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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)**  
**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): August 2, 2015**

**Sprint Corporation**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State of Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-04721**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**  
**6200 Sprint Parkway**

**46-1170005**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
  
**Identification Number)**

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**Overland Park, Kansas 66251**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)**

**(855) 848-3280**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02 Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On August 3, 2015, Sprint Corporation ( Sprint ) announced that Tarek Robbiati, 50, has agreed to become Chief Financial Officer of Sprint effective on August 31, 2015. Joseph Euteneuer, our current Chief Financial Officer, will leave Sprint following the orderly transition of responsibilities. The press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Mr. Robbiati has been the Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of FlexiGroup Limited since January 21, 2013 and January 28, 2013 respectively. FlexiGroup Limited is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange and provides a range of finance products and payment solutions to consumers and businesses through a network of retail and business partners. FlexiGroup Limited operates in Australia, New Zealand, and Ireland. Previously, Mr. Robbiati served as Group Managing Director of Telstra International Group and Chairman of CSL-NWM, a mobile operator in Hong Kong, and also served as deputy Chief Financial Officer of Telstra Corporation. Prior to that, Mr. Robbiati held various management positions at Telstra International Group, Hong Kong CSL Limited (a subsidiary of Telstra Corporation Limited), and Telstra Corporation Limited. On July 27, 2015, Sprint entered into an employment agreement with Mr. Robbiati (the Agreement ) with an initial term of 24 months from his hire date. The Agreement provides for the following annual compensation:

an annual base salary of \$800,000;

participation in Sprint s short-term incentive compensation plan with a targeted annual opportunity for fiscal year 2015 equal to 125% of his annual base salary, prorated for the period from his hire date through March 31, 2016; and

participation in Sprint s long-term incentive compensation plan. For fiscal year 2015 the targeted annual opportunity will be \$1,500,000; for the remainder of the term the targeted annual opportunity will be determined annually by Sprint s Compensation Committee.

The Agreement states that Sprint will provide Mr. Robbiati with the following sign-on compensation:

a \$375,000 cash sign-on bonus payable as soon as administratively practicable after thirty days following his hire date;

if Mr. Robbiati forfeits his short-term bonus from FlexiGroup as a result of his employment with Sprint, a cash payment in U.S. dollars in an amount equal to \$900,000 AUD payable within 30 days of validation of such forfeiture;

an award of 520,000 shares of restricted stock units (the Sign-On RSU Award ) granted as of his hire date, to vest on the second anniversary of the date of grant; and

The Agreement provides for an award of 1.25 million shares of restricted stock units which can be earned upon the achievement of specified volume-weighted average prices of Sprint s common stock during any 150-calendar day period during the four-year period from June 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019 (the Turnaround RSU Award ).

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The Agreement provides that Mr. Robbiati's job location will be in Overland Park, Kansas and that he will relocate his primary residence to the area by September 30, 2015 under the standard officer relocation program, with certain exceptions appropriate given he is relocating from Australia.

Under the Agreement, in the event that Mr. Robbiati's employment is terminated by Sprint without cause (as defined in the Agreement), or Mr. Robbiati terminates his employment for good reason (as defined in the Agreement), other than in connection with a change in control of Sprint and subject to a release of claims:

he will continue to receive his base salary for 24 months following his termination date (the Restricted Period );

he will receive a payment under the then-applicable short-term incentive plan during the Restricted Period equal to the lesser of his targeted opportunity as of his termination date and the payout determined by Sprint's Compensation Committee based on actual performance of Sprint compared to the targeted objectives under the plan;

he will be entitled to participate in certain benefit plans during the Restricted Period; and

the restrictions with respect to any unvested portions of the Sign-On Restricted Stock Award will lapse as of his termination date; and

the restrictions with respect to the Turnaround RSU Award will lapse for a pro-rata number of the shares earned upon achievement of the price targets that would have otherwise been received without such termination on the vesting date, based on the number of days Mr. Robbiati was employed during the performance period over the entire performance period; provided, however, that if he has a termination of employment for the reason described above before completing 365 days of service, his pro-rata earned shares will be calculated using 365 days in the numerator rather than the number of days he was employed during the performance period, but only earned upon the achievement of specified volume-weighted average prices of Sprint's common stock during any 150-calendar day period during the four-year period from June 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019.

Upon Mr. Robbiati's death, the restrictions with respect to any unvested portions of the Sign-On RSU Award would lapse and a pro rata portion of the Turnaround RSU Award would lapse as described above.

In the event of Mr. Robbiati's termination of employment due to disability, he will continue to receive his base salary for 12 months (reduced by any amounts paid under Sprint's long-term disability plan), he will be entitled to continue to participate in certain benefit plans for such period, and the restrictions with respect to any unvested portion of the Sign-On RSU Award will lapse as of his termination date. In addition, a pro rata portion of the Turnaround RSU Award would lapse as described above.

If, in connection with a change in control of Sprint, Mr. Robbiati's employment is terminated without cause or Mr. Robbiati terminates his employment for good reason during the 18-month period following a change in control (subject to certain exceptions), subject to a release of claims, he is entitled to severance compensation in the form of a lump sum payment of two times his base salary and two times his annual short-term target opportunity as of the date of his termination of employment, to participate in certain benefit plans during the Restricted Period and to the lapse as of his termination date of the restrictions with respect to any unvested portion of the Sign-On RSU Award. With respect to the Turnaround RSU Award, earned shares (if any) will be the greater of the achievement based on (1) volume-weighted average prices of Sprint's common stock over any 150-calendar day period as of the date of the change in control as compared to the price targets, or (2) the consideration per share of Sprint stock in connection with the change in control as compared to the price targets. Any earned shares under the previous sentence will vest on the vesting date as specified, unless the continuing entity fails to assume the RSUs, in which case vesting will accelerate without proration as of the date of the change in control. In addition, if during the 18-month period, Mr. Robbiati's employment is terminated by Sprint without cause, or Mr. Robbiati terminates his employment for good reason, any earned shares will immediately vest and become payable without proration. Change in Control for this award is as defined in the equity plan in effect, except that acquisition by SoftBank CORP. or its subsidiaries of 100% of Sprint's shares (such that the Company ceases to have any class of equity securities listed on a national securities exchange) will not constitute a change in control.

Throughout his employment and through the Restricted Period, Mr. Robbiati has agreed not to compete with Sprint or solicit employees or customers of Sprint. If Mr. Robbiati breaches any of these obligations, he would forfeit his right to any future severance payments and benefits to which he otherwise would be entitled.

The Agreement is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed with this report:

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
10.1	Employment Agreement, executed August 2, 2015, effective on August 31, 2015, between Tarek Robbiati and Sprint Corporation
99.1	Press Release

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 3, 2015

**Sprint Corporation**

By: /s/ Timothy P. O Grady  
 Timothy P. O Grady, Assistant Secretary

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96

104

8.3

%

**ARPU (HUF)**

2,586

