

CLARIFICATIONS ON AMC / UPDATE / UPGRADE

In order to bring more clarity to TSPs / OEMs on the applicability of NSDTS on AMC / Update / Upgrades the following scenarios have been worked out to highlight the requirement for Approval through Trusted Telecom Portal.

Ser No	Function	Scenario	Approval Requirement
1	Software Update	Software Update: Installation of the <u>updated version of software</u> in the existing hardware <u>with no change in the feature set</u> of the system functionality.	Approval <u>Not</u> Required
2	Software Upgrade	Software Upgrade: Installation of the <u>updated version of software</u> in the existing/new hardware which can <u>change the feature and functionality of System</u> .	Approval Required
3	Software Expansion	Software Expansion: <u>Installation of additional licenses of software</u> (for capacity enhancement) in the existing hardware <u>without any addition of hardware</u> .	Approval <u>Not</u> Required
4	Hardware Update	Hardware Update: Hardware update which involves <u>no addition of new equipment but only adding cards to augment capacities of existing equipment to fully utilize the equipment already deployed</u> in the network.	Approval <u>Not</u> Required
5	Hardware Upgrade / Expansion	Hardware Upgrade/Expansion: Hardware upgrade/Expansion which need <u>addition of new equipment in the network</u> .	Approval Required

6	AMC / Services / Installation Material	Regular AMC / Services / Installation Material like antenna tower, battery.	Approval <u>Not</u> Required
7	AMC with Software Update	AMC along with installation of the <u>updated version of software</u> in the existing hardware which can <u>change the feature and functionality of System</u> .	Approval Required
8	Equipment against faulty / Breakdown equipment	Equipment required for replacement of faulty equipment or emergency replacement with similar functionalities or make, model of equipment already in the network .	Approval <u>Not</u> Required
9	Redeployment / Equipment Swap	No new hardware is being added - <u>Equipment</u> which are <u>already inducted in network</u> , gets <u>dismantled</u> from sites due to various reasons and <u>redeployed in other sites/circles</u> .	Approval <u>Not</u> Required