**Zambia (country code +260)**

Communication of 28.IX.2022:

The *Zambia Information & Communications Technology Authority (ZICTA)*, Lusaka, announces the following update to the national numbering plan of Zambia:

*Presentation of national ITU-T E.164 numbering plan for country code +260*

a) Overview:

The minimum number length (excluding the country code) is nine (9) digits.

The maximum number length (excluding the country code) is nine (9) digits.

b) Detail of numbering plan

| *NDC (national destination code) or leading digits of N(S)N (national (significant) number)* | *N(S)N number length* | | *Usage of E.164 number* | *Additional information* |
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| *Maximum length* | *Minimum length* |
| 1 | 9 | 9 | Future services | Reserved |
| 20 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services | Reserved |
| 210 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Unusable |
| 211 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Lusaka Province (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 212 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Copperbelt (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 213 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Livingstone (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 214 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Kasama (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 215 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Kabwe (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 216 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Chipata (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 217 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Solwezi (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 218 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Area code for Mongu (assigned to ZAMTEL) |
| 219 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services | Free |
| 22-29 | 9 | 9 | Geographic number for fixed telephony services (area code) | Free |
| 3 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for future services | Reserved |
| 4 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for future services | Reserved |
| 5 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for future services | Reserved |
| 60-62 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for VoIP services | Free |
| 63 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for VoIP services | Assigned to Liquid Telecom Zambia |
| 64-69 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for VoIP services | Free |
| 70-74 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile Services | Free |
| 75 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to ZAMTEL |
| 76 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to MTN |
| 77 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to Airtel |
| 78 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Free |
| 79 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Free |
| 8 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for special services (e.g. free-phone numbers, local rate numbers) | Free |
| 90 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for premium rate services | Free |
| 91-94 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Free |
| 95 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to ZAMTEL |
| 96 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to MTN |
| 97 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to Airtel |
| 98 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Assigned to Beeline Telecoms |
| 99 | 9 | 9 | Non-geographic number for mobile services | Free |

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