

# THE INDIAN PERFORMING RIGHT SOCIETY LIMITED

## TARIFF-RB: RESTAURANTS, LUNCH HOME, COFFEE SHOPS, DINNING ROOMS, CAFES, OFFICE CANTEENS, EATING HOUSES AND ALL PREMISES OF SIMILAR NATURE

### 1. SCOPE OF TARIFF

This Tariff applies to the Public Performance of Music at Restaurants, Lunch Homes, Coffee Shops, Dining Rooms, Cafes, Office Canteens, Eating Houses and all premises of similar nature by any mechanical or electronic device, including radio, television, record/CD/tape players and digital music service by way of Background Music and or performance of Live/DJ Music. (Limited and subject to all exclusions).

### 2. GENERAL CONDITIONS

This Tariff is subject to the society's General Conditions Applicable to Tariffs and Licenses.

### 3. ROYALTY/ LICENSE FEE RATES

The following Royalty/License Fee Rates shall apply:

<b>Applicable Royalty/License Fee Rate per annum for:</b>	
<b>Non-Classified Cities</b>	<b>Classified Cities*</b>
Rs. 10,000/-	Rs.20,000/-
Note: In order to promote artists and performers there shall be a standard deduction of 20% on the license fee for regular live performance (365 days) within the premises	

### 4. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- a. This Tariff Applies to the Public Performance of Music at the premises either for the staff Members or for the General Public.
- b. In order to promote artists and performers there shall be a standard deduction of 20% for regular live performance (365 days) within the premises
- c. Background music is the performance of music by recorded or mechanical means as background music.
- d. Live music means music by performers in person, whether staff or customers, vocalists or instrumentalists.
- e. Mechanical Music means music performed by any mechanical or electronic device, including radio, television, record/CD/tape players, digital music service or a loudspeaker connected to any of the equipment mentioned herein
- f. \*Classified Cities are Mumbai (MMR), Delhi (NCR), Chennai, Kolkata, Ahmedabad, Bangalore, Chandigarh, Hyderabad, Jaipur Pune, Lucknow, Amritsar, Goa, Cochin, Trivandrum.
- g. Non- Classified Cities: All other cities not defined under -classified cities.
- h. All the special days /occasions like New Year, Christmas, Holi and Valentine Day, are specifically excluded from the scope of this tariff and for all such Events / DJ/ Live Performances, a separate license is required to be obtained as per tariff LP/DJ-Event.
- i. For all DJ/Recorded music/ Live Performance / Events /Performance by third parties/ outside organizers/ within the Premises, relevant tariff LP/DJ-Event shall apply.
- j. All Royalty/license fees are payable in advance and inclusive of license fee & authors statutory royalty.

## **5. APPLICABILITY OF TARIFF**

- a.** This Tariff comes into force from the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025 and applies to all Royalties/License fee falling due on or after that date.
- b.** Non-compliant Licensees seeking to resolve and regularize past or existing infringement, violation, or breach(s) of the Society's rights and licenses or license terms (including but not limited to failure to adhere to agreement(s) terms, unauthorized use, or vexatious litigation) may be subject to a higher royalty rate [(i.e., existing tariff plus a minimum of 50% of the existing tariff ("additional fee/royalty"))], at the Society's discretion. The additional fee/royalty quantum may be assessed by the Society in its sole discretion depending on the nature and/or extent and/or duration and/or egregious nature of the (past or existing) infringement, violation, or breach(s) of the Society's rights and licenses or license terms as being higher than 50% of the existing tariff.
- c.** Royalty/License Fee rate shall be adjusted to reflect the increase, if any, in the general price level (inflation), as measured by the Consumer Price Index. Such adjustment in royalty/license fee rate can be yearly or cumulative over a period of time.
- d.** All Royalties/License fee are exclusive of all applicable GST/ taxes / levies