



# PUBLIC NOTICE

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## **Non Streamlined International Applications/Petitions Accepted For Filing**

### **Section 214 Applications (47 CFR §§ 63.18, 63.24); Section 310(b) Petitions (47 CFR § 1.5000)**

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 CFR § 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. Pursuant to Section 1.1910(b)(2) of the rules, action will be withheld on any application by any entity found to be delinquent in its debts to the Commission. Applicants should check the Red Light Display System's website at [www.fcc.gov/redlight](http://www.fcc.gov/redlight) to determine if they are delinquent in a debt to the Commission and for information on how to pay the debt.

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. No application listed below shall be granted by the Commission earlier than the day after the date specified in this public notice for the filing of comments.

Unless otherwise specified, 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 CFR § 1.1206.

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**ITC-214-20210914-00136**      E      AIRTIME Technologies USA, Inc.

International Telecommunications Certificate

**Service(s):**      Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 63.18(e)(2).

AIRTIME Technologies USA, Inc. is 100% owned by Airtime Technologies Limited, a company organized under the laws of the Republic of Ireland. Airtime Technologies Limited is 100% owned by Heritage Ventures LTD., a company organized under the laws of the Republic of Ireland. Heritage Ventures LTD. is 99% owned by Orlando Taddeo, a citizen of Italy.

Through this Public Notice, pursuant to Commission practice, the application for international section 214 authority is being referred to the relevant Executive Branch agencies for their views on any national security, law enforcement, foreign policy, or trade policy concerns related to the foreign ownership of the Applicant.

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Transfer of Control

**Current Licensee:** Marlink, Inc.

**FROM:** Apax Partners SAS

**TO:** P8 Holding 1 S.a.r.l.

Application filed for consent to transfer control of Marlink, Inc. (Marlink USA), a Delaware corporation which holds international section 214 authorization ITC-214-20010529-00341, from Apax Partners SAS (Apax Partners) to P8 Holding 1 S.a.r.l. (P8 Holding). Marlink USA is a wholly owned subsidiary of Toruk AS, a Norwegian entity, which is in turn wholly owned by Makto S.à r.l. ("Makto"), a Luxembourg entity. Makto is controlled by Apax Partners and principally owned by FPCI Apax MidMarket VIII-A, FPCI Apax MidMarket VIII-B, FPCI Apax MidMarket IX-A, FPCI Apax MidMarket IX-B, Apax MidMarket IX-L SCSP, SC MidInvest, FPCI Phenix, and FPCI Phenix-B (collectively, the Apax Funds).

Pursuant to a Sale and Purchase Agreement, P8 Holding will acquire a controlling interest in Marlink USA and affiliated businesses operating outside the United States. Specifically, P8 Holding will acquire all of the issued and outstanding shares of Makto from the Apax Funds. Upon consummation, Marlink USA will become a wholly owned, indirect subsidiary of P8 Holding. The Applicants anticipate that one or more wholly owned subsidiaries of P8 Holding will ultimately exist between Makto and P8 Holding. They are expected to be formed in Luxembourg and Norway.

Control of P8 Holding, a Luxembourg entity, will rest with Providence Managing Member LLC (PMM), which controls Providence Equity Partners VIII L.P., Providence Equity Partners VIII-A L.P., and Providence Equity Partners VIII (Scotland) L.P. (collectively, Providence VIII Funds). PMM and the Providence VIII Funds will hold an indirect 51.8% equity interest in P8 Holding. They will hold an indirect 60.2% voting interest in P8 Holding due to PMM controlling an 8.4% co-investment of another participant in the transaction, Ardian France. The Apax Funds will collectively hold 37.4% equity and voting interests directly in P8 Holding and Apax Partners will hold an indirect 37.4% voting interest through its control of the funds.

PEP European Investment S.à r.l., a Luxembourg entity, will hold a direct 51.8% equity interest and a combined 60.2% voting interest in P8 Holding (51.8% direct and 8.4% indirect). Ownership of PEP European Investment S.à r.l. is divided among seven entities, two of which will hold, directly or indirectly, a 10% or greater equity interest in P8 Holding: GLC Investment S.à r.l., 22.0% equity and 25.5% voting interest, and ST Investment S.à r.l., 19.0% equity and 22.1% voting interest, both Luxembourg entities. All seven of the entities which own PEP European Investment S.à r.l. are 100% owned and controlled by PEP European Investment VIII SCSP (PEP VIII SCSP), a Luxembourg entity. PEP European Investment GP S.à r.l., is the General Partner of PEP VIII SCSP. The Providence VIII Funds hold direct equity and voting interests in PEP VII SCSP: Providence Equity Partners VIII L.P. a Cayman Island entity, 25.5% equity and 29.6% voting interest; Providence Equity Partners VIII-A L.P., a Cayman Island entity, 26.1% equity and 30.3% voting interest; and Providence Equity Partners VIII (Scotland) L.P., a Scotland entity, 0.3% equity and voting interest. According to the Applicants, none of the limited partners of the Providence VIII Funds will own or control a ten percent (10%) or greater direct or indirect interest in P8 Holding through their investments in one or more of the Providence VIII Funds.

