

# Telephone Apparatus and Charges



PREFACE  
SHEET  
DLE 1

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## **SPECIAL NOTES REFERRING ONLY TO THIS LEAFLET**

- 1** The charges shown are intended to be a simple guide and not a comprehensive list.
- 2** Exchange line charges are not included; these are given in leaflet General Information DLX 1.
- 3** The connexion charges shown are maxima; in most cases when more than one item is ordered at the same time, these charges are reduced.
- 4** The rental terms shown for apparatus include maintenance.
- 5** When meters in subscribers' premises are arranged to be switched to more than one exchange line, additional charges are made according to requirements.
- 6** When the item is provided on existing installations, a change of instrument charge of £1 10s. is made.
- 7** If the Post Office decides that the most suitable way of helping a handicapped person is by the provision of the item, no charge is made.
- 8** When two or more devices giving a continuous audible signal are provided on the same circuit, all except the first are charged at the lower rate shown for devices giving an intermittently interrupted audible signal.
- 9** The charges for these arrangements are specially assessed.
- 10** These items are normally provided by the customer.

LEAFLET NUMBER	SERVICE OR APPARATUS PROVIDED	CONNEXION CHARGE			QUARTERLY RENTAL		
		£	s	d	£	s	d
<b>DLE 510</b>	<b>Loudspeaking telephone 1</b> (A telephone with loudspeaker, and dialling unit containing a microphone, which allows both hands to be free during use). Special telephone and control unit.	2	0	0	2	0	0
<b>DLE 511</b>	<b>Loudspeaking telephone 3</b> (Specially designed for such places as laboratories; contained in three sealed units which may be washed down. Push-button control; hands free during use). Loudspeaker, microphone and control unit, and amplifier unit.	2	0	0	3	10	0
<b>DLE 520</b>	<b>Answering Set 1</b> (Used to answer calls when a telephone is unattended; a message recorded by the subscriber is 'played-back' to a caller). Answering set.	2	0	0	8	0	0

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<b>DLE 530</b>	<b>Pay-on-answer Coin-box</b> (Used on exclusive lines in STD areas. Enables a call to be paid for as it is made; useful for small hotels and boarding houses). Coin box.	4	0	0	1	0	0
<b>DLE 540</b>	<b>Subscribers' metering facilities</b> (A range of meters that can be associated with exclusive lines in STD areas; enables subscribers to know the number of STD units actually debited on calls). CLOCK-TYPE METERS Each meter	—			1	0	0
	CYCLOMETER-TYPE METERS One total meter provided separately	2	0	0	1	0	0
	One trip meter provided separately	2	0	0	1	0	0
	Total and trip meters, provided together	2	0	0	1	0	0
	Switching of meters to more than one line	—			(see note 5)		
<b>DLE 550</b>	<b>Help for the Handicapped</b> <b>Amplifying Telephone Handset</b> (A special handset for the modern telephone which amplifies incoming speech; the earpiece contains a volume-control). Special handset containing transistorised amplifier.	(see note 6)			10	0	
	<b>Faint-speech Amplifier</b> (Specially designed to help a person with a weak voice. A modern press-button telephone is used to connect the amplifier when required). Special telephone and transistorised amplifier	2	0	0	1	0	0
	<b>Sender 1</b> (Can be used, in certain circumstances, to help anyone who is unable to use a telephone dial. A button is pressed to call the PO operator).  continued overleaf	(see note 7)			(see note 7)		

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<b>DLE 550</b> continued	<b>Marked dial for blind persons</b> (A special dial marked on the outside edge against the figures four and seven).	(see note 7)			(see note 7)		
	<b>Modifications to switchboards, for blind operators</b> (Special modifications agreed between the Post Office, the National Institute for the Blind, and St. Dunstan's; enable a blind person to operate a switchboard).	(see note 7)			(see note 7)		
<b>DLE 570</b>	<b>Telephone-call signalling devices</b> (A range of devices used to extend the audible signal given by a telephone, and to provide visible signals).						
	AUDIBLE SIGNALS; REGULARLY INTERRUPTED SOUND						
	Buzzer	—			1	6	
	Bell with two 2½" gongs (both types)	—			1	6	
	Bell with two 'cow' gongs	—			2	3	
	Bell with two 4" gongs	—			3	0	
	Bell with two 6" gongs	—			3	0	
	AUDIBLE SIGNALS; INTERMITTENTLY INTERRUPTED SOUND						
	Buzzer	—			3	0	
	Bell with one 2½" gong	—			3	0	
	Bell with one 4" gong	—			3	9	
	Bell with one 6" gong—mains-powered	—			6	0	
	Bell with one 10" gong—mains-powered	—			7	6	
	Hooter—mains-powered	—			9	0	
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<b>DLE 570</b> continued	AUDIBLE SIGNALS; CONTINUOUS SOUND				(see note 8)		
	Buzzer	—			4	6	
	Bell with one 2½" gong	—			4	6	
	Bell with one 4" gong	—			6	0	
	Bell with one 6" gong—mains-powered	—			9	0	
	Bell with one 10" gong—mains-powered	—			10	6	
	VISIBLE SIGNALS; FLASHING LIGHT						
	Modern telephone handset with inset neon lamp	(see note 6)			5	0	
	Low-voltage lamp, either attached to ordinary telephone or mounted separately	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
	Mains-voltage lamp, separate from telephone						
	Relay and other Post Office equipment	—			6	0	
	Lamp, socket and wiring (see note 10) when not provided by the customer	—			1	6	
	VISIBLE SIGNALS; CONTINUOUS LIGHT						
	Modern telephone handset with inset neon lamp	(see note 6)			5	0	
	Low-voltage lamp, either attached to ordinary telephone or mounted separately	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
	Mains-voltage lamp, separate from telephone						
	Relay and other Post Office equipment						
	When lamp is cut off by pressing a button	—			6	0	
	When lamp is cut off by lifting telephone handset	—			11	3	
	Lamp, socket and wiring (see note 10) when not provided by the customer	—			1	6	

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<b>DLE 580</b>	<b>Telephone Order and Enquiry Suites</b> (Compact key and lamp units which enable a large number of incoming calls to be handled in the shortest possible time by a group of people; very useful for busy groups of lines to particular sections of an organisation). Each single unit	5	0	0	2	10	0
	Each pair of units, arranged as a single group	8	0	0	4	0	0
	Each set of 3 units, arranged as a single group	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
	<b>AUXILIARY APPARATUS UNITS:</b>						
	For 1-5 lines	5	0	0	2	10	0
	For 6-10 lines	8	0	0	4	0	0
	For 11-15 lines	10	0	0	5	0	0
	For 16-20 lines	12	0	0	6	0	0
	For more than 20 lines	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
<b>DLE 581</b>	<b>Telephone Broadcast Suites</b> (Compact key and lamp units which can be arranged in groups for broadcasting information simultaneously to several lines). Each single unit	5	0	0	2	10	0
	Each pair of units, arranged as a single group	8	0	0	4	0	0
	Each set of 3 units, arranged as a single group	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
	<b>AUXILIARY APPARATUS UNITS:</b>						
	For 1-5 lines	5	0	0	2	10	0
	For 6-10 lines	8	0	0	4	0	0
	For 11-15 lines	10	0	0	5	0	0
	For 16-20 lines	12	0	0	6	0	0
	For more than 20 lines	(see note 9)			(see note 9)		
	Amplifier	2	0	0	5	0	0

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