

## Part B

### Category 33(L) Miscellaneous Tariff - Event

1. This residuary miscellaneous category has been introduced for the on-ground usage during the events to address situations where the usage of copyrighted sound recordings falls outside the scope of existing predefined categories. Recognising that various types of events and circumstances may arise, it is essential to allow PPL India the flexibility to issue licenses at negotiated fees when the usage cannot be adequately covered under the existing categories. The parameters to decide the Licence Fees may include, but are not limited to, the following:

**1.1 Type of Event:** PPL India reserves the right to consider the type and nature of the event for which the copyrighted sound recordings will be used. Different events may carry different considerations in determining the appropriate licensing fee.

**1.2 Event Size and Attendance:** PPL India may take into account the size of the event and the expected attendance, as these factors may impact the extent of exposure of the copyrighted music.

**1.3 Duration of Use:** The fees may vary depending on the length of time the copyrighted sound recordings are used during the event. Longer durations may warrant different fee structures.

**1.4 Territory and Geographic Scope:** The licensing agency may consider the geographical area and territory in which the event will take place, as this may affect the reach and impact of the music usage.

**1.5 Frequency of Use:** If the organizers plan to use the copyrighted music in multiple events or for repeated performances, the licensing agency may assess fees accordingly.

**1.6 Special Performances:** For specific performances or segments within the event that involve prominent use of the copyrighted sound recordings, the licensing agency may apply separate fees.

2. Licence Fee shall be calculated at following rate.

**PPL has the right to charge a Flat fee as per the Usage.**

3. The above licence fee does not include Background Music Licence for the commercial properties (e.g. Hotels, restaurants, bars, lounges, clubs etc.), where such shows / functions would have been physically conducted on ground. For such background usage, separate Licence need to be taken as per respective tariffs applicable for the relevant Background Music Licence category.

4. Due to a significant increase in membership and content, with PPL now managing over 7 million+ sound recordings (a 100% increase in the past four years), an adjustment in tariffs was found necessary. The revised fees ensure fair compensation for the expanded repertoire, while still offering very reasonable rates for access to PPL's vast and diverse music library.

5. The revised tariffs are partially designed to support PPL's members in fulfilling their financial obligations to ISAMRA ensuring that PPL's members can continue to pay ISAMRA for Performers' Rights, thereby preventing any additional fees or legal actions against PPL's licensees by ISAMRA. This tariff adjustment is solely for the financial support of PPL's members and does not constitute a charge for the exploitation of ISAMRA's rights.

## 6. General Terms

**6.1** This tariff category is subject to the general rules and guidelines set forth in the Preamble of the Tariff Scheme, which must be followed meticulously. The licensee is advised to carefully review the Preamble and ensure compliance with its provisions at all times while availing the rates prescribed under this tariff category.

**6.2** This tariff is applicable to the Public Performance of Music by way of recorded music, by any means at venues / premises, which are not covered under existing PPL tariff categories.

**6.3** The above tariff is based on the declarations made by Licensees about the usage of the copyrighted sound recordings controlled by PPL India. These declarations have been adopted in good faith which if found incorrect, shall invite recovery of additional fees towards damages.

**6.4** Non-Compliant Licensees who seek to regularize past infringements/violations/breach of PPL India's rights and licences (including noncompliance with agreements, usage without clearance, litigations etc.) additional fees towards damages over the existing Tariff shall be applied at the discretion of the company.

**7. The above Tariff comes into force from 01st September, 2023.**