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## Application Form

### **Application Form for a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence**

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## Notes for Applicants

1. The granting of Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licences is governed by the Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony Licence) Regulations 2011, Statutory Instrument SI 189 of 2011 (“The Regulations”). The Regulations detail the form and duration of, and the restrictions and conditions subject to which, Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licences are granted by the Commission for Communications Regulation (ComReg).
2. Applicants are also referred to ComReg Document 11/29 and ComReg Decision No. D03/11 for background to the licensing framework<sup>1</sup>.
3. On the basis set out in ComReg Document 11/29 and ComReg Decision No. D03/11, and as provided by the Regulations, only those persons currently holding a GSM 900 MHz licence issued under the Wireless Telegraphy (GSM Mobile Telephony Licence) (Amendment) Regulations, 2003, (S.I. No. 339 of 2003) and Wireless Telegraphy (GSM and TACS Mobile Telephony Licence) Regulations, 1997, (S.I. No. 468 of 1997) and whose GSM 900 MHz licences are due to expire on 15 May 2011 may apply for a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence.
4. In line with Regulation 4 of the Regulations, this application form (“Application Form”) sets out the information required from applicants to obtain a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence.
5. Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licences granted pursuant to this procedure can be issued for a period of up to one year (being 16 May 2011 to 15 May 2012) and can, subject to The Regulations, be renewed thereafter, but up to 31 January, 2013 only, at which point they must terminate under the Regulations. Applicants are referred to The Regulations for further details regarding licence terms and conditions, including licence duration, licence renewal, and licence expiry.
6. To submit a valid application an applicant **MUST**:
  - Properly complete all sections of the Application Form, including:
    - Providing a hard-copy list of the locations at which the applicant seeks to be authorised to keep and have possession of the 900 MHz GSM Mobile Telephony Service Apparatus;
    - Providing details of the 900 MHz GSM Mobile Telephony Service Apparatus which the applicant seeks to be authorised to keep and have possession of, in hard-copy format; and
    - Uploading to ComReg’s Siteviewer facility<sup>2</sup> the locations at which the applicant seeks to be authorised to keep and have possession of the GSM Mobile Telephony Service Apparatus;

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<sup>1</sup> Document available at the following - <http://comreg.ie/fileupload/publications/ComReg1129.pdf>

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- Include full payment for the applicable annual Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence fee with the completed Application Form (see Part 3 below); and
  - Sign the Declaration Form (Part 4).
7. The annual Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence fee is €71,338 for each duplex channel of 200 kHz. Where the maximum amount of 36 duplex channels of 200 kHz (i.e. 2 x 7.2 MHz of GSM 900 MHz spectrum) is applied for, the total annual fee payable is €2,568,168. Full payment for the annual fee for the requested duplex channels must be included with the completed Application Form.
  8. Applications must be received by ComReg no later than 5.00p.m, Tuesday 3 May 2011.
  9. Applications must be submitted to the following address:

The Commission for Communications Regulation  
Licensing Section (Ref: **Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence**)  
Abbey Court  
Irish Life Centre  
Lower Abbey Street  
Dublin 1  
Ireland

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<sup>2</sup> <http://www.askcomreg.ie/mobile/siteviewer.273.LE.asp>

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**Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence Application Form**

| <b>Part 1: Applicant Details</b>   |  |
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| <b>Full Name of the Registered Company:</b>  |  |
| <b>Full Postal Address:</b>  |  |
| <b>Contact Name:</b>   |  |
| <b>Contact Phone Number:</b>   |  |
| <b>Contact E-mail:</b>   |  |
| <b>Contact Facsimile Number:</b>   |  |
| <b>Address to which Licence is to be sent:</b>   |  |
| <b>Upload to SiteViewer<sup>3</sup> with details of the locations where the applicant is seeking to keep and have possession of GSM Mobile Telephony Service Apparatus (per Schedule 1 of The Regulations)</b><br><i>Tick if this has been done and identify the date on which SiteViewer was updated by the Applicant</i> |  |
| <b>Details of the GSM Mobile Telephony Service Apparatus which the Applicant is seeking to keep and have possession of (per Schedule 2 of The Regulations)</b><br><i>Attach additional pages as necessary</i>  |  |

