



FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
FCC FOREIGN CARRIER AFFILIATIONS NOTIFICATION

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CARRIER INFORMATION

CONFIDENTIALITY: Carriers filing foreign carrier affiliation notifications pursuant to Section 63.11 (a) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R §63.11(a), and requesting confidential treatment for the first twenty days pursuant to Sections 63.11(i) and 0.459 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§63.11(i) and 0.459, should not file this form electronically, but instead, should file this form and the required attachments manually. Please send the manual submission to:

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Room TW-B204F  
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REMINDER: Carriers filing foreign carrier affiliation notifications are reminded to review the requirements in Section 63.11 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.11. See FACT SHEET

**Note: Use only standard punctuation. Please do not use special characters - such as ';' - in any of the fields below!**

Enter a description of this notification to identify it on the main menu:

IPC Japan Foreign Carrier Affiliation Notice

1. Carrier	
Name: IPC Systems, Inc.	Phone Number: 212-858-7966
DBA Name:	Fax Number:
Street: 88 Pine Street	E-Mail:
City: New York	State: NY
Country: USA	Zipcode: 10005 -
Attention: Mr John McSherry	
2. Contact	
Name: Thomas M. Lynch	Phone Number: 410 349 4990
Company:	Fax Number:

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City:	Annapolis	State:	MD
Country:	USA	Zipcode:	21401 -
Attention:		Relationship:	Legal Counsel

3. Place of Incorporation of Carrier Delaware

4. Other Company(ies) and Place(s) of Incorporation  
IPC Network Services Japan KK, a Japanese corporation

5. Country or Countries for which carrier is notifying the Commission of an affiliation. Japan

6. Is there an accompanying Transfer of Control or Assignment Application pursuant to Section 63.18(e)(3) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.18(e)(3), to this foreign carrier affiliation notification?  Yes  No

7. If the answer to question 6 is yes, please provide the date of filing of the Transfer of Control or Assignment Application.

8. Is this foreign carrier affiliation notification being filed as a prior notification pursuant to Section 63.11(a) or as a post notification pursuant to Section 63.11(b)-(c)?  Prior  Post

9. If this foreign carrier affiliation notification is being filed as a prior notification pursuant to Section 63.11(a)(1) or (2) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§63.11(a)(1) or (2), is this filing being made at least forty-five days prior to the consummation of the acquisition? If the answer to this question is no, include in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) a statement explaining the reason for non-compliance with the Section 63.11(a) filing requirement.  Yes  No  N/A

10. If this foreign carrier affiliation notification is being filed as a post notification pursuant to Section 63.11(b)-(c) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.11(b)-(c), is this filing being made within thirty days after consummation of the acquisition? If the answer to this question is no, include in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) a statement explaining the reason for non-compliance with the Section 63.11(c) filing requirement.  Yes  No  N/A

11. If the foreign carrier affiliation notification is being filed as a post notification pursuant to Section 63.11(c) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.11(c), are you relying upon an exception in Section 63.11(b)?  Yes  No  N/A

12. If the answer to question 11 is yes, please certify to one or more of the following questions as applicable for each carrier and destination market for which notification is being made (see Section 63.11(b)):

- Has the Commission previously determined in an adjudication that the foreign carrier(s) lacks market power in any destination market being notified in this filing? If the answer is yes, please provide the citation(s) to the decision(s) in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below).  Yes  No  N/A
- Does the foreign carrier(s) own facilities in any destination market(s) being notified in this filing (see Section 63.11(b)(1)(ii) for a definition of "facilities")? If the answer is yes, please specify the carrier(s) and destination market(s) being notified in this filing in an attachment (use Attachment 1 below).  Yes  No  N/A
- Is the foreign carrier authorized to operate in a WTO Member?
  - If the foreign carrier is authorized to operate in a WTO Member, is the authorized carrier making this filing demonstrating that it

is entitled to retain non-dominant classification on the newly affiliated route pursuant to Section 63.10 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.10? If so, please provide the necessary demonstration in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below).  Yes  No  N/A

2. If the foreign carrier is authorized to operate in a WTO Member, is the authorized carrier agreeing to comply with the dominant carrier safeguards contained in Section 63.10 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.10, effective upon the acquisition of the affiliation?  Yes  No Undefined field (dominant\_carrier\_safeguards\_sw:3)

