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# Cost Recovery

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# Current Approach

- Application fees and annual licence charges are specified
- The basis for the dollar amount goes back to the year 2000
- Changes to the dollar amount occur periodically (indexed to inflation)



# Who Pays What?

- The current arrangement may be thought of as “a la carte”
- The 3 biggest licence holders pay 80% of the \$4 million in annual revenue
- ARPANSA is moving toward a simple and more transparent approach



# ARPANSA will strive for

- Full cost recovery
- Efficiency
- Transparency and clarity
- Costs based on resources committed
- Equitable approach



# Long Term Plan

- Expect changes beginning in July 2016
- International practice will be evaluated and considered
- Preferred approach to be reflected in changes to regulations in 2019



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# THANK YOU

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