

**Table 10.9 : INTERNATIONAL AND NATIONAL COMMUNICATION, 1988 - 2015**

(' 000 mins)

Year	International Telephone calls	National Telephone calls				Mobile calls
		Total	Local	Inter-zone	Fixed-->Mobile	
1988	928	Na	Na	Na		Na
1989	1,358	Na	Na	Na		Na
1990	1,491	Na	Na	Na		Na
1991	1,888	<b>68,840</b>	56,923	11,917		Na
1992	2,296	<b>89,078</b>	71,495	17,583		Na
1993	2,547	<b>93,674</b>	75,153	18,521		Na
1994	3,014	<b>107,866</b>	83,221	24,645		Na
1995	3,785	<b>134,699</b>	105,539	29,160		Na
1996	4,688	<b>131,818</b>	98,045	33,773		Na
1997	5,207	<b>161,215</b>	113,312	47,903		1,376
1998	5,991	<b>191,741</b>	129,203	62,538		6,927
1999	6,651	<b>213,958</b>	137,117	76,841		8,330
2000	7,173	<b>225,889</b>	144,228	81,661		35,603
2001	7,862	275,984	142,170	80,169	32,096	21,549
2002	7,016	260,019	112,934	64,544	47,407	35,134
2003	7,170	234,806	82,384	54,541	64,140	33,741
2004	7,870	251,561	65,395	43,874	81,800	60,492
2005	8,908	287,411	43,247	21,527	86,381	136,256
2006	12,037	339,599	30,054	14,031	79,196	216,318
2007	26,991	342,564	25,575	11,883	85,267	219,839
2008	120,906	1,064,405	19,617	10,334	65,173	969,281
2009	140,386	1,251,676	18,007	9,021	59,277	1,165,371
2010	135,384	1,319,019	16,757	8,248	52,498	1,241,516
2011	108,744	75,974	15,481	9,447	51,046	1,094,741
2012	211,865	69,830	12,499	7,788	49,543	1,468,840
2013	249,201	66,557	11,699	7,217	47,641	1,571,320
2014	265,736	41,974	7,399	4,684	29,891	1,687,209
2015	227,781	59,161	10,072	6,054	43,034	1,608,503

*Local calls: calls within the same zone, excluding mobile calls*

*Inter-zone calls: calls between zones within the national boundary, excluding mobile calls*

*International calls: International calls from fixed lines and mobiles*

*Mobile calls: Includes calls from mobile to mobile, mobile to fixed line to mobile*

*Note: Mobile phone services was introduced to Maldives in October 1997*