Next Generation National Broadband Network for Singapore (Next Gen NBN)

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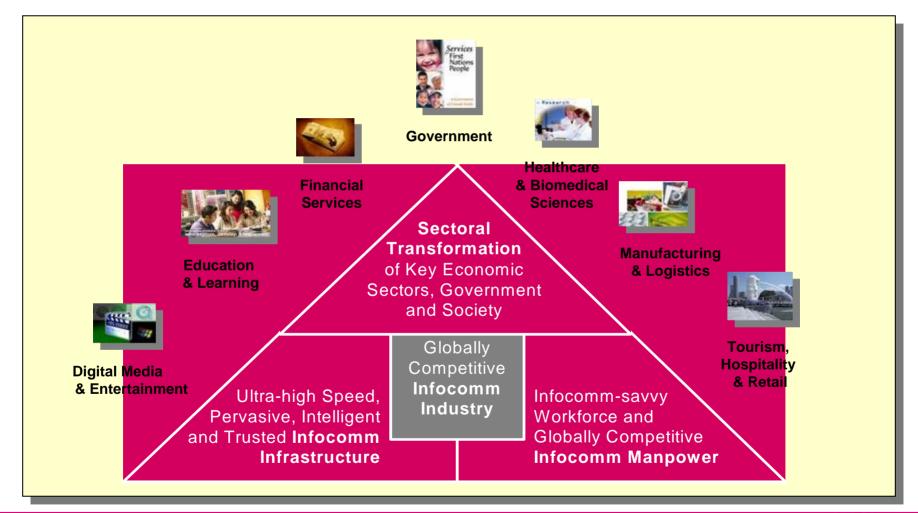
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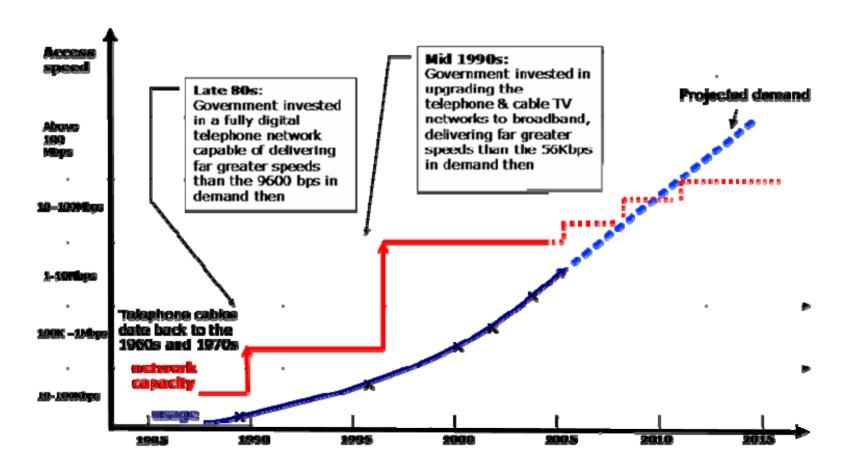
iN2015 Masterplan:

Our Digital Vision for Singapore



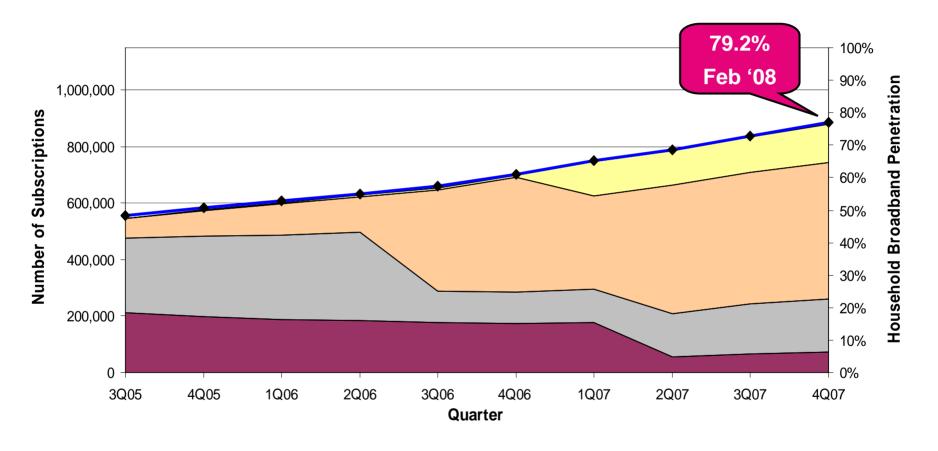


Infrastructure leadership has been critical to Singapore's competitiveness





Increasing Demand for Broadband and Demand for Higher Speeds







Mainstream Services Increasingly Offered Online

Working from Home



Online Job Search



Online Gaming



Online Banking



Video Conferencing



E-mail



Online Travel Bookings



Online Stock Trading



Online Healthcare



Online Shopping



Global Collaboration



E-Learning



Online Chatting



Filing e-Taxes



Video Streaming





Update on Next Gen NBN Developments



Extensive Industry Consultation & Dialogue

Budget 2006 Speech 17 Feb 2006



Committee of Supply 3 Mar 2006



Request for Concept (RFC)

Mar 2006

Competitive Dialogue

Invitation to Participate in Pre-Qualification and Competitive Dialogue (IPCD)

IPCD Stage

(15 Dec 06)

Submission (9 Feb 07)

Pre-Qualification of 12 Bidders (2 Mar 07) Issue of Competitive Dialogue Documents (2 Mar 07)

Submit Competitive Dialogue Proposals (4 May 07)

Competitive Dialogue

CD Stage Competitive Dialogue with Pre-Qualified Bidders (14 May – 5 Nov 07)

Request for Proposals (RFP)

Next Gen NBN RFP

NetCo RFP

11 Dec 07 – 3rd Qtr 08. Details shared at NetCo RFP launch on 11 Dec 07.

OpCo RFP

7 Apr 08 – 1stQtr 09. Details in Subsequent Slides.

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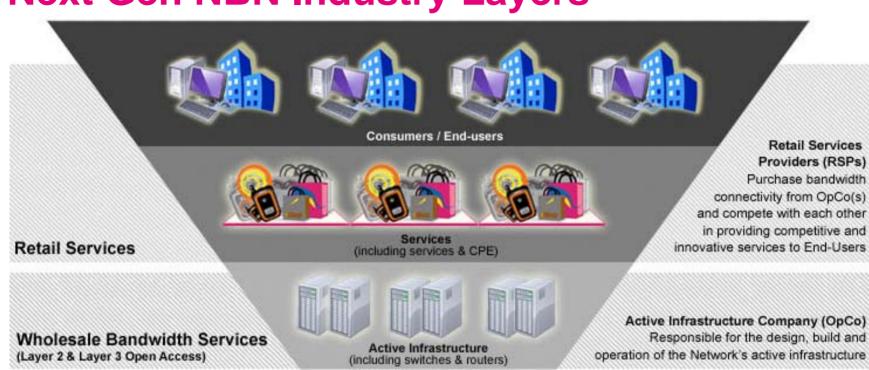


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Next Gen NBN Industry Structure



Next Gen NBN Industry Layers



Active Infrastructure (including switches & routers)

Wholesale Wirelines (Layer 1 Open Access)



Passive Infrastructure Company (NetCo)
Responsible for the design, build and operation of the
Network's passive infrastructure



Key Economic Characteristics of Next Gen NBN Industry Layers





Types of Separation Considered Between Upstream and Downstream Operators to Achieve Effective Open Access

