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STREAMLINED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

SECTION 214 APPLICATIONS (47 C.F.R. § 63.18); CABLE LANDING LICENSE APPLICATIONS (47 C.F.R. § 1.767) REQUESTS TO AUTHORIZE SWITCHED SERVICES OVER PRIVATE LINES (47 C.F.R. § 63.16); SECTION 310(B)(4) REQUESTS

Unless otherwise specified, the following procedures apply to the applications listed below:

The international Section 214 applications listed below have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing and subject to the streamlined processing procedures set forth in Section 63.12 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.12. These applications are for authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 214, (a) to transfer control of an authorized carrier or to assign a carrier's existing authorization; and/or (b) to become a facilities-based international common carrier; and/or (c) to become a resale-based international common carrier.

Pursuant to Section 63.12 of the rules, these Section 214 applications will be granted 14 days after the date of this public notice (see 47 C.F.R. § 1.4 regarding computation of time), and the applicant may commence operations on the 15th day, unless the Commission has informed the applicant in writing, within 14 days after the date of this public notice, that the application, on further examination, has been deemed ineligible for streamlined processing.

Communications between outside parties and Commission staff concerning these applications are permitted subject to the Commission's rules for "permit-but-disclose proceedings." See 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206. An application can be removed from streamlined processing only in the sound discretion of Commission staff. The filing of comments or a petition to deny will not necessarily result in an application being deemed ineligible for streamlined processing.

The petitions for declaratory ruling listed below are (1) for authority under Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 310(b)(4), to exceed the 25 percent foreign ownership benchmark applicable to common carrier radio licensees, or (2) under Section 63.16 of the rules, to add a foreign market to the list of markets for which carriers may provide switched services over private lines. The requested rulings will be granted 14 days after the date of this public notice, effective the next day, unless the application is formally opposed or the Commission has informed the applicant in writing, within 14 days of the date of this public notice, that the application, on further examination, has been deemed ineligible for streamlined processing. For this purpose, a formal opposition shall be sufficient only if it is received by the Commission and by the applicant within 14 days of the date of this public notice and its caption and text make it unmistakably clear that it is intended to be a formal opposition.

Copies of all applications listed here are available for public inspection in the FCC Office of Public Affairs Reference and Information Center, located in room CY-A257 at the Portals 2 building, 445 12th Street SW, Washington DC 20554. The center can be contacted at (202) 418-0270. All applications listed are subject to further consideration and review, and may be returned and/or dismissed if not found to be in accordance with the Commission's rules, regulations, and other requirements.

We request that comments on any of these applications refer to the application file number shown below.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00763

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IX, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IX, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IX, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless IX, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00764

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VIII, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VIII, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VIII, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless VIII, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00765

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS II, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS II, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS II, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless II, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00766

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IV, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IV, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS IV, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless IV, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00767

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS III, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS III, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS III, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless III, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

ITC-ASG-20001229-00768

PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VI, INC.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VI, INC.

FROM: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VI, INC.

TO: CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless VI, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS V, INC.**FROM:** PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS V, INC.**TO:** CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless V, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

Assignment

Current Licensee: PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VII, INC.**FROM:** PRICE COMMUNICATIONS WIRELESS VII, INC.**TO:** CELLCO PARTNERSHIP

Application for Consent to an Assignment of License of Price Communications Wireless VII, Inc. to Cellco Partnership, d/b/a Verizon Wireless. Cellco does not serve Gibraltar on a facilities-basis. Cellco is dominant on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela. However, Cellco will not be subject to the dominant carrier safeguards on the routes to the Dominican Republic and Venezuela when it is only reselling the switched services of unaffiliated facilities-based U.S. authorized carriers, and Cellco agrees to continue to comply with the reporting requirements of Section 43.61(c) of the rules on these routes.

Streamlined grant of this application is conditioned upon Applicants' agreement not to close the proposed assignment unless and until the Commission grants assignment of the associated wireless authority. Streamlined grant would in no way prejudice the outcome of the pending wireless license application.

REMINDERS:

Applicants must certify that neither the applicant nor any party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits by federal and/or state courts under authority granted in 21 U.S.C. § 862. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.2001-.2003.

The Commission most recently amended its rules applicable to international telecommunications common carriers in IB Docket No. 98-118, Review of International Common Carrier Regulations, FCC 99-51, released March 23, 1999, 64 Fed. Reg. 19,057 (Apr. 19, 1999). An updated version of Section 63.09-.24 of the rules, and other related sections, is available at <http://www.fcc.gov/ib/td/pf/telecomrules.html>.