



# TRAI's Updated Regulations on Mobile Number Portability

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The [Telecom Regulatory Authority of India \(TRAI\)](#) has implemented new regulations aimed at curbing fraudulent practices related to [mobile number portability \(MNP\)](#).

- According to the updated rules, subscribers who have recently **replaced their SIM cards due to loss or damage** within the past 7 days will **not be allowed to port out** to a different network provider.
- This restriction is enforced **to prevent fraudsters from exploiting the system** by swapping SIM cards and immediately attempting to change providers using the mobile number porting process.
- Previous measures taken by the TRAI include establishing a **do-not-disturb registry for spam opt-outs** and mandating businesses to adhere to specific formats for transactional SMS messages.
- TRAI is also exploring options like **displaying registered caller names and enhancing KYC processes for porting**, taking into account the requirements of minors and dependents.

**Read more:** [Telecom Regulatory Authority of India](#)

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