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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 CFR §§ 63.11 and 1.768.

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Fusion Connect, Inc.

Notification

Pursuant to section 63.11 of the Commission's rules, Fusion Connect, Inc. (Fusion), which holds an international section 214 authorization (ITC-214-19971001-00592), has notified the Commission that it became affiliated with the following foreign carriers when it was acquired by NH Credit Partners III Holdings L.P. on March 1, 2023 (see ITC-T/C-20220317-00038): (1) Fusion Cloud Services (UK) Limited (United Kingdom); (2) Fusion Cloud Services (Ireland) Limited (Belgium, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Sweden, and Switzerland); (3) ibus Network & Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. (India); (4) Altán Redes (Mexico); and (5) FastFiber - Infraestruturas de Comunicações, S.A. (Fast Fiber) (Portugal). According to Fusion, all of these carriers except Fast Fiber do not have a 50% or greater market share in their respective countries, and thus it qualifies to be classified as non-dominant under section 63.10(a)(3) of the Commission's rules for these affiliations. 47 CFR § 63.10(a)(3). Regarding Fast Fiber, Fusion states it terminates de minimis traffic on the U.S.-Portugal route and does so entirely through the resale of an unaffiliated U.S. facilities-based carrier's international switched services, and thus it qualifies to be classified as non-dominant under section 63.10(a)(4) of the Commission's rules for that affiliation. 47 CFR § 63.10(a)(4).

For further information concerning this matter, please contact David Krech, Telecommunications and Analysis Division, International Bureau, (202) 418-1480.

Unless otherwised specified, interested parties may file comments with respect to these notifications within 14 days of the date of this public notice (see Section 1.4(b)(4)). The notifying carrier may respond within 10 days after any such pleadings are filed, and the parties that filed such pleadings may reply within 5 days. See Section 63.52(c), 1.45(c)-(j). It is requested that such comments refer to the notification file number shown above. A copy of the notification is available for public inspection in the Reference Information Center, Court Yard Level, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. People with Disabilities: To request materials in accessible formats for people with disabilities (braille, large print, electronic files, audio format), send an e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202-418-0530.