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Ms. Tanowa Troupe, Secretary Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

Re: In the Matter of the Notice Filing of Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC, CBTS Technology Solutions LLC, Cincinnati Bell Extended Territories LLC, Red Fiber Parent LLC, and Cincinnati Bell Inc. to Notify the Commission of Changes in Control Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Sections 4905.402(G) and (H)(1), PUCO Case No. 20-1178-TP-COI.

Dear Ms. Troupe:

On June 19, 2020, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC ("CBT"), CBTS Technology Solutions LLC ("CBTS"), and Cincinnati Bell Extended Territories LLC ("CBET") (together, the "Licensees"), Red Fiber Parent, LLC ("Red Fiber Parent" or "Transferee"), and Cincinnati Bell Inc. ("Cincinnati Bell" or "Transferor") (Red Fiber Parent and Cincinnati Bell, collectively with Licensees, the "Parties") filed a notice informing the Commission of changes in control pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Sections 4905.402(G) and (H)(1).

Under Ohio Revised Code Section 4905.402, Commission approval is not required for a transaction that is also under review by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"). The Parties submitted their Joint Application to the FCC on May 15, 2020 and supplemented that Joint Application on July 28, 2020. The Parties now write to provide the Commission with the supplement filed with the FCC, which details changes to the ownership structure of Red Fiber Parent, and is attached hereto. This supplement updates two parts of the notice filed earlier in this docket - Exhibit A (Description of the Transaction) and Exhibit C (Current and Post-Transaction Control Structure of Licensees).

 $^{1}\ Available\ at:\ \underline{https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10728132975800/Supplemental\%20Letter.pdf}.$



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Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this submission.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Gretchen L. Petrucci

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July 28, 2020

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Re: Red Fiber Parent LLC, Section 1.65 Amendment

WC Docket No. 20-146; IBFS File Nos. ITC-T/C-20200515-00070, ITC-T/C-20200515-00071, ITC-T/C-20200515-00072, SCL-T/C-20200520-00020, SCL-T/C-20200520-00021; ULS File No. 0009033032

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.65 of the Commission's rules, Red Fiber Parent LLC ("Red Fiber Parent"), by its undersigned representative, hereby supplements the above-referenced applications (the "Applications") seeking consent to the transfer of control of Cincinnati Bell Inc. ("Cincinnati Bell"), CBTS Technology Solutions LLC ("CBTS"), Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC ("CBT"), Cincinnati Bell Extended Territories LLC ("CBET"), Hawaiian Telcom, Inc. ("HTI"), Hawaiian Telcom Services Company, Inc. ("HTSC"), and Wavecom Solutions Corporation ("Wavecom") (CBTS, CBT, CBET, HTI, HTSC, and Wavecom collectively, "Licensees" and, together with Red Fiber Parent and Cincinnati Bell, "Applicants"). A restated Petition for Declaratory Ruling containing this information is being filed separately.²

Red Fiber Parent and its affiliates have obtained a commitment for an indirect equity investment by Retail Employees Superannuation Trust ("REST"), an Australian superannuation fund managed by Retail Employees Superannuation Pty Limited ("Rest Trustee"), as trustee of the fund.³ REST is a widely held Australian public offer pension fund managing over AUD 52 billion (USD \$36 billion) on behalf of approximately 1.7 million members.

² See IBFS File No. ISP-PDR-20200515-00003.

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 1.65.

³ A superannuation fund is a form of regulated pension plan established under Australian law where the employer makes statutory contributions on behalf of its employees to provide for the employees' retirement, where contributions to the fund, earnings on fund investments, and withdrawals from the fund may attract certain tax concessions.

As described in the Applications, at the time of the closing of the Transaction, Red Fiber Parent will own directly 100% of the stock of Cincinnati Bell. The sole member of Red Fiber Parent is RF Topco LLC ("TopCo"), a Delaware limited liability company formed at the direction of MIP V (FCC) AIV, L.P. ("MIP V"), a Delaware limited partnership. The sole member of TopCo is Red Fiber Holdings LLC ("RF Holdings"), a Delaware limited liability company. At the time of the closing of the Transaction, RF Holdings will be majority owned indirectly by MIP V through MIP V RF Partners, L.P. ("MIP V Member").

At closing of the Transaction, RF Holdings also will be minority owned indirectly by (i) certain alternative investment vehicles managed by the Private Equity Group of Ares Management Corporation ("Ares Management")⁴ and (ii) REST. REST's indirect interest in Red Fiber Parent will be held by Rest Nominees No. 2 Pty Ltd as trustee for the REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust ("Rest Immediate Entity"). The Rest Immediate Entity is a special purpose investment vehicle whose sole beneficiary is REST Nominees No. 1 Pty Ltd as trustee for REST International Infrastructure Investments Holding Trust ("Rest Intermediate Entity"). The sole beneficiary of the Rest Intermediate Entity is REST, which is managed by the Rest Trustee, in its capacity as the trustee of REST.

At the time of the closing of the Transaction, the Ares AIVs (in the aggregate) and the Rest Immediate Entity are expected to own, respectively, approximately 21.2% and 17.3% of the membership interests in RF Holdings, while MIP V will hold the remaining 61.5%. The respective expected membership interests owned at closing of the Transaction by MIP V Member, the Ares AIVs, and the Rest Immediate Entity may be subject to change prior to or shortly after closing of the Transaction based on additional equity investment by these entities.

Additionally, passive investors will hold indirect equity interests through limited partnership interests in MIP V or MIP V Member (or an affiliate entity), or the Ares AIVs, or membership interests in REST. These passive investors will each hold indirect interests of less than 10% in Red Fiber Parent. Passive investors holding indirect equity interests through limited partnership interests will have usual and customary minority investor rights and protections, but will have no voting or control rights regarding Red Fiber Parent, Cincinnati Bell, or the Licensees. Passive investors holding membership interests in REST will also have no voting or control rights regarding Red Fiber Parent, Cincinnati Bell, or the Licensees.

The entities directly or indirectly holding or controlling a 10% or greater interest in the Rest Immediate Entity are identified in **Exhibit A**. REST does not provide telecommunications services, nor does it hold or control interests of 10% or greater in any provider of telecommunications services.

⁴ As described in the Applications, the interests in RF Holdings indirectly held by Ares Management will be held by (i) alternative investment vehicles (the "SSF AIVs") controlled by ASSF Management IV, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SSF IV"), as the general partner of the SSF AIVs and (ii) alternative investment vehicles (the "ASOF AIVs," and together with the SSF AIVs, the "Ares AIVs") controlled by ASOF Management, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("ASOF," and together with SSF IV, "Ares"), as the general partner of the ASOF AIVs.

Diagrams depicting the pre- and post-Transaction corporate ownership structures, as modified by REST's prospective indirect minority ownership of Red Fiber Parent, are provided in **Exhibit B**.

In addition to those individuals already identified in the Applications, copies of correspondence for Red Fiber Parent also should be directed to:

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Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

Ownership of REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust

The following entities or individuals hold 10% or greater interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust:

Name: Address: Citizenship: Principal Business: Interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust:	REST Nominees No. 2 Pty Ltd Level 5, 321 Kent Street Sydney, New South Wales, Australia Australia Special Purpose Vehicle 100% (directly as trustee of REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust)
Name: Address: Citizenship: Principal Business: Interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust:	REST International Infrastructure Investments Holding Trust Level 5, 321 Kent Street Sydney, New South Wales, Australia Australia Investment 100% (directly through beneficial ownership of REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust; also indirectly through beneficial ownership of REST Nominees No. 2 Pty Ltd)
Name: Address: Citizenship: Principal Business: Interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust:	REST Nominees No. 1 Pty Ltd Level 5, 321 Kent Street Sydney, New South Wales, Australia Australia Special Purpose Vehicle 100% (indirectly through legal ownership of REST Nominees No. 2 Pty Ltd and as trustee of REST International Infrastructure Investments Holding Trust)
Name: Address: Citizenship:	Retail Employees Superannuation Pty Ltd Level 5, 321 Kent Street Sydney, New South Wales, Australia Australia

Principal Business: Trustee

Interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust: 100% (indirectly through legal

ownership of REST Nominees No. 1 Pty Ltd and as trustee of Retail Employees Superannuation Trust)

Name: Retail Employees Superannuation

Trust

Address: Level 5, 321 Kent Street

Sydney, New South Wales, Australia

Citizenship: Australia

Principal Business: Superannuation Trust

Interest in REST US Infrastructure No. 2 Trust: 100% (indirectly through beneficial

ownership of REST International Infrastructure Investments Holding Trust and of REST Nominees No. 1

Pty Ltd)

The ultimate beneficial owners of Retail Employees Superannuation Pty Ltd (being the trustee) are:

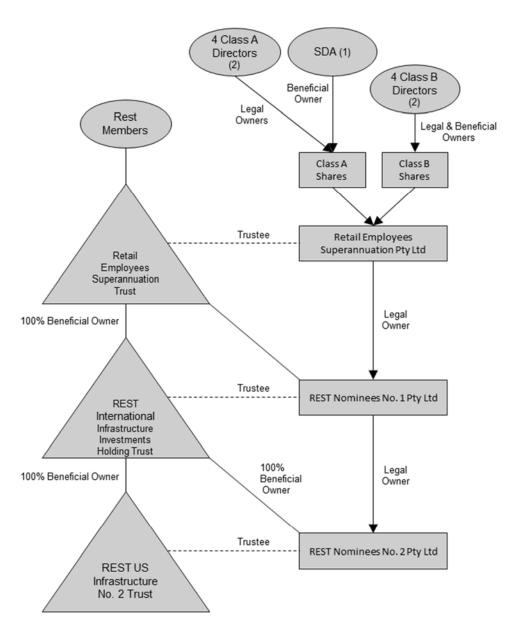
Name (Citizenship)	Share Beneficially Held
Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association	50%
("SDA") ⁵ (Australia)	
Steven John Priestly (Australia)	12.5%
John Vincent Edstein (Australia)	12.5%
Vaughn Nigel Richtor (Australia)	12.5%
Sally Louise Evans (Australia)	12.5%

While Retail Employees Superannuation Pty Ltd is the trustee of REST, its shares must be held by a person who is a sponsor (persons who represent the interests of employers or members who participate in REST or a group of such employers or members) or their nominee. Currently, there are 4 A Class shares and 4 B Class shares on issue. The four individuals named in the table above legally and beneficially hold 1 B Class share each as nominees of employer sponsors. Ian John Blandthorn, Michael Ward Tehan, Adam Neil Walk and Julia Fox each legally hold 1 A Class share for the benefit of, and as nominees of, the Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association, who is a member sponsor.

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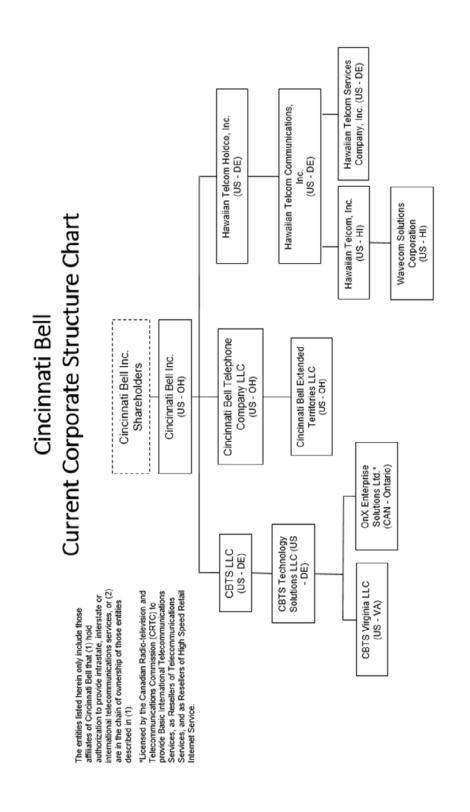
⁵ The SDA is a not-for-profit labor union representing over 200,000 members. No member beneficially controls greater than 10% of the SDA.

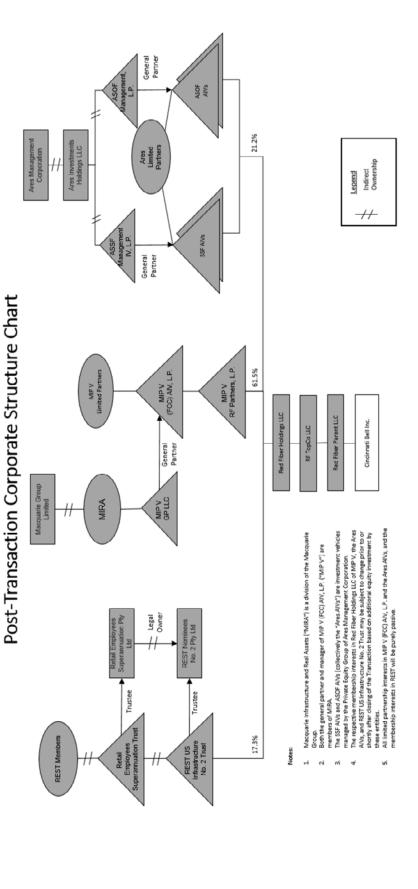
As trustee, Retail Employees Superannuation Pty Ltd is responsible for managing the Retail Employees Superannuation Trust for the benefit of its members. Approximately 1.7 million members are the ultimate beneficial owners of Retail Employees Superannuation Trust.



- (1) SDA is the Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association
- (2) Refer to list of Rest Board of Directors for Class A and Class B Directors

 $\underline{\textbf{EXHIBIT B}}$ Pre- and Post-Transaction Corporate Ownership Structure Charts





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Summary: Notice -- Supplement to Notice Filing electronically filed by Mrs. Gretchen L. Petrucci on behalf of Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC and CBTS Technology Solutions LLC and Cincinnati Bell Extended Territories LLC and Cincinnati Bell Inc. and Red Fiber Parent LLC