

# **E3-E4 CFA TECHNICAL**

## **IPTAX in BSNL**

# WELCOME

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- This is a presentation for the E3-E4 CFA TECHNICAL Module for the Topic: IPTAX IN BSNL.
- Eligibility: Those who have got the Upgradation from E3 to E4.
- This presentation is last updated on 15-3-2011.
- You can also visit the Digital library of BSNL to see this topic.

# AGENDA

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- Introduction
- What is IP TAX?
- IP TAX In BSNL

# INTRODUCTION

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**“IP TAX is the first step towards the Evolution of Current Generation Network to Next generation Network”.**

# What is IP TAX?

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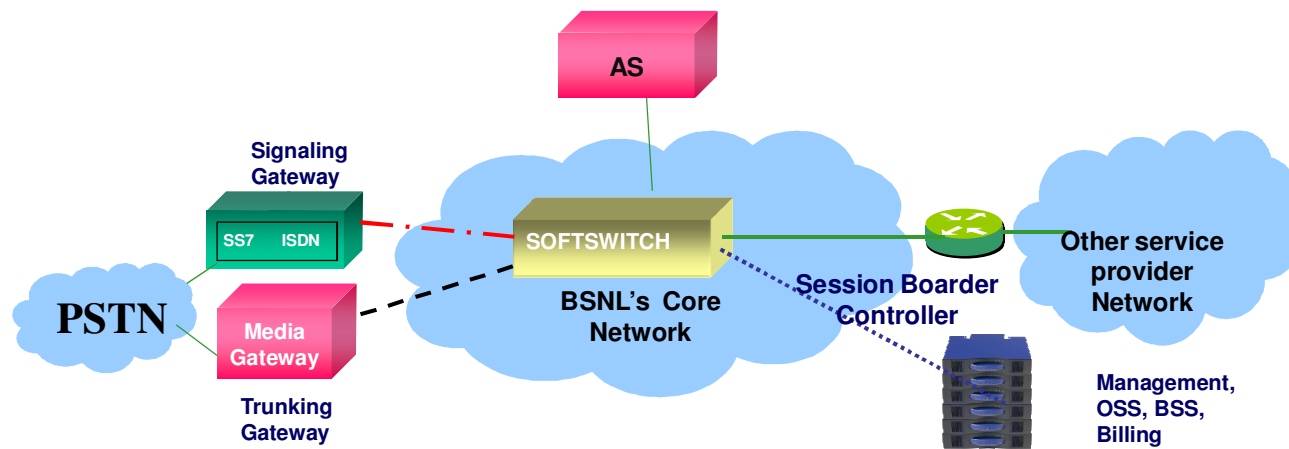
IP TAX is the replacement of existing Level–1/Lev-II TAX exchanges to IP based network (Packet switching network) and rest all the network still remaining circuit switched network.

# Existing Scenario

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Presently IP TAX will be installed in parallel to the Level-I/Lev-II TAX and then it will replace circuit switched TAX completely with IP TAX. And it comes under class4 NGN.

# IP TAX Architecture



For internal circulation of BSNL only

# IP TAX IN BSNL

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Basic elements are:

- Softswitch
- Signalling Gateway
- Trunk Media Gateway



# Functions of softswitch

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- Based upon Open Architecture
- Provide all existing services available in TDM network
- Performs Media Gateway Control Function

# Functions of soft switch

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- Performs Call control, signalling and interworking, Traffic measurement and recording functions
- Provides Addressing, Analysis, routing and charging facilities
- Interacts with Application Server to supply services not hosted on Softswitch

# Functions of Signaling Gateway

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- Provides interworking function between SS7 network and IP network
- This involves providing various types of User Adaptations so that the SS7 signalling can be terminated in SGW and can be translated and messages transported over IP Network

# Functions of Trunk Gateway

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- Voice encoding & Compression
- Packetization of voice channels
- CNF (Comfort Noise Generation)
- VAD (Voice Activity Detection)
- Echo Cancellation

# Functions of Announcement Server

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- Announcement server performs the function of giving the announcements as per requirements in the network

# IP TAX In BSNL

- In BSNL there was an initial plan of 200K IPTAX pilot project.
- Out of this 200K capacity only 40K at New Delhi and 16 K at Chennai was installed. The equipment was supplied by M/s ZTE through M/s SOTL.
- Both of these sites were validation sites.
- After this a big project of 6476 K IPTAX lines project was planned by BSNL.

# IP TAX In BSNL

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- In this new project the L1 bidder is again M/s ZTE.
- Till date only 2212 K capacity of IPTAX equipment has been supplied and installed in BSNL at about 119 locations.
- NMS has been installed at Chennai with FCAPS (Fault, Configuration, Accounting, Performance, Security) capabilities.

# IP TAX In BSNL

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- In this project no separate NTP server is being used in IP TAX, the existing NTP server of our data network will be used for synchronization.
- In BSNL stand alone Signalling gateways will not be purchased, the available SSTP network will be used as Signalling gateways.



# Protocols used

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- Between Softswitch and media gateway – H.248/MGCP
- Between two Softswitches - SIP(T) or BICC
- Between Softswitch and Signalling gateway - Sigtran suite of protocols.

# Protocols used

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- Between Softswitch and Application server- sip, parley etc.
- Between two media gateways for actual packet transfer- RTP/RTCP