Structural Separation

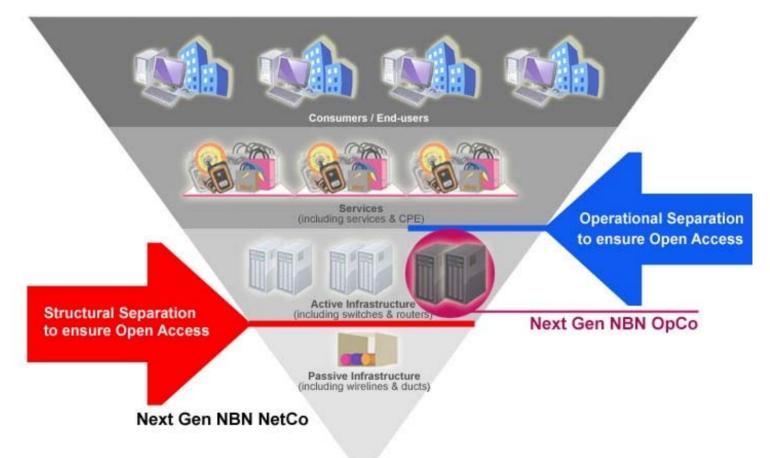
- Defined as "No Effective Control"
- Stricter form of separation
- For all intents and purposes, they are separate entities with fully autonomous decision-making considerations
- No Effective Control means that Entity A has no control over the management and major operating decisions of Entity B, and vice versa.
- One assessment factor is level of cross-shareholding, amongst others

Operational Separation

- Less stringent form of separation
- Allows the upstream entity to retain full shareholding ownership of its downstream operating units
- Required to set up a separate legal entity for its operations
- Provide Equivalence of Inputs to all downstream operators, i.e., provide services at the same prices and terms, with the same processes and information
- Shall be independent from its affiliated downstream operating units



Vibrant & Competitive Industry through Effective Open Access with Next Gen NBN Separation Requirements





Key Operational Separation Requirements for Next Gen NBN OpCo

Next Gen NBN OpCo shall be independent from its downstream affiliated operating units, including the following:

- Operate in all respects on a standalone basis, separate from affiliated downstream operating units
- Be located in separate premises
- Independently formulate & make own decisions on its assets and commercial policy
- Not allow its affiliated downstream operating units to have unequal influence on the formulation of commercial policy, and access to commercial information or customer confidential information
- OpCo's Board of Directors, Management and employees not to have responsibilities in any Affiliated Operator
- All remuneration and incentive schemes for the OpCo's Board of Directors, Management and employees not to be linked to the performance of Affiliated Operator(s)
- Ensure compliance with Operational Separation Requirements through the maintenance of a comprehensive governance manual, monitoring against a set of Operational Separation Performance Indicators, & appropriate reporting to the Monitoring Board



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Key Next Gen NBN Project Parameters



Key Licence Obligations & Targets of Next Gen NBN OpCo

NetCo RI Issued on 11 Dec 2007

Key NetCo Obligations

- Structural Separation
- Price Control via Interconnection Offer (ICO)
- Universal Service Obligation (USO)
- Licence period of 25 years

Key NetCo Targets

 Rollout Target •50% by 2012 •USO in 2015

Government Support

Grant of up to \$750m



OpCo RFP

Subject of this Briefing

Key OpCo Obligations

- Operational Separation
- Price Control via Interconnection Offer (ICO)
- Universal Service Obligation (USO)
- Licence period of 25 years

Key OpCo Targets

- Adoption target by 2015
 - 330.000 Residential subscribers
 - 80.000 Non-Residential subscribers

Government Support

- Grant of up to \$250m
- Catalyse further private sector investments
- Bring about NBN OpCo to fulfil above obligations and targets

