

**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**  
**NO. 04-89**

**SUBJECT: REVISED SCHEDULE OF ADMINISTRATIVE SANCTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF RADIO LAWS RULES AND REGULATIONS.**

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Pursuant to Act 3846, as amended, Executive Order No. 546 and other existing laws, rules and regulations, and the power of the National Telecommunications Commission to supervise and inspect the operation of radio stations and telecommunications facilities, the following administrative sanctions are hereby prescribed:

**I. FOR ILLEGAL POSSESSION, INSTALLATION/CONSTRUCTION, AND/OR OPERATION ,**

For Individual

For illegal purchase/possession of radio transmitter/transceiver (per unit) P 1,000.00 with forfeiture of equipment

For illegal installation/construction (per station)

- a. with permit to purchase/possess P 2, 000.00
- b. without permit to purchase/possess and construct P 2,000.00 with forfeiture of equipment
- c. allowing the operation with an unlicensed operator (station covered with an appropriate permits/license) P 1,000.00
- d. operation with an unlicensed operator (station not covered by appropriate permits/licenses) P 2,000.00 with forfeiture of equipment
- e. use of unauthorized frequency (station covered by appropriate permits/licenses) P 1,500.00
- f. use of unauthorized frequency (station not covered by appropriate permits and license) P 2,000.00 with forfeiture of equipment

**II. VIOLATION OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF A RADIO CONSTRUCTION OR LICENSE:**

- a. operating beyond the authorized working hours



1.	For Individual	P 2,000.00
2.	For Company, Association, or Corporation	P 3,500.00
b.	allowing operation by an operator with inappropriate license	
1.	For Individual	P 1,000.00
2.	For Company, Association or Corporation	P 3,000.00
c.	excessive calling (for maritime station only)	P 2,500.00
d.	unauthorized equipment	
1.	For Individual	P 2,000.00
2.	For Company, Association or Corporation	P 3,500.00
e.	unauthorized power	
1.	For Individual	P 2,000.00
2.	For Company, Association or Corporation	P 3,500.00
f.	unauthorized emission	P 3,500.00
<b>III.</b>	<b>OPERATING A RADIO TRAINING SCHOOL WITHOUT A CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION FROM THE NTC</b>	
	Other violation relative to its operations as a Radio Training School	P 2,000.00
<b>IV.</b>	<b>FOR FAILURE TO INSTALL APPROPRIATE RADIO FACILITIES AS REQUIRED</b>	P 3,000.00
<b>V.</b>	<b>ILLEGAL SALE (per unit)</b>	
a.	sale by an authorized dealer to a non-authorized person/entity	P 2,000.00
b.	unauthorized dealer	P 2,000.00
		with for feiture of equipment
<b>VI.</b>	<b>FOR OTHER VIOLATION (per count)</b>	P 2,000.00
	For Company Association, or Corporation	



For illegal purchase/possession of radio transmitter/ Transceiver (per unit)	P 2,500.00
For illegal installation/construction (per station)	
a. with permit to purchase/possess and construct	P 3,000.00
b. without permit to purchase/possess and construct	P 4,000.00 with for feiture of equipment
c. allowing operation with an unlicensed operator (station covered with an appropriate permits/license)	P 4,000.00
d. operating with an unlicensed operator (station not covered by appropriate permits/licensed)	P 5,000.00 with for feiture of equipment
e. use of unauthorized frequency (station covered by appropriate permits and licenses)	P 4,000.00
f. use of unauthorized frequency (station not covered by appropriate permits and licenses)	P 5,000.00 with for feiture of equipment
g. no logbook (per station)	P 500.00

Notwithstanding the above, the Commissioner (s) may increase or decrease the above schedule of fines or may declare the confiscation and forfeiture of the equipment; suspend or revoke any permit or license in the interest of public welfare, safety, security or whenever warranted by attendant facts and circumstances.

This Circular may be revised, revoked or amended as the need arises: and shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in the Official Gazette.

Quezon City, Philippines, 05 April 1989.

**JOSE LUIS A. ALCUAZ**  
Commissioner

