

ATTACHMENT 1

Background

Cable & Wireless Americas Systems, Inc. ("CWAS") is the holder of a cable landing license. See FCC File No. SCL-LIC-20010122-00002. CWAS is an indirectly-owned subsidiary of Vodafone Group Plc. ("Vodafone"). See ITC-T/C-20131127-00326 (granted December 18, 2013). Vodafone, a U.K.-based, publicly-listed company, is the holding company of a group of entities involved in the operation of primarily mobile telecommunications networks and the provision of related telecommunications services.

On July 23, 2014, Vodafone acquired Grupo Corporativo Ono, SA ("ONO"), a Spanish telecommunications company which provides broadband Internet access, cable television, and telephone service (including as a mobile virtual network operator). CWAS hereby notifies the Commission of its affiliation with ONO.

Answers to Questions 4 and 5

CWAS is notifying the Commission of a new affiliation with a foreign carrier in the following country: Spain.

Answer to Question 10

This filing is being made within 30 days of closing of Vodafone's acquisition of ONO.

Answers to Questions 12 and 16

Pursuant to Section 63.10(a)(3) of the Commission's rules, CWAS qualifies for and requests non-dominant carrier status in Spain because ONO lacks 50% market share in the fixed local access and international transport markets on the foreign end of the route.

Answer to Question 17

CWAS is notifying the Commission of an affiliation with ONO, which is authorized in Spain to provide telecommunications services to the public.

Answer to Question 18

CWAS is the holder of cable landing license FCC File No. SCL-LIC-20010122-00002, which authorizes CWAS to land and operate the Apollo Submarine Cable System. A description of the Apollo Submarine Cable System is on file with the Commission and is incorporated by reference.

Answer to Question 19

CWAS does not serve Spain through the resale of international switched services of unaffiliated U.S. facilities-based carriers.

Answer to Question 20

The name, address, citizenship and principal business of any person or entity currently holding, either directly or indirectly, at least a ten percent equity or voting interest in CWAS are listed below (with ownership percentages calculated in accordance with the Note to Section 63.18(h)):

Company Name – Apollo Submarine Cable Systems, Limited
Address – 90 Long Acre, London WC2E 9RA, United Kingdom
Tel No. – +44 (0) 2073 798825
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (direct)

Company Name – Cable & Wireless Global Network Limited
Address – Worldwide House, Western Road, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 1RW, United Kingdom
Tel No. – +44 (0) 1344 726542
Jurisdiction of Formation – Ireland
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – The Eastern Leasing Company Limited
Address – Worldwide House, Western Road, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 1RW, United Kingdom
Tel No. – +44 (0) 1344 726542
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – Cable & Wireless UK Holdings Limited
Address – Worldwide House, Western Road, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 1RW, United Kingdom
Tel No. – +44 (0) 1344 726542
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – Cable & Wireless Worldwide plc
Address – Worldwide House, Western Road, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 1RW, United Kingdom
Tel No. – +44 (0) 1344 726542
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – Vodafone International Operations Limited
Address – Vodafone House, The Connection, Newbury, Berkshire RG14 2FN, England
Tel No. - +44 (0) 1635 33251
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms
Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – Vodafone European Investments
Address – Vodafone House, The Connection, Newbury, Berkshire RG14 2FN, England
Tel No. – +44 (0) 1635 673923
Jurisdiction of Formation – England
Principal Business – Telecoms

Interest – 60% (indirect)

Company Name – Vodafone Group Plc

Address – Vodafone House, The Connection, Newbury, Berkshire RG14 2FN, England

Tel No. – +44 (0) 1635 33251

Jurisdiction of Formation – England

Principal Business – Telecoms

Interest – 60% (indirect)

There are no other individuals or entities that hold a 10% or greater direct or indirect equity or voting interest in CWAS. The ultimate parent, Vodafone, is a publicly-traded entity that has no 10% or great stockholders.

Answer to Question 21

Interlocking directorates of CWAS:

Michel Marie Alain Combes is a director of Vodafone, the ultimate parent of CWAS, and is Supervisory Board Chairman of Vodafone D2 GmbH, a Vodafone wireless carrier subsidiary in Germany.