

S.I. 2007 No. 24

Telecommunications Act
Cap. 282B

TELECOMMUNICATIONS (NUMBERING)
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2007

The Minister in exercise of the powers conferred on her by section 110(1) of the *Telecommunications Act*, makes the following Regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the *Telecommunications (Numbering) (Amendment) Regulations, 2007*.

2. The *Telecommunications (Numbering) Regulations, 2003* are amended S.I. 2003
No. 96.

(a) in regulation 2, by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical order the following definition:

“Subscriber Identity Module (SIM)” means a device in the form of a card that is:

(a) inserted into a mobile telephone containing all the subscriber related data; and

(b) usually fitted into the Global System for Mobile Communications (GSM) and in many Personal Communications Systems’ (PCS) handsets”;

(b) adding the following regulations immediately following regulation 8:

“Permission re Digicel (Barbados) Limited.
9. Notwithstanding regulation 8, Digicel (Barbados) Limited is permitted to use the Home Networking Identity Code of Jamaica designated as 338 050 until the permission

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is revoked by notice given by the Minister and published in the *Official Gazette*.

Prohibited
Home
Network
Identity
Code.

10. No Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) cards used in mobile phones that are sold or otherwise distributed in Barbados from the 1st day of November, 2006 shall be programmed with a Home Network Identity Code that is assigned to the United States of America.

Re-
Program-
ming of
phones that
use United
States of
America
Home
Network
Identity
Codes.

11. With effect from the 1st day of July, 2009, all mobile phones in Barbados that are programmed with a Home Network Identity Code (HNI) assigned to the United States of America, shall be re-programmed with a Home Network Identity Code (HNI) assigned to Barbados or to Jamaica.”

Made by the Minister this 16th day of March, 2007.

MIA AMOR MOTTLEY
Minister responsible for Telecommunications.