

STANDARD TARIFF AV
For Hi-Fi Shops, Showrooms
Effective 7th October 2004

1. SCOPE OF TARIFF

- 1.1 This tariff applies to performances of copyright music and lyrics within the Society's repertoire at retail shops and showrooms for the demonstration of musical instruments, hi-fi or other audio-visual equipment. In the case of a department store or an emporium, this tariff only applies to that part of the premises where such performance is audible.
- 1.2 This tariff does not apply to performances given in connection with, or forming part of entertainments or other events comprising dancing of other sorts of live performance, nor does it apply to performances by means of any contrivances operated by coins or for which there is an admission charge.

2. GENERAL CONDITIONS

This tariff is subject to the Society's General Conditions Applicable to Tariffs and Licences, a copy of which is available on request.

3. ROYALTY RATES

- 3.1 All royalties are charged at the royalty rate in force at the beginning of the Licence Year, and are payable in advance of the Licence Year.
- 3.2 The royalty rates payable under this tariff for a Licence Year or part thereof are as follows:

<u>Floor Area</u>	<u>Annual Royalty</u>
Not exceeding 200 sq.ft.	\$830
201 sq.ft. up to 500 sq.ft.	\$1,106
501 sq.ft. up to 1,000 sq.ft.	\$1,659
From 1,001 up to 2,000 sq.ft., for each additional 250 sq.ft. (or part thereof)	\$397
From 2,001 up to 5,000 sq.ft., for each additional 500 sq.ft. (or part thereof)	\$684
Thereafter, for each additional 1,000 sq.ft. (or part thereof)	\$903

- 3.3 Index Adjustment:

The foregoing royalty rates are related to the base figure of **103.3** (2004/2005-based) of the Consumer Price Index B published by the Census and Statistics Department for **January 2002** and are subject to adjustment in proportion to changes in that index figure for the month three months preceding the date upon which the annual royalty falls due for payment in respect of the year for which the revised annual royalty is calculated.

4. DEFINITION

For the purposes of this tariff:-

- 4.1 "Society's Repertoire" means all or any musical works and literary works which are lyrics to musical works, of which the rights of public performance are or may be controlled by the Society or by any societies in other countries with which the Society is affiliated from time to time.

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- 4.2** “Licence Year” means a consecutive period of twelve calendar months commencing on the first day of a month in which the licence incorporating this tariff is executed.
- 4.3** “Floor Area” means the area measured from wall to wall of the whole of that part of the premises to which the public are admitted and in which the music is audible.

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