



**IRISH MUSIC RIGHTS ORGANISATION CLG**

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**STANDARD TARIFF MC**

Introduced on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2016  
Effective from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023

**To be read in conjunction with the Dual Licence Contract\* and the Dual Licence General Terms\*.**

**1. SCOPE OF TARIFF**

This tariff applies to performances of copyright music within the Repertoire Controlled by IMRO in motor coaches and minibuses.

**2. DUAL COPYRIGHT MUSIC LICENCE CONTRACT**

This tariff is incorporated into and forms an integral part of the Dual Licence Contract. A breach of any term or condition of this tariff shall constitute a breach of the Dual Licence Contract. In the event of any conflict between the constituent parts of the Dual Licence Contract, the descending order of precedence shall be as follows: (i) the main body of the Dual Licence Contract; (ii) this tariff; and (iii) the Dual Licence General Terms\*.

**3. ROYALTY RATES**

The following rates apply to all Royalties falling due under this tariff between

**1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023**

**2(a)** For coaches equipped to give performances by means of radio, Record or tape player\*, television, video monitor, or any combination of these: -

Charge for performances	Higher Royalty rate €	Standard Royalty rate €
(i) Coach with more than 20 seats	164.49	109.71
(ii) Coach with between 10 and 20 seats	109.71	73.08
(iii) Coach or minibus with 9 seats of less	73.08	48.73

\* See Definitions

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The minimum annual Royalty under this tariff is €85.44

#### 4. HIGHER AND STANDARD ROYALTY RATES

- (i) All performances in the first Licence Year\* will be charged at the Higher Royalty rate unless the user applies in writing for a licence before the music is performed.
- (ii) Any performances not declared are unauthorised and constitute **an infringement of copyright** and will be charged as unlicensed performances at the Higher Royalty Rate.
- (iii) Standard Royalty rates shall apply after the first Licence Year only if there is a valid Dual Licence Contract in place between IMRO and the Licensee.

#### 5. INFLATION ADJUSTMENT

The forgoing Royalty rates are related to the Consumer Price Index of Retail Prices for mid-October 2022 (on the November 1996 base) as published in the Irish Statistical Bulletin, and will be adjusted on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024 and on each subsequent anniversary of that date in proportion to annual changes in that Index.

#### 6. DEFINITIONS

Capitalised terms used but not defined in this tariff shall have the meaning set forth in the Dual Licence Contract.

“**Dual Licence Contract**” means the Dual Copyright Music Licence Contract between the Licensee, IMRO and PPI.

“**Dual Licence General Terms**” means the General Terms and Conditions Applicable to the Dual Copyright Music Licence Contract and Related IMRO and PPI Tariffs.

“**IMRO**” means the Irish Music Rights Organisation CLG.

“**Licence Year**” means the first and each recurring 12 consecutive month period.

“**Record or tape player**” means any gramophone, tape or cassette player, CD player, or other mechanical contrivance for playing of music works. It does not include contrivances such as jukeboxes, capable of being operated by the insertion of a coin or token.

#### 7. VALUE ADDED TAX

Every Licensee under this tariff shall pay to the Irish Music Rights Organisation CLG, in addition to the Royalty due under this tariff, a sum in respect of Value Added Tax calculated at the relevant rate on the Royalty payable.