



UPDATED 2025 LICENSING ROUND SCHEDULE/TIMETABLE

S/N	Description of Activities	Start Date	End Date
1	Announcement/ Advertisement/ Portal Launch	17 November 2025	1 December 2025
1.1	Announcement of Licensing Round	11 November 2025	11 November 2025
1.2	Advertisement	24 November 2025	28 November 2025
1.3	Launch of Bid Portal	1 December 2025	1 December 2025
2	Registration/Roadshow/ Prequalification	1 December 2025	16 March 2026
2.1	Opening of Registration	1 December 2025	1 December 2025
2.2	Pre-Bid Conference	14 January 2026	14 January 2026
2.3	Roadshow	26 January 2026	13 February 2026
2.4	Closing of Registration	27 February 2026	27 February 2026
2.5	Evaluation of Registration Documents	2 March 2026	12 March 2026
2.6	Notification of Pre-qualified Applicants	16 March 2026	16 March 2026
3	Technical and Commercial Bid	17 March 2026	17 July 2026
3.1	Data Access/ Data Purchase/Evaluation/Bid Preparation and Submission	17 March 2026	12 June 2026
3.2	Technical Bid Evaluation	15 June 2026	26 June 2026
3.3	Notification of Qualified Companies for Commercial Bid	3 July 2026	3 July 2026
3.4	Commercial Bid Conference	16 July 2026	16 July 2026
3.5	Notification of Winning/Reserve Bidder	17 July 2026	17 July 2026
4	Ministerial Approval / Contracting/Award	20 July 2026	16 October 2026