13. If the foreign carrier affiliation notification is being filed as a prior notification pursuant to Section 63.11(a) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.11(a), is the foreign carrier authorized to operate in a non-WTO Member country?  Yes  No  N/A

14. If the answer to question 13 is yes, is the authorized carrier making the required showing that the foreign carrier lacks market power in the non-WTO Member country (see Section 63.18(k)(2), 47 C.F.R. §63.18(k)(2)) or, alternatively, the Effective Competitive Opportunities showing specified in Section 63.18(k)(3) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.18(k)(3)? If yes, please provide the supporting information in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below).  Yes  No  N/A

15. If the answer to question 13 is yes and the answer to question 14 is no, you may provide information in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) to demonstrate it continues to serve the public interest for you to operate on the route for which you propose to acquire an affiliation with the non-WTO foreign carrier. (See Section 63.11(g)(2)).

16. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, does the authorized carrier request continued regulation as a non-dominant international carrier pursuant to Section 63.10 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.10? If yes, include an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) stating how the carrier qualifies for non-dominant classification pursuant to this section.  Yes  No

17. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, provide in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) the name of the newly affiliated foreign carrier(s) and the country or countries in which it is authorized to provide telecommunications services to the public.

18. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, state in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) what services the authorized carrier(s) making this filing is authorized to provide to each country named in response to question 17 and the FCC file numbers under which each such authorization was granted.

19. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, state in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) which, if any, of the countries the authorized carrier making this filing serves solely through the resale of international switched services of unaffiliated U.S. facilities-based carriers.

20. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, provide in an Attachment (use Attachment 1 below) the name, address, citizenship and principal business of any person or entity that directly or indirectly owns at least ten percent of the equity of the authorized carrier making this filing, and the percentage of equity owned by each of those entities to the nearest one percent.

21. Regardless of whether the foreign carrier affiliation notification is filed as a prior or post notification, provide the name of any interlocking directorates, as defined in Section 63.09(g) of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.09(g), with each foreign carrier named in the notification.

22. By checking Yes, the carrier certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier with respect to any U.S. international route where the foreign carrier possesses market power on the foreign end of the route.  Yes  No

23. By checking Yes, the carrier certifies that it shall maintain the continuing accuracy of information provided pursuant to Section 63.11 of the Rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.11, for a period of forty-five days after the filing of this form. In addition, the applicant certifies that it shall immediately inform the Commission if at any time, not limited to forty-five days, the representations in the "special concessions" certification referenced in question 22 are no longer accurate.  Yes  No

**CERTIFICATION**

24. Typed Name of Person Signing John McSherry		25. Title of Person Signing VP and General Counsel	
<b>WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND / OR IMPRISONMENT</b> <b>(U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION</b> <b>(U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503).</b>			
26. 1:	Attachment 1	2:	Attachment
3:	Attachment		

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**Attachment 1**  
**IPC Systems, Inc.**

Question 10.

IPC Systems, Inc. (“IPC”) owns 100% of Gains Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation, which owns 100% of IPC Network Services, Inc., a New York corporation, which owns 100% of IPC Network Services Japan KK, a Japanese corporation (“IPC Japan”).

IPC Japan was formed on February 28, 2007, and obtained a license to provide telecommunications services in Japan on March 3, 2007.

In preparation for filing the transfer of control application in Docket DA 07-1714, filed April 6, 2007, IPC discovered it had not reported the foreign carrier affiliation with IPC Japan that had occurred a month earlier. Accordingly, IPC provided all the required information under Section 63.11 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.11, pertaining to its affiliation with IPC Japan in its application in Docket DA 07-1714 and is filing this notification to comply with the Commission’s Rules and complete the online record.

Question 16.

IPC certifies it is entitled to retain non-dominant classification for the route between the United States and Japan because (a) Japan is a member of the WTO and (b) pursuant to Section 63.10 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.10(a)(3) – (4), IPC Japan lacks market power on the foreign end of their respective international routes because as a new carrier it has significantly less than 50% of market share in the international transport and local access markets in Japan and, in addition, IPC and IPC Japan provide services solely through resale of service provided by unaffiliated facilities-based carriers.

Question 17.

