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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: File No. SCL-MOD-20180905-00032

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Through their counsel, Telxius Cable USA, Inc. (“Telxius USA”), Telxius Cable Puerto Rico, Inc. (“Telxius Puerto Rico”), and Telxius Cable América, S.A. (“Telxius América,” together with Telxius USA and Telxius Puerto Rico, “Applicants”), hereby respond to clarification requests from Commission staff with respect to the above-referenced application to modify the cable landing license for the South America-1 (“SAM-1”) submarine cable system to add a new segment and landing in the Dominican Republic (the “Modification Application”).

SAM-1’s DR Spur will have two fiber pairs. The Applicants expect construction of the DR Spur to commence in January 2019, with the DR Spur ready for service in late March or early April 2019.

The Applicants make two corrections with respect to statements on page 6 of the Modification Application. First, the reference to “TIWS América” should be replaced with “Telxius América” following a corporate name change earlier in 2018. Second, and consistent with Appendix C, Telefónica Parent holds an 83.5-percent voting-and-equity interest in Pontel.

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Should the Commission have any questions concerning this supplement, please contact Kent Bressie by telephone at +1 202 730 1337 or by e-mail at kbressie@hwglaw.com.

Yours sincerely,

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Attachments

CERTIFICATION

I, Rafael Arranz Ruiz, Authorized Representative of Telxius Cable América, S.A., hereby certify that all of the information contained in the attached supplement that relates to the SAM-1 system generally and to information and certifications supplied by Telxius Cable América, S.A., specifically are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.


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I, Guillermo Cañete, President of Telxius Cable USA, Inc., and Telxius Cable Puerto Rico, Inc., hereby certify that all of the information contained in the attached supplement that relates to the SAM-1 system generally and to information and certifications supplied by Telxius Cable USA, Inc., and Telxius Cable Puerto Rico, Inc., specifically are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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