



GLOSSARY

In alphabetical order	Abbreviation
26 GHz and 28 GHz bands	26/28 GHz band
Amplitude Modulation	AM
Announcements in the Public Interest	API
Asia Africa Europe-1	AAE-1
Asia-America Gateway Cable System	AAG
Asia Pacific Cable Network 2	APCN-2
Asia Pacific Gateway	APG
Asia Submarine-Cable Express	ASE
Broadcasting Codes of Practice	CoPs
Broadcasting (Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance (Cap. 391)	B(MP)O
Broadcasting Ordinance (Cap. 562)	ВО
Building Management Office	ВМО
Charging Scheme for the SUF for Spectrum Assigned Administratively	SUF Charging Scheme
Chief Executive in Council	CE in C
Code of Practice for the Provision of Mobile Access Facilities in Specified Buildings for the Provision of Public Mobile Radiocommunications Services	Mobile CoP
Commerce and Economic Development Bureau	CEDB
Commercial Electronic Message	CEM
Communications Authority	The Authority
Communications Authority Ordinance (Cap. 616)	CAO
Competition Commission	Commission
Competition Ordinance (Cap. 619)	CO





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Customer Complaint Settlement Scheme	CCSS
Customs and Excise Department	C&ED
Director-General of Communications	DG Com
Domestic Free Television Programme Service	Free TV
Domestic Pay Television Programme Service	Pay TV
Do-Not-Call Register	DNC Register
Fifth Generation	5G
Fixed Network Operator	FNO
FLAG Europe Asia	FEA
FLAG North Asia Loop	FNAL
Fourth Generation	4G
Frequency Modulation	FM
Gigabits per second	Gbps
Guidelines on Implementation of Real-name Registration for SIM Cards	RNR Guidelines
Guidelines on Work near Underground Telecommunications Lines	UTL Guidelines
Hainan to Hong Kong Express	H2HE
High Definition Television	HDTV
HK Television Entertainment Company Limited	HKTVE
HKT Trust and HKT Limited	HKT
Hong Kong Commercial Broadcasting Company Limited	CRHK
Hong Kong Police Force	Police
i-CABLE HOY Limited	i-CABLE HOY

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International Mobile Telecommunications	IMT
Legislative Council	LegCo
Megabits per second	Mbps
Memorandum of Understanding	MoU
Metro Broadcast Corporation Limited	Metro
Mid-term Review of the Free TV Licences of HKTVE, i-CABLE HOY and TVB in 2023	Mid-term Review
Mobile Network Operator	MNO
Mobile Virtual Network Operator	MVNO
National Security Law	NSL
Non-domestic Television Programme Service	Non-domestic TV
Office of the Communications Authority	OFCA
Other Licensable Television Programme Service	Other Licensable TV
PCCW Media Limited	PCCW Media
Public Radiocommunications Service	PRS
Radio Base Station	RBS
Radio Television Hong Kong	RTHK
REACH North Asia Loop	RNAL
Real-name Registration Programme for SIM Cards	RNR Programme
Sea-Me-We 3	SMW3
Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development	SCED
Services-based Operator	SBO



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Sixth Generation	6G
SMS Sender Registration Scheme	Scheme
South-East Asia Japan Cable System	SJC
Special Condition	SC
Spectrum Utilization Fee	SUF
Telecommunications Ordinance (Cap. 106)	ТО
Telecommunications (Registration of SIM Cards) Regulation (Cap. 106Al)	Registration Regulation
Television Broadcasts Limited	TVB
TGN-Intra Asia Cable System	TGN-IA
Third Generation	3G
Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362)	TDO
Unified Carrier Licence	UCL
Universal Service Contribution	USC
Universal Service Obligation	USO
Universal Service Provider	USP
Unsolicited Electronic Messages Ordinance (Cap. 593)	UEMO
Wireless Internet of Things	WIoT
Working Group on Tackling Fraudulent Calls and Messages by the Telecommunications Industry	Working Group