The newly affiliated foreign carrier is IPC Network Services Japan KK, and the country in which it is authorized to provide telecommunications services to the public is Japan.

Question 18.

IPC is authorized to provide facilities-based and resold services globally, including to Japan, under ITC-214-20010817-00425.

Question 19:

IPC serves Japan solely by reselling international private line services provided by unaffiliated U.S. international facilities-based carriers. IPC provides no switched services.

Question 20:

IPC is owned entirely (100%) by Trader Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation. Trader Acquisition Corp. has the same address as IPC.

Trader Acquisition Corp. is owned entirely (100%) by Silver Lake Equity Partners, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Silver Lake"). Silver Lake has the same address as the Managing Members, as described below.

The ownership of Silver Lake is widely distributed and no person or entity holds more than a 10% equity interest in Silver Lake. Control of Silver Lake is held by its General Partner, Silver Lake Technology Associates II, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("SLTA II"). The principal business of SLTA II is serving as the sole general partner of Silver Lake and certain of its related investment vehicles. The managing members of SLTA II are Alan K. Austin, James A. Davidson, Glenn H. Hutchins, John R. Joyce and David J. Roux (collectively, the "Managing Members"). Each of the Managing Members is a United States citizen with an address at 9 West 57th Street, 25th Floor, New York, NY, 10019. None of the Managing Members has a controlling interest in SLTA II, nor does any Managing Member individually have either positive or negative control over SLTA II. The present principal occupation of each of the Managing Members is serving as a managing member of SLTA II and affiliated entities.

Question 21:

IPC has no interlocking directorates with a foreign carrier.

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## FOREIGN CARRIER AFFILIATION NOTIFICATION

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, the U.S. international carriers and submarine cable landing licensees listed below filed with the Commission a notification of the affiliation they have or propose to have with foreign carriers. These notifications are filed pursuant to Sections 63.11 and 1.768 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. Sections 63.11 and 1.768.

The Commission amended Section 63.11 in IB Docket No. 97-142, Rules and Policies on Foreign Participation in the U.S. Telecommunications Market, 15 FCC Rcd. 18158 (2000). The Commission recently adopted Section 1.768 in IB Docket No. 00-106, Review of Commission Consideration of Applications under the Cable Landing License Act, 16 FCC Rcd. 22167 (2001).

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FCN-NEW-20060206-00032 P Verizon Hawaii International Inc.

Notification

Pursuant to Section 1.768 of the Commission's rules, Verizon Hawaii International, Inc. hereby notifies the Commission of its foreign affiliation with carriers in the following countries: Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Botswana, Canada, Chile, Columbia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Korea, Luxembourg, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan ROC, United Kingdom, Venezuela, and Zambia.

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FCN-NEW-20070205-00017 E BorderCOMM Partners

Notification

Pursuant to Section 63.11 of the Commission's Rules, BorderCOMM Partners LP hereby notifies the Commission of their affiliation with Tecnologia Comunicaciones Avanzadas S.A. de C.V. (TCA) in Mexico.

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FCN-NEW-20070417-00040 E IPC Systems, Inc.

Notification

Pursuant to Section 63.11 of the Commission's Rules, IPC Systems, Inc. hereby notifies the Commission of their affiliation with IPC Network Services Japan KK in Japan.

Other Companies:

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FCN-NEW-20070516-00041 E TRILOGY INTERNATIONAL ENTERPRISES, LLC

Notification

Pursuant to Section 63.11 of the Commission's Rules, Trilogy International Enterprises, LLC hereby notifies the Commission of its affiliation with All America Cables and Radio - Dominican Republic, in the Dominican Republic.

Other Companies:

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FCN-NEW-20070621-00042 E Global Caribbean Network

Notification

Pursuant to Section 63.11 of the Commission's Rules, Global Caribbean Network hereby notifies the Commission of its affiliation with the following foreign carriers: Middle Caribbean Network, S.A.S in Dominica, Guadeloupe, and Martinique; Southern Caribbean Fiber, S.A.S in Antigua, Barbados, Martinique, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Grenada, St. Kitts, St. Lucia, and Trinidad; Tele(Barbados) Inc. in Barbados; Antilles Crossing (St. Lucia), Limited in St. Lucia; and Antilles Crossing, LP in Barbados.

Other Companies:

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