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**Report No. SCL-00616**

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

## **Actions Taken Under Submarine Cable Landing License Act**

By the Chief, Telecommunications and Analysis Division, Office of International Affairs:

Pursuant to an Act relating to the landing and operation of submarine cables in the United States, 47 U.S.C. §§ 34-39 (Submarine 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 CFR § 1.767, the following applications ARE GRANTED. These grants of authority are taken under section 0.351 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 0.351. Petitions for reconsideration under section 1.106 or applications for review under section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR §§ 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 CFR § 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); Commission Announces Department of State's Revised Procedures for its Consideration of Submarine Cable Landing License Applications, IB Docket No. 16-155, Public Notice, DA 22-435 (rel. Apr. 19, 2022).

This public notice serves as each submarine cable landing licensee's Submarine 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. Submarine cable landing licensees should review 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.

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**INFORMATIVE:**

**SCL-STA-20260409-00055** S260028 AT&T Enterprises, LLC

**Date filed:** 2026-04-09

Special Temporary Authority  
Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 2026-05-27

On May 27, 2026, we granted the request filed by AT&T Enterprises, LLC (AT&T Enterprises), Cable & Wireless Puerto Rico, Inc., and TI Sparkle Puerto Rico LLC (together, Applicants) for special temporary authority (STA) to allow the continued operation of the U.S. Virgin Islands to Puerto Rico segment (the “West Segment”) of the Americas-II submarine cable system (SCL-LIC-19980429-00019, SCL-MOD-20191202-00038) while their application for renewal and modification (SCL-RWL-20260327-00046) of the Americas-II cable landing license is pending before the Commission. The license for Americas-II expired on August 30, 2025. At that time, all of the segments of the Americas-II cable system other than the West Segment were retired and all current licensees other than AT&T Enterprises relinquished 100% of their interest in the Americas-II cable system.

On August 26, 2025 and on March 4, 2026, we granted AT&T Enterprises’ requests for Special Temporary Authority to continue operation of the West Segment until the Commission can act on a forthcoming application for a new cable landing license for its operation. *See* SCL-STA-20250821-00029, *Actions Taken Under Submarine Cable Landing License Act*, Report No. SCL-00573, Public Notice, DA 25-770 (OIA Aug. 28, 2025); SCL-STA-20260202-00018, *Actions Taken Under Submarine Cable Landing License Act*, Report No. SCL- 00598, Public Notice, DA 26-220 (OIA Mar. 5, 2026). Applicants filed the application for renewal and modification of the Americas-II cable landing license on April 8, 2026 (SCL-RWL-20260327-00046).

Applicants acknowledge that the grant of the STA does not prejudice action by the Commission on the pending application. Further, Applicants acknowledge that the Commission upon its own motion without a hearing can modify, revoke or cancel the STA. Applicants also acknowledge the STA will expire automatically on the date the Commission takes action on the renewal application unless a timely and complete application for extension of the STA is sought. No comments were filed on this STA request.

Action on this STA is without prejudice to any enforcement action by the Commission for noncompliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the Cable Landing License Act of 1921 or the Commission’s rules.

The STA expires on November 23, 2026.

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**SCL-LIC-20251121-00076** S250509 Hawaiian Islands Fiber Link, LLC  
**Date filed:** 2025-11-25  
Submarine Cable Landing License

On May 28, 2026, the Department of Justice on behalf of the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Services Sector requested that the Commission defer action on the above-referenced submarine cable landing license application in addition to the following amendments, SCL-AMD-20260402-00052 and SCL-AMD-20260409-00056, to give the Committee Members time to respond. The Department of Justice states that an extension to allow the Committee Members the opportunity to prepare and provide a response to the Public Notices is in the public interest. We grant the request and defer action on the above-referenced application and amendments until June 18, 2026.

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**SCL-LIC-20230511-00013** S250448 GU Holdings Inc.  
**Date filed:** 2023-05-11  
Submarine Cable Landing License  
Granted

Date of Action: 2025-02-26

On May 27, 2026, GU Holdings Inc. notified the Commission that the TPU Cable System was put into service on May 23, 2026.