Providence Equity GP VIII L.P. (PEP GP VIII) is the general partner of each of the Providence VIII Funds. PEP VIII International Ltd. is the general partner of PEP GP VIII, both Cayman Island entities. Providence Fund Holdco (Domestic ECI) L.P. (PF Holdco) is the 100% shareholder of PEP VIII International Ltd. PMM, a U.S. entity, is the sole general partner of PF Holdco. PMM has six members who each control 16.67% of the voting interests - Jonathan Nelson, Andrew Tisdale, Davis Noell, David Phillips, Michael Dominguez, all U.S. citizens, and Karim Tabet, a citizen of France.

While the Apax Funds will collectively hold a 37.4% equity and voting interests in P8 Holding, only FPCI Phenix, a French entity, will hold a 10% or greater interest, with a 13.3% voting and economic interest. Altamir SCA, a French entity, holds an aggregate approximate 10.62% indirect economic interest in P8 Holding through its holdings in the Apax Funds. Apax Partners, a French entity, manages each of the Apax Funds, and exercises their voting rights. In aggregate, Apax Partners will indirectly control a 37.4% voting interest in Marlink USA. The following hold a 10% or greater equity and voting interest in Apax Partners: Edgard Misrahi (38.84%), Bertrand Pivin (31.21%), Bruno Candelier (12.54%), and Thomas de Villeneuve (12.54%), all citizens of France.

Applicants state that no other individual or entities will hold a 10% or greater direct or indirect equity or voting interest in P8 Holding or Marlink USA upon consummation.

Through this Public Notice, pursuant to Commission practice, this application for transfer of control of international section 214 authority and the associated satellite earth station applications - SES-T/C-20210923-01679, SES-T/C-20210923-01680, and SES-T/C-20210923-01681 - are being referred to the relevant Executive Branch agencies for their views on any national security, law enforcement, foreign policy, or trade policy concerns related to the foreign ownership of the Applicants.

#### **INFORMATIVE**

##### **ISP-PDR-20210202-00003**

High Band Holdings, LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee) notified the Commission that it is reviewing the petition for declaratory ruling filed by High Band Holdings, LLC for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

##### **ITC-214-20210802-00111**

Rakuten Mobile USA LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee) notified the Commission that it is reviewing the application for international section 214 authority for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

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**ITC-214-20210824-00125**

CenturyLink Latin American Solutions, LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee), notified the Commission that it is reviewing the transfer of control applications for the proposed transfer of control of the Lumen LatAm Entities from Lumen Technologies, Inc. to Patagonia Holdco LLC (see Applications Filed For The Transfer Of Control Of Lumen Latin America Entities to Patagonia Holdco LLC And For Grant Of International 214 Authority To CenturyLink Latin American Solutions, LLC, WC Docket No. 21-340, Public Notice, DA 21-1204 (WCB/IB rel. Sep. 24, 2021)) for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

**ITC-T/C-20210820-00121**

Patagonia Holdco LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee), notified the Commission that it is reviewing the transfer of control applications for the proposed transfer of control of the Lumen LatAm Entities from Lumen Technologies, Inc. to Patagonia Holdco LLC (see Applications Filed For The Transfer Of Control Of Lumen Latin America Entities to Patagonia Holdco LLC And For Grant Of International 214 Authority To CenturyLink Latin American Solutions, LLC, WC Docket No. 21-340, Public Notice, DA 21-1204 (WCB/IB rel. Sep. 24, 2021)) for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

**ITC-T/C-20210824-00124**

Patagonia Holdco LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee), notified the Commission that it is reviewing the transfer of control applications for the proposed transfer of control of the Lumen LatAm Entities from Lumen Technologies, Inc. to Patagonia Holdco LLC (see Applications Filed For The Transfer Of Control Of Lumen Latin America Entities to Patagonia Holdco LLC And For Grant Of International 214 Authority To CenturyLink Latin American Solutions, LLC, WC Docket No. 21-340, Public Notice, DA 21-1204 (WCB/IB rel. Sep. 24, 2021)) for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

**ITC-T/C-20210907-00131**

Intelsat General Communications LLC

On October 1, 2021, the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee) notified the Commission that it is reviewing the applications filed by Intelsat S.A., as debtor-in-possession (Intelsat DIP), and New TopCo S.A. for the assignment and transfer of control of authorizations that would occur under a planned reorganization of Intelsat DIP and its emergence from Chapter 11 bankruptcy (see Applications Filed For Assignment And Transfer Of Control By Intelsat S.A., As Debtor-In-Possession IB Docket No. 21-375, Public Notice, DA 21-1200 (IB rel. Sep. 24, 2021)) for national security issues and requests that the Commission defer action on the application until it completes its review.

**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 CFR §§ 1.2001–.2003.