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## Actions Taken Under Cable Landing License Act

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

By the Chief, Telecommunications and Analysis Division, International Bureau:

Pursuant to An Act Relating to the Landing and Operation of Submarine Cables in the United States, 47 U.S.C. §§ 34-39 (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 C.F.R. § 1.767, the following applications ARE GRANTED. These grants of authority are taken under section 0.261 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261. Petitions for reconsideration under section 1.106 or applications for review under section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 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 C.F.R. § 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); Streamlined Procedures for Executive Branch Review of Submarine Cable Landing License Requests, State Department Media Note (Revised) (rel. Dec. 20, 2001) available at <http://2001-2009.state.gov/r/pa/prs/ps/2001/6951.htm>.

This public notice serves as each cable landing licensee's 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. Cable landing licensees should review carefully 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.

Modification

Grant of Authority

Date of Action: 04/11/2018

Request of Office des Postes et Telecommunications de Polynesie Francaise (OPT) to modify the condition placed on the cable landing license for the Honotua Cable System, SCL-LIC-20081008-00017. Grant of the license was conditioned on OPT abiding by the commitments and undertakings contained in its December 3, 2010 National Security Agreement (NSA) with the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Justice. See SCL-LIC-20081008-00017, Actions Taken Under Cable Landing License Act, Public Notice, Report No. SCL-00112, DA 10-2310, 25 FCC Rcd 17049, 17051 (IB 2010).

Effective March 27, 2018, OPT executed Amendment No. 1 to the NSA in order to update certain substantive terms of that agreement. OPT therefore requests that the Commission amend the cable landing license to require compliance with the NSA as amended by Amendment No. 1.

Accordingly, we hereby modify the cable landing license for the Honotua Cable System, SCL-LIC-20081008-00017, to condition it on compliance by Office des Postes et Telecommunications de Polynesie Francaise with the commitments and undertakings contained in its December 3, 2010 National Security Agreement as amended by Amendment No. 1. A failure to comply and/or remain in compliance with any of these commitments and undertakings shall constitute a failure to meet a condition of the license and thus grounds for declaring the license terminated without further action on the part of the Commission. Failure to meet a condition of the authorization may also result in monetary sanctions or other enforcement action by the Commission.

A copy of the NSA and Amendment No. 1 is publicly available and may be viewed on the FCC web-site through the International Bureau Filing System (IBFS) by searching for SCL-MOD-20180410-00007 and accessing "Attachment Menu" from the Document Viewing area.

**INFORMATIVE****SCL-LIC-19920107-00005**

AT&amp;T CORP

By letter dated March 28, 2018, AT&T Corp., on behalf of the Taino-Carib Consortium, notified the Commission of a forthcoming change in the location of one of the U.S. landing stations serving the Taino-Carib Cable System, SCL-LIC-19920107-00005 and SCL-STA-20180119-00001. Beginning in April 2018 or shortly thereafter, operations at the U.S. landing station for the Taino-Carib Cable System located in Isla Verde, Puerto Rico operated by Prepa Networks, LLC will begin to transition to a new U.S. landing station in Isla Verde, Puerto Rico also operated by Prepa Networks, LLC.