

Suruhanjaya Komunikasi dan Multimedia Malaysia

Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission

COMMUNICATIONS AND MULTIMEDIA ACT 1998

COMMISSION DIRECTION TO DIGITELECOMMUNICATIONS SDN. BHD. TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 136 OF THE COMMUNICATIONS AND MULTIMEDIA ACT 1998

DIRECTION NO. 1 of 2007

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 51 of the Communications and Multimedia Act 1998 [Act 588], the Commission issues the following Direction to DiGi Telecommunications Sdn. Bhd.:

Citations and commencement

1. This Direction may be cited as the Commission Direction to DiGi Telecommunications Sdn. Bhd. to comply with section 136 of the Act, Direction No. 1 of 2007 and shall come into operation on 28 August 2007.

Interpretation

2. Any term used in this Direction shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the same meaning as in the Act or the regulations made under it.

Compliance with section 136 of the Act

- 3. DiGi Telecommunications Sdn. Bhd. is directed to:
 - (a) cease making it a condition from 1 October 2007 onwards that dealers acquiring its SIM cards are also required to acquire, install and display its signboards and other promotional materials;
 - (b) cease making it a condition from 1 October 2007 onwards that dealers acquiring its SIM cards are also required not to acquire, install and display signboards and other promotional materials of its competitors;
 - (c) adhere to paragraphs (a) and (b) above in respect of -
 - (i) new dealers; and
 - (ii) existing dealers;
 - (d) revise by 28 September 2007 all existing arrangements that are inconsistent with paragraphs (a) and (b) above; and

(e) offer by 31 December 2007 to the dealers the opportunity for dealerships to be reinstated or to receive supply of its SIM cards, as the case may be, on terms and conditions that are consistent with paragraphs (a) and (b) above. In this paragraph, "dealers" refers to dealers whose dealerships have been terminated or who were otherwise denied supply of its SIM cards on the basis of conduct that is in breach of section 136 of the Act and contrary to paragraphs (a) or (b) above.

Made: 24 August 2007

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