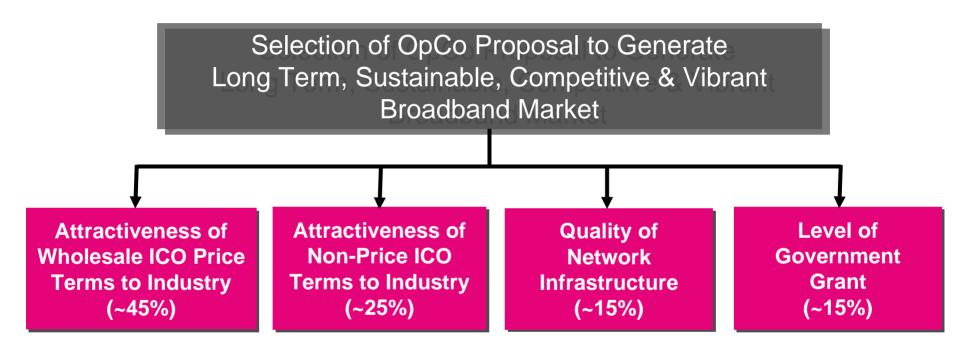


Exciting Benefits End-Users Can Look





Key Evaluation Parameters for Next Gen NBN OpCo





Business Price Aspects

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Technical Aspects

Business Non-Price Aspects

Financial Aspect

Attractiveness of ICO Price Terms to Industry (~45%)

Competitiveness of Wholesale ICO Prices (~40%)

Competitiveness of ICO Price Controls (~5%)

Factors Include:

- Residential
- Non-Residential
- Non-Building Address Points



Business Non-Price Aspects

Business Price Aspects

Technical Aspects

Business Non-Price Aspects

Financial Aspect

Attractiveness of ICO Non-Price Terms to Industry (~25%)

& Conditions to RSPs (~13%) Comprehensiveness & Relevance of ICO Offering (~9%)

Other Business Plan
Benefits
(~3%)

Factors include:

- Ordering, Provisioning & Deactivation
- Planning & Forecasting
- Billing
- Service Level Guarantees

Factors include:

- Basic Mandated Services
- Ancillary & Basic Non-Mandated Services



Technical Aspects

Business Price Aspects

Technical Aspects

Business Non-Price Aspects

Financial Aspect

Quality of Network Infrastructure (~15%)

Capability of Network (~11%)

Factors include:

- Access Technology
- Network Enhancements
- Network Security & Management

Scalability & Upgradeability of Network (~4%)

Factors include:

- Scalability
- Upgradeability



Financial Aspect

Business Technical Aspects

Business Financial Financial

Aspects

Aspect

Level of Government Support (~15%)

Lower level of Government grant requested will score higher.

Level of Government grant capped at \$250 Million.

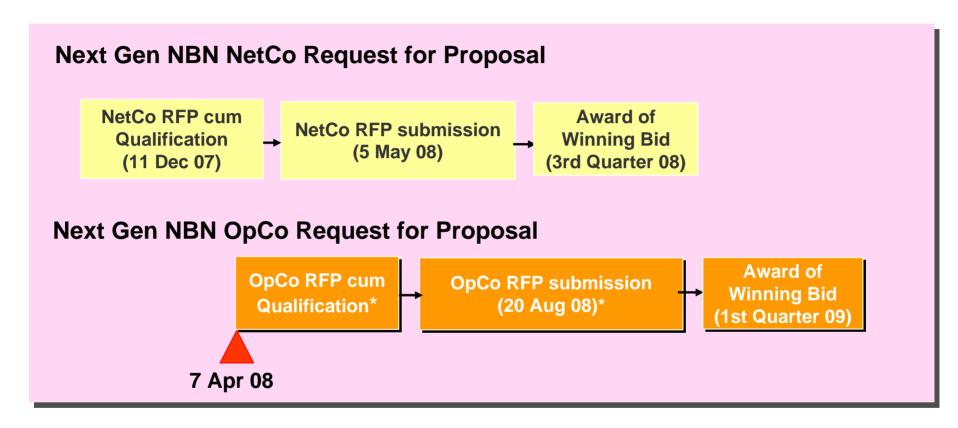


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Procurement Process & Timeline



Project Timeline



^{* 14-}days window for new bidders to submit qualifications. If new bidders are qualified or new consortium leads appointed, IDA will extend tender closing for all bidders by 40 days, or on the next working day.





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