information**

The configuration and description of all the technical aspects of the network as well as the equipment that will be used must be fully disclosed. The disclosure in this respect should include the following:

- Network configuration.
- The description of all interfaces within the network.
- You must include a short statement of technical experience and capability for the Authority to assess whether the applicant has sufficient technical experience and capability of operating the proposed project.

### **1.3 Business Plan**

Provide a 3-year business plan of your proposed project.

### **1.4 Local Office**

The Company must have a registered office in Botswana.

## **1.5 Fees**

For data services the applicant is required to pay, upon licensing, an initial licence fee of P10 000 (ten thousand Pula). The licensee will also pay, on an annual basis, P3 000 (three thousand Pula). All licence fees attract a 10% Value Added Tax. Fees for spectrum are based on spectrum requirements and are therefore considered on a case-by-case basis.