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**Part 2: Frequency of operation of the Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence (per Schedule 1 of The Regulations)**

**Table 1: Permitted range of frequencies for Telefonica O2 only**

*Note: If less than 36 duplex 200 kHz channels are requested, applicants must ensure that the requested duplex channels are contiguous.*

| <b>Required Channel<br/>(Please tick as<br/>appropriate)</b> | <b>Base Tx ( MHz )</b> | <b>Base Rx ( MHz )</b> | <b>Channel Number</b> |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
|  | 952.60                 | 907.60                 | 1                     |
|  | 952.80                 | 907.80                 | 2                     |
|  | 953.00                 | 908.00                 | 3                     |
|  | 953.20                 | 908.20                 | 4                     |
|  | 953.40                 | 908.40                 | 5                     |
|  | 953.60                 | 908.60                 | 6                     |
|  | 953.80                 | 908.80                 | 7                     |
|  | 954.00                 | 909.00                 | 8                     |
|  | 954.20                 | 909.20                 | 9                     |
|  | 954.40                 | 909.40                 | 10                    |
|  | 954.60                 | 909.60                 | 11                    |
|  | 954.80                 | 909.80                 | 12                    |
|  | 955.00                 | 910.00                 | 13                    |
|  | 955.20                 | 910.20                 | 14                    |
|  | 955.40                 | 910.40                 | 15                    |
|  | 955.60                 | 910.60                 | 16                    |
|  | 955.80                 | 910.80                 | 17                    |
|  | 956.00                 | 911.00                 | 18                    |
|  | 956.20                 | 911.20                 | 19                    |
|  | 956.40                 | 911.40                 | 20                    |
|  | 956.60                 | 911.60                 | 21                    |
|  | 956.80                 | 911.80                 | 22                    |
|  | 957.00                 | 912.00                 | 23                    |
|  | 957.20                 | 912.20                 | 24                    |
|  | 957.40                 | 912.40                 | 25                    |
|  | 957.60                 | 912.60                 | 26                    |
|  | 957.80                 | 912.80                 | 27                    |
|  | 958.00                 | 913.00                 | 28                    |
|  | 958.20                 | 913.20                 | 29                    |
|  | 958.40                 | 913.40                 | 30                    |
|  | 958.60                 | 913.60                 | 31                    |
|  | 958.80                 | 913.80                 | 32                    |
|  | 959.00                 | 914.00                 | 33                    |
|  | 959.20                 | 914.20                 | 34                    |
|  | 959.40                 | 914.40                 | 35                    |
|  | 959.60                 | 914.60                 | 36                    |

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**Table 2: Permitted range of frequencies for Vodafone only**

*Note: If less than 36 duplex 200 kHz channels are requested, applicants must ensure that the requested duplex channels are contiguous.*

| <b>Required Channel<br/>(Please tick as appropriate)</b> | <b>Base Tx ( MHz )</b> | <b>Base Rx ( MHz )</b> | <b>Channel Number</b> |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
|  | 945.20                 | 900.20                 | 51                    |
|  | 945.40                 | 900.40                 | 52                    |
|  | 945.60                 | 900.60                 | 53                    |
|  | 945.80                 | 900.80                 | 54                    |
|  | 946.00                 | 901.00                 | 55                    |
|  | 946.20                 | 901.20                 | 56                    |
|  | 946.40                 | 901.40                 | 57                    |
|  | 946.60                 | 901.60                 | 58                    |
|  | 946.80                 | 901.80                 | 59                    |
|  | 947.00                 | 902.00                 | 60                    |
|  | 947.20                 | 902.20                 | 61                    |
|  | 947.40                 | 902.40                 | 62                    |
|  | 947.60                 | 902.60                 | 63                    |
|  | 947.80                 | 902.80                 | 64                    |
|  | 948.00                 | 903.00                 | 65                    |
|  | 948.20                 | 903.20                 | 66                    |
|  | 948.40                 | 903.40                 | 67                    |
|  | 948.60                 | 903.60                 | 68                    |
|  | 948.80                 | 903.80                 | 69                    |
|  | 949.00                 | 904.00                 | 70                    |
|  | 949.20                 | 904.20                 | 71                    |
|  | 949.40                 | 904.40                 | 72                    |
|  | 949.60                 | 904.60                 | 73                    |
|  | 949.80                 | 904.80                 | 74                    |
|  | 950.00                 | 905.00                 | 75                    |
|  | 950.20                 | 905.20                 | 76                    |
|  | 950.40                 | 905.40                 | 77                    |
|  | 950.60                 | 905.60                 | 78                    |
|  | 950.80                 | 905.80                 | 79                    |
|  | 951.00                 | 906.00                 | 80                    |
|  | 951.20                 | 906.20                 | 81                    |
|  | 951.40                 | 906.40                 | 82                    |
|  | 951.60                 | 906.60                 | 83                    |
|  | 951.80                 | 906.80                 | 84                    |
|  | 952.00                 | 907.00                 | 85                    |
|  | 952.20                 | 907.20                 | 86                    |

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### Part 3: Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence Fee and Method of Payment

#### *Annual Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence Fee*

The annual Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence fee is €71,338 for a duplex channel of 200 kHz. Where the maximum amount of 36 duplex channels of 200 kHz (i.e. 2 x 7.2 MHz of GSM 900 MHz spectrum) is applied for, the total fee payable in respect of a one-year period is €2,568,168.

Full payment of the licence fee for the requested duplex channels, as provided for in the Regulations, must be included with the completed Application Form. If a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence is granted or renewed for a part of a year then the licence fee to be paid by the licensee shall be calculated on a pro rata daily basis for the period for which the Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence was granted, or renewed, as the case may be.

#### *Method of Payment*

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| <b>Cheque / Bank Draft</b>                             | Cheques / Bank Draft should be crossed and made payable to<br><i>The Commission for Communications Regulation</i>   |
| <b>Bank Transfer / Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)</b> | Transfers to ComReg's account should be made to:<br>Bank of Ireland, 6 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin 1.<br>Account Number: 17806887<br>Sort Code: 90-00-33<br>BIC Code: BOFIE2D<br>IBAN No: IE62 BOFI 9000 3317 8068 87.<br><br>If making a bank transfer/EFT, please ensure that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· your bank quotes <b>your Account Number</b> and "<b>Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence Application</b>" in making the transfer to ComReg; and</li><li>· you forward details of the date of and amount of payment to our Accounts Department (<a href="mailto:accounts@comreg.ie">accounts@comreg.ie</a>).</li></ul> |

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### Part 4: Declaration Form

#### Declaration by Applicant

##### Application for Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence

I/we hereby certify that the information provided in this application is, to the best of my/our knowledge, true and complete and I accept that the provision of incorrect or misleading information, or mis-declarations in this application, may render this Application, and any Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence granted on foot of this Application, null and void.

I declare that (**Company Name**) has uploaded the Schedule details for its Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence application on Siteviewer and a hard copy of same is attached with the application form. I confirm that no change will be made in any of the foregoing without prior approval of ComReg.

In accordance with the Wireless Telegraphy Act of 1926, as amended, I accept responsibility for the installation, maintenance and operation of the GSM Mobile Telephony.

I accept that a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence granted on foot of this Application does not confer any right of ownership of the frequency spectrum to which the Licence relates, and agree to abide by all conditions of the licence and any direction made by the Commission for Communications Regulation (ComReg) from time to time.

I accept that ComReg makes no commitment to extend, renew or otherwise prolong the duration of a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence granted on foot of this application beyond 31 January 2013 or such shorter period as may be specified by ComReg, whether at all, or for any particular period or on any particular terms.

I accept that ComReg may amend a Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licence granted on foot of this application, including any amendment to the duration of said licence, where objectively justifiable and in a proportionate manner.

I accept that the ComReg may publish and/or make available information relating to Wireless Telegraphy (Interim GSM Mobile Telephony) Licences and certain information relating to this application may be contained in such publications.

I confirm that no change will be made in any of the foregoing without prior approval of ComReg.



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I certify that I am duly authorised by (**Company Name**) to make this declaration and to sign on behalf of (**Company Name**).

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name in Capital Letters Only: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_