

BUSES, MOTOR COACHES, TAXIS AND MINI BUSES

(Tariff "MC")

Effective from 1 January, 2016

1. SCOPE OF TARIFF

This tariff applies to the performance or communication to the public of musical works and sound recordings provided by means of radio/television receiving sets, disc players, tape machines and similar devices in buses, motor coaches, taxis and mini buses of Ugandan Registration.

2. GENERAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS

- 2.1** This tariff applies only to performances/communications to the public of such music covered by a license from UPRS, obtained before the performances/communications to the public commenced. Any performances/communications not so covered will be assessed at double this tariff. UPRS is not bound to offer a license under this tariff in respect of any performances/communications for which application was not made in advance.
- 2.2** This tariff applies to the performance or communication to the public of musical works or sound recordings at said premises as background music. There are specific types of performance/ communication to the public that UPRS does not classify as background music and which are licensed under separate tariffs. Apart from these exceptions, all other types of performance/ communications are classified as background music.
- 2.3** For clarity UPRS confirms that the total license fees due under this Tariff are arrived at by adding the individual charges for musical works and sound recordings together.
- 2.4** The LICENSE FEES are calculated by reference to the maximum seating capacity of each motor coach.
- 2.5** UPRS reserves the right to make such variations in this tariff as it considers appropriate when licensing premises or performances/communications which, in its opinion, do not fall within the scope of this tariff.

3. TARIFF RATES

3.1 LICENSE FEE PER ANNUM

	<u>Musical Works</u>	<u>Sound Recording</u>
3 seater (Excluding Driver)	13,500	6,750
4 to 13 seater (Excluding Driver)	38,250	19,125
14 seater (Excluding Driver)	63,000	31,500
15 to 20 seater (Excluding Driver)	78,000	39,000
21 to 30 seater (Excluding Driver)	114,750	57,375
31 to 40 seater (Excluding Driver)	159,750	79,875
40 and above seater (Excluding Driver)	247,500	123,750

4. TARIFF ADJUSTMENT

The foregoing rates of charge are related to the Official Consumer Price Index as published by the Uganda National Bureau of Statistics as for the year 2015. They are subject to a surcharge or discount of 1% in respect of every increase or decrease of 1 complete point in the weighted average figure of the aforementioned Index. Such surcharge or discount shall take effect from the sixth day of the anniversary month next following the second month in which the relevant index figure is published.

- **VALUE ADDED TAX**

Every Licensee under this tariff will pay to UPRS, in addition to the license fee due under the tariff, a sum in respect of Value Added Tax calculated at the relevant statutory rate on the annual license fee payable and UPRS shall provide a Tax Invoice in relation to the fee payable, to the Licensee.