



Ghana Music Rights Organization

A Company Limited by Guarantee – Established in 2010 Under L.I. 1962
Affiliated to the International Confederation of Societies of Authors and Composers – CISAC

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PRODUCT ACTIVATION TARIFF (Tariff "11")

Effective from 1st January 2018

1. Scope of Tariff

This tariff applies to the public performance and communication to the public of protected musical repertoire, sound recordings and music videos that falls under the control of GHAMRO through means and devices such as live music. Gramophone Records, Tape recording, Mobile disc jockeys (Spinners) for the purpose of entertainment, live music, outdoor product adverts (Product Activation) and any such use related to the sale and or promotion of products other than live concert music.

2. General Conditions

- 2.1. An applicant for a Licence under this tariff shall complete Form 11-AP and furnish the Society with such information as may be required not later than 30 days to enable it apply the due tariff to the use of music for the purpose requested in the application.
- 2.2. The information specified under paragraph 2.1 of this Tariff shall include the list of programs of outdoor services, products, duration (days, weeks, months & year) for which the music is required. In the case that the applicant fails to provide the itinerary/programs, GHAMRO reserves the right to make use of basic data provided by the industry to the extent of variations in this tariff as it considers appropriate when licensing which in the opinion of the GHAMRO relates to the use.
- 2.3. GHAMRO is not bounded to apply this Tariff for the licensing of the uses mentioned in the case the applicant is found to have used music and continue to do so without license under Section 36 of LI 1962 and reserves the right to make such variations including the charge of penalties as it deems appropriate.

3. Fees Payable

- 3.1. For the purpose of this Tariff a Flat Fee comprising the **License Fee** provided under the Ghamro Schedule of Fees and **Royalty payable** is determined by reference to the use type provided under paragraph 3.2 and 3.3 of this Tariff would be computed. In the event the applicant is unable to provide requisite information within the time limit provided under paragraph 2.1 required, the minimum rates shall apply under this Tariff.

3.2. Use Type 1 - Live Music via Mobile Trucking

Fees payable shall be calculated on 6% of either Total Expenditure or Gross Revenue. In case of a one off or an application for use of music for seasonal performances a one off flat fee of GHS 10,000 shall be charged for each such usage.

3.3. Use Type 2 - Public Performance

In the case that the performances of the musical works or sound recording other than an audiovisual is directly by means of any device where the performance can be perceived without the need for broadcasting within the meaning of the definitions of "public performance" and "communication to the public" the following tariff shall apply

a. Trucks use Activation

PRODUCT ACTIVATION ON TRUCKS			
PERIOD	Single Truck	Two Trucks	Three Trucks
1	600.00	1,000.00	1,500.00
3 – 7	2,000.00	3,000.00	3,500.00
8 – 14	3,000.00	3,500.00	4,000.00
15 – 21	3,000.00	4,000.00	4,500.00
28	4,000.00	4,500.00	5,500.00
Quarter	12,300.00	13,500.00	15,750.00
Half Year	24,600.00	27,000.00	30,750.00
250 or more	49,200.00	54,000.00	60,000.00

b. Location Use Activation

PRODUCT ACTIVATION BY PREMISES			
PERIOD	Single Premises	Two Premises	Three Premises
1	500.00	800.00	1,200.00
3 – 7	1,700.00	2,000.00	2,200.00
8 – 14	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,800.00
15 – 21	3,000.00	3,500.00	3,700.00
28 -30	3,500.00	4,000.00	4,500.00
Quarter	10,000.00	12,500.00	13,500.00
Half Year	21,000.00	24,000.00	40,750.00
250 or more	42,200.00	48,000.00	80,000.00

4. Inflation Adjustment

The minimum royalties payable under this tariff will be adjusted on the 1st of January each year on the anniversary the tariff application by the mean (to the nearest whole percentage point) of the percentages by which the Consumer Price Index has changed.

After application of the adjustment any expenditure threshold figure and the royalty rates will be rounded to the nearest ¢10. All royalties are charged at the royalty rate in force at the beginning of the licence year.

5. Tariff Duration

This Tariff is effective from 1st January, 2018 to the 1st of January, 2021 and will be subject to yearly inflation adjustment as provided under paragraph 4. On the anniversary of the approval by the Board of Director of the Ghana Music Rights Organization (GHAMRO) entire Tariff would be reviewed.

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