REVIEW OF FIXED-MOBILE INTERCONNECTION

RESPONSE BY AT&T

At the present time, AT&T is unable to offer a position as to whether and how the current fixed mobile interconnect regime in Singapore should be changed and whether or not the Calling Party Pays (CPP) system should be adopted. However, we do feel that irrespective of the type of fixed-mobile interconnection regime, in a fully competitive marketplace, terminating mobile interconnection rates would be driven towards cost. We also believe the differential between costs for fixed and costs for mobile interconnection would likely be small, and the resultant differential in the termination charges would also likely be minimal. Therefore, AT&T respectfully asks the Info-comm Development Authority to ensure that its rules and regulations for fixed-mobile interconnect yield a regime that results in competitive outcomes, in particular, cost-based interconnection rates, regardless of whether the terminating networks are fixed or mobile.