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Annex III

Frequency assignment application

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1 Applicant

Name:	

2 Spectrum caps

To ensure competition in the national telecommunications market, the licensing authority has set the following bid restrictions (spectrum caps):

- 50 MHz across the two categories A (800 MHz) and B (900 MHz); i.e. the category A and B frequencies acquired must not exceed 2x25 MHz (or 5 blocks) in total; and
- 270 MHz over the entire FDD spectrum (i.e. categories A, B, C, D and E (800 MHz, 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 2.1 GHz and 2.6 GHz paired); i.e. the frequencies acquired in these categories must not exceed 2x135 MHz (or 27 blocks) in total.

3 Binding nature

Binding means that the participant:

- must accept a frequency portfolio applied for in the application at the specified minimum price if no more than three frequency assignment applications requesting a frequency portfolio are received; and
- must accept the frequency blocks it applied for in the application at the minimum price if the sum of the blocks applied for by all approved applicants does not exceed the number of available blocks in all advertised bands. Otherwise, the information provided here concerning the frequency requirements determines the eligibility, i.e. the extent of the bids that can be made in the further procedure (See Annex II, Section 2.1.5).

4 Application

A binding application is being made for frequency blocks from the 800 MHz, 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 2100 MHz and 2600 MHz bands in the amounts shown in the table below.

Category	Frequency band in MHz	Number of blocks	Block size	Minimum bid per block (CHF)	Eligibility points per block	Number of blocks applied for
A	791-821 (DL) / 832-862 (UL)	6	2x 5 MHz	23.1m	3	
B	880-915 (UL) / 925-960 (DL)	7	2x 5 MHz	23.1m	3	
C	1710-1785 (UL) / 1805-1880 (DL)	15	2x 5 MHz	15.4m	2	
D	1920-1980 (UL) / 2110-2170 (DL)	12	2x 5 MHz	15.4m	2	
E	2500-2570 (UL) / 2620-2690 (DL)	14	2x 5 MHz	7.7m	1	
F	2570-2620	2	1x 20-25 MHz	15.4m	2	

5 Frequency portfolios

Three packages of frequencies are being awarded as frequency portfolios. These three frequency portfolios each contain:

- 2 blocks of 2x5 MHz in category A or B
- 2 blocks of 2x5 MHz in category C
- 1 block of 2x5 MHz in category D
- 2 blocks of 2x5 MHz in category E

and cost CHF 129.36 million each. This amount is calculated from the sum of the minimum prices per category, multiplied by the number of blocks per category and a portfolio surcharge of 20 per cent.

A frequency portfolio may be requested if the number of blocks requested in each category is at least as high as the number of blocks in a portfolio. The following sections 5.1 and 5.2 should only be completed if applicable.

5.1 Applying for a frequency portfolio

A frequency portfolio is hereby applied for (please tick as appropriate):

☐ Yes

☐ No

Only one cross may be marked.

The frequency portfolio can only be assigned as a whole. Each applicant can receive a maximum of one frequency portfolio.

5.2 Choice of blocks from categories A and B

The applicant requests that, in the event of a frequency portfolio being assigned, the two blocks from categories A and B be assigned as follows:

Number in category A	
Number in category B	

Please note that the total cannot exceed 2, as only 2 blocks from categories A and B are included in a frequency portfolio.

If the applicant does not provide any information, any assigned frequency portfolio will include one block each in category A and category B.

6 Eligibility

In the event of a clock auction for blocks remaining after the assignment of frequency portfolios (i.e. if the sum of the blocks applied for by all applicants exceeds the number of available blocks in at least one category), the applicant's maximum eligibility is calculated as:

Eligibility points per block (see table above) multiplied by the number of blocks applied for per category, totalled across all categories, less the eligibility points of a frequency portfolio (14), if this has been applied for and assigned.

7 Amount of bank guarantee

The amount to be guaranteed by the bank is calculated according to the requirements for frequencies in all categories in the table above dependent of whether an application is made for a frequency portfolio. For blocks not included in the portfolio, the amount to be guaranteed is determined based on the minimum bid per block

(see table above) multiplied by the corresponding number of blocks requested per category. The amounts determined for each category are added together. The price of any frequency portfolio requested, amounting to CHF 129.36 million, is added to this sum. This results in a guaranteed amount of

in CHF	
in words	

8 Signature

Date	
Signature	