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## Telecom Regulatory Authority of India

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TRAI issues press release for availing recently launched vouchers of 30 days validity and renewable on same date of every month.

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New Delhi, September 2022 — The Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) today issues press release on above cited subject.

- 1. The Authority had received references from consumers expressing concerns regarding the tariff offers of 28 days' validity (or in multiples thereof) by Telecom Service Providers (TSPs), rather than Tariff offerings having validity for 30 days or a month. The Authority being conscious of the need to address consumer concerns and perceptions in this regard issued two amendments to Telecommunication Tariff Order (TTO) viz. TTO 66 th and TTO 67th amendments.
- 2. Following due consultation process involving seeking comments, counter comments and open house discussion with stakeholders, vide Telecom Tariff (66<sup>th</sup> and 67<sup>th</sup> Amendment) Order, 2022, TRAI has inserted sub clauses (xi) and (xii) in clause 6 of TTO, 1999 which provides that:
- (xi) Every Telecom Service Provider shall offer at least one Plan Voucher, one Special Tariff Voucher and one Combo Voucher having a validity of thirty days.
- (xii) Every Telecom Service Provider shall offer at least one Plan Voucher, one Special Tariff Voucher and one Combo Voucher which shall be renewable on the same date of every month and if the date of such renewal is not available in a month, the date of renewal shall be the last date of that month."
  - 3. All telecom service providers have, implemented the amendments to TTO and launched the aforesaid vouchers in consonance with above amendments. Accordingly, 30 days vouchers and vouchers renewable on same date of every month are, inter-alia, available on their website and are open for subscription. The details of Plan vouchers and associated Special Tariff Vouchers (STVs)/Combo Vouchers (CV) of TSPs are as given below:

#### (1). M/s Bharti Airtel Limited (BAL)

Plan	Voucher	of	30	days		PV
validi	ty and	as	ssoc	ciated	128	

Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	https://www.airtel.in/recharge- online?icid=header	
Plan Voucher renewal on same date every month and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	131	

## (2). M/s Bharti Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL)

Plan Voucher of PV 30 days validity 199 and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV) Plan Voucher PV renewal on same date every month and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	-https://portal2.bsnl.in/myportal/tariffs.do? PREPAID
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# (3). M/s Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL)

Plan Voucher of 30 days PV 151 validity and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV) Plan Voucher renewal on PV 97 same date every month and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	https://mtnldelhi.in/mobile/3g- prepaid.htm
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## (4). M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited (RJIL)

Plan Vo	ucher	PV
of 30		296
validity	and	
associat		
Special	Tariff	

Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV) Plan Voucher PV renewal on 25same date every month and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	
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## (5). M/s Vodafone Idea Limited (VIL)

Plan Voucher of 30 PV 137 days validity and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)  Plan Voucher renewal on same date every month and associated Special Tariff Voucher(STV) /Combo Voucher(CV)	https://www.myvi.in/prepaid/best- prepaid-plans
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- 4. Subscribers of Telecom Service Providers are hereby informed about the availability of 30 days vouchers and vouchers renewable on same date of every month. They may make use of these vouchers which were launched on demand of consumers at large.
- 5. In case of any clarification, Shri Kaushal Kishore, Pr. Advisor (F&EA) I/c, TRAI may be contacted at email id: advfea1@trai.gov.in or at Telephone Number +91 11 23230752.

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