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Corrigenda

Tender for blocks of frequencies

Questions – Answers

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1 Q&A Corrigenda

Question	Answer
Article 24d of the Telecommunications Act (TCA) mentions that the licensing authority has to authorize the transfer (including economic) of the license. Please indicate what elements the licensing authority relies on in authorizing or denying the transfer.	Within the approval framework, the licensing authority will examine the fulfilment of the licensing conditions. In particular it will verify that effective competition will not be eliminated or substantially adversely affected by the licence transfer (cf. Art. 23 of the Telecommunications Act, TCA; CC 784.10). The award procedure for licences is not to be circumvented by a licence transfer after the award. For these reasons any transfer is subject to approval.
Section 5.2, first paragraph, of the Invitation to Tender: please indicate if the submitted planning is in any way binding.	The frequencies are to be used in accordance with Art. 1 TCA to provide mobile telecommunications services in Switzerland by means of cellular "MFCN" IMT networks. In this respect, the planning submitted in the candidature procedure is not binding, provided that it fulfils the above-mentioned condition.