

**SECOND ROUND ASSIGNMENT OF SPECTRUM  
IN THE 26 GHZ AND 28 GHZ BANDS  
FOR PROVISION OF LARGE SCALE PUBLIC MOBILE SERVICES**

**APPLICANT NOTICE**

This is a notice referred to in paragraph 3.3 of the *Guidelines for Submission of Applications for Second Round Assignment of Spectrum in the 26 GHz and 28 GHz Bands for Provision of Large Scale Public Mobile Services* (“Guidelines”) and the notice to revise the application deadline (“Revision Notice”) issued by the Office of the Communications Authority (“OFCA”) on 29 February 2024 and 22 March 2024 respectively. Unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires, words and expressions used in this notice shall have the same meaning as those in the Guidelines.

2. The Communications Authority (“CA”) hereby announces the identity of each of the applicants (in alphabetical order) which have submitted an application for the second round assignment of spectrum in the 26 GHz and 28 GHz bands for provision of large scale public mobile services to OFCA, as follows -

- (a) China Mobile Hong Kong Company Limited;
- (b) Hong Kong Telecommunications (HKT) Limited;
- (c) Hutchison Telephone Company Limited; and
- (d) SmarTone Mobile Communications Limited.

3. Pursuant to paragraph 3.8 of the Guidelines and the Revision Notice, each applicant is required to notify the CA by 2 May 2024 whether or not it is a connected company in relation to each of other companies listed above which is an applicant and/or an incumbent assignee of the spectrum in the 26 GHz and 28 GHz bands for provision of large scale public mobile services by completing and submitting a statutory declaration on connected company in the form as provided in Annex C of the Guidelines.

4. For the avoidance of doubt, the applicants listed above have not been determined as Qualified Applicants. After making its determination under paragraphs 3.4 and 3.9 of the Guidelines, the CA will publish a list of Qualified

Applicants in accordance with paragraph 3.5 of the Guidelines to announce the identity of each applicant which has been determined to be a Qualified Applicant.

Communications Authority  
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