

Application Form for Universal Service Fund Project Proposal

Under section 17 of the Telecommunications (Universal Service Fund) Regulations (**SRO. 21 of 2009**)

Please tick (✓) the licence you currently hold, if no licence tick (✓) none:

- Fixed Public Telecommunications Licence
- Public Mobile Telecommunications Licence
- Internet Networks and Services Licence
- Submarine Cable Licence
- Class Licence

Specify: _____

- Other

Specify: _____

- None

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Guidance Notes

- A copy of the completed application form should be submitted in an envelope clearly marked "Universal Service Fund Project Proposal Application" addressed to National Telecommunications Regulatory Commission, P.O Box 854, St. Georges, Grenada.
- Note that only one application can be made on an application form, each additional project proposals should be made on a separate application forms.
- Please provide original copies of all documentation where applicable.

1. **PART I -THE APPLICANT**

(Please complete thoroughly in type or block letters)

2. **CONTACT DETAILS**

2.1.1 Name and business address of applicant

2.1.2 Designated contact person _____

2.1.3 Telephone number _____

2.1.4 Fax number _____

2.1.5 E-mail address _____

3. **PROJECT DETAILS**

3.1.1 **Proposed Project:** Tick the category of the proposed project:

Public voice telephony

Internet access

Telecom services to institutions

Other service Specify _____

Please provide details on the nature of the proposed project:

3.1.2 Summary of Project Objectives:

Please specify what you hope to accomplish should this project be selected for implementation

3.1.3 Service Scope:

Please specify the type of service the proposed project is expected to provide to the target group e.g. internet service, mobile network coverage, fixed line service

3.1.4 Geographic Scope:

Please specify the geographic area: town, district, entity etc. The project would provide service to:

3.1.5 Target group:

Please specify the target group that would benefit from the implementation of this project. e.g. underserved population, unserved population, elderly, physically challenged, indigent

3.1.6 Expected Project Input:

Please provide a breakdown of the technical and institutional components of the project including network infrastructure, technology, architectures necessary to implement the project

3.1.7 Expected Project Benefits:

Please provide a summary of the economic and social benefits to the population, while some of benefits may be difficult to quantify still include in this section

3.1.8 Estimated Project timeline:

Please provide an estimate of the time required to execute the project. Include time require to procure the equipment necessary for project execution

3.1.9 Financial Information of Project:

Please provide financial information including the estimated capital investment, recurring costs: maintenance, operations and estimated forecasts of annual service revenue the project is expected to generate and the amount of subsidy required.

Initial capital investment: _____

Annual Recurring Expenses: (please list)

e.g. Maintenance: _____

(_____): _____

(_____): _____

Annual Estimated Revenue: (please list)

(_____): _____

(_____): _____

(_____): _____

Funding required: _____

3.1.10 Project Implementation:

Please provide an overview of how this projected will be implemented, should this project be selected for a USF subsidy.

4. **APPLICANT'S CURRENT ACTIVITIES:**

Please provide a summary of your current activities, including the infrastructure required to support the proposed project.

5. **APPLICANT'S COMMENTS:**

Please use this section to provide any comments or additional details not requested, but may be an important component of the project.