

# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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## Actions Taken Under Cable Landing License Act

## Section 1.767(a) Cable Landing Licenses, Modifications, and Assignments or Transfers of Control of Interests in Cable Landing Licenses (47 C.F.R. § 1.767(a))

By the Chief, Telecommunications and Analysis Division, International Bureau:

Pursuant to An Act Relating to the Landing and Operation of Submarine Cables in the United States, 47 U.S.C. §§ 34-39 (Cable Landing License Act), Executive Order No. 10530, Exec. Ord. No. 10530 reprinted as amended in 3 U.S.C. § 301, and section 1.767 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.767, the following applications ARE GRANTED. These grants of authority are taken under section 0.261 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261. Petitions for reconsideration under section 1.106 or applications for review under section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.106, 1.115, may be filed within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

These applications have been coordinated with the Department of State and other Executive Branch agencies pursuant to section 1.767(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.767(b), and consistent with procedures established with the Department of State. See Review of Commission Consideration of Applications under the Cable Landing License Act, IB Docket No. 00-106, Report and Order, 16 FCC Rcd 22167, 22192-93, paras. 51-52 (2001) (Submarine Cable Landing License Report and Order); Streamlined Procedures for Executive Branch Review of Submarine Cable Landing License Requests, State Department Media Note (Revised) (rel. Dec. 20, 2001) available at http://2001-2009.state.gov/r/pa/prs/ps/2001/6951.htm.

This public notice serves as each cable landing licensee's Cable Landing License, or modification thereto, pursuant to the Cable Landing License Act and sections 1.767 and 1.768 of the Commission's rules. Cable landing licensees should review carefully the terms and conditions of their licenses. Failure to comply with these terms and conditions or relevant Commission rules and policies could result in fines or forfeitures.

SCL-ASG-20160224-00007 Assignment Grant of Authority DOCOMO PACIFIC, INC.

Date of Action: 03/02/2016

Current Licensee: Guam Cable Group, Inc.

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FROM: Guam Cable Group, Inc.

TO: DOCOMO PACIFIC, INC.

Notification filed February 24, 2016, of the pro forma assignment of the interest in the cable landing license for the China-U.S. Cable, SCL-LIC-19980309-00005, held by Guam Cable Group Inc. (Guam Cable) to DOCOMO Pacific, Inc. (DOCOMO Pacific), effective January 27, 2016. Guam Cable holds a 0.07882 percent interest in the China-U.S. Cable.

In a corporate reorganization, the cable landing license held by Guam Cable was assigned to CNMI Corp and Guam Cable was dissolved. Guam Cable was, and DoCoMo Pacific, continues to be, a wholly-owned subsidiary of DOCOMO Guam Holdings, Inc.

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Transfer of Control Grant of Authority

Current Licensee: MFS Globenet, Inc.

**FROM:** MCI International, Inc.

TO: Verizon Business Network Services Inc.

Notification, filed January 28, 2016, of the pro forma transfer of control of interests in the Southern Cross Cable Network, SCL-LIC-19971014-00009, SCL-MOD-20020430-00045, held by MFS Globenet, Inc. (MFS Globenet), from MCI International, Inc. (MCIII) to Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. (NSI), effective December 31, 2015. MFS Globenet owns: (1) the U.S. cable landing stations in Morro Bay, California and Nedonna Beach, Oregon, (2) 100% of the U.S. segment of the Southern Cross Cable Network, and (3) 10.01% indirect ownership in the non-U.S. segments of the cable network.

As part of an internal corporate restructuring, Verizon Communications, Inc (Verizon), the ultimate 100% parent of MFS Globenet, MCIII and NSI, eliminated or relocated companies in the Verizon ownership chain, including the transferring control of MCIII, the 100 percent indirect parent of MFS Globenet, to NSI. MFS Globenet thus became an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of NSI.

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MFS CableCo U.S., Inc.

Transfer of Control Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 03/02/2016

Current Licensee: MFS CableCo U.S., Inc.

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FROM: MCI International, Inc.

TO: Verizon Business Network Services Inc.

Notification, filed January 28, 2016, of the pro forma transfer of control of the interests in cable landing licenses for the CB-1 and Gemini Bermuda cable systems, SCL-LIC-20080603-00011 and SCL-LIC-20070925-00017, held by MFS CableCo U.S., Inc. (MFS CableCo), from MCI International, Inc. (MCIII) to Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. (NSI), effective December 31, 2015. MFS CableCo owns the U.S. landing stations and 100 percent of the U.S. segments of each of these cable systems.

As part of an internal corporate restructuring, Verizon Communications, Inc (Verizon), the ultimate 100% parent of MFS CableCo, MCIII and NSI, eliminated or relocated companies in the Verizon ownership chain, including the transferring control of MCIII, the 100 percent indirect parent of MFS CableCo, to NSI. MFS CableCo thus became an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of NSI.

#### SCL-T/C-20160128-00005

MCI International, Inc.

Transfer of Control Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 03/02/2016

Current Licensee: MCI International, Inc.

**FROM:** MCI Communications Corporation

TO: Verizon Communications Inc.

Notification, filed January 28, 2016, of the pro forma transfer of control of the interest in the cable landing license for the Trans-Pacific Express Cable Network (TPE), SCL-LIC-20070222-00002, SCL-MOD-20080714-00012, held by MCI International, Inc. (MCII), from MCI Communications Corporation (MCIC) to Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. (NSI), effective December 31, 2015. MCII holds a 12.81% ownership interest in the TPE cable.

As part of an internal corporate restructuring, Verizon Communications, Inc. (Verizon), the ultimate 100% parent of MCIII and NSI, eliminated or relocated companies in the Verizon ownership chain, including the insertion of NSI between MCIC and MCIII.

# INFORMATIVE

SCL-LIC-19990913-00019

Level 3 Landing Station, Inc.

On February 17, 2016, the Commission was notified that the cable name has been changed to Yellow.

MFS Globenet, Inc.

Date of Action: 03/02/2016