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NON 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); Authorize Switched Services over Private Lines (47 C.F.R. § 63.16) and Section 310(b)(4)

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

The applications listed below have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. These applications are not 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 shall not be deemed granted until the Commission affirmatively acts upon the application, either by public notice or by written order. Operation for which authorization is sought may not commence except in accordance with any terms or conditions imposed by the Commission.

Unless otherwise specified, interested parties may file comments with respect to these applications within 28 days of the date of this public notice. We request that such comments refer to the application file number shown below. Ex parte 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.

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.

ISP-PDR-20010119-00002

AMERICASKY CORPORATION

Petition for Declaratory Ruling

Other Companies:

STET INTERNATIONAL NETHERLANDS N.V.

AmericaSky Corporation (AmericaSky), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, and STET International Netherlands N.V. (STET), a corporation organized under the laws of The Netherlands, pursuant to Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Section 310(b)(4), hereby petition the Commission to find that it is in the public interest to permit STET to hold an indirect ownership interest in AmericaSky of 54.76 percent, which is in excess of the 25 percent statutory limit. In addition, the applicants petition the Commission to find that the public interest is served by allowing a variety of Chilean investors to have small indirect investments of less than 25 percent in AmericaSky, but in the aggregate reaching 45.24 percent. STET is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Telecom Italia S.P.A. AmericaSky, a U.S. corporation, maintains and operates three earth station facilities licensed by the Commission for domestic and international satellite service.

SCL-LIC-20010122-00002

CABLE & WIRELESS USA, INC.

Submarine Cable Landing License

Application for authority to Land and Operate a Private Fiber-Optic Cable System between the United States and the United Kingdom and France.

REMINDER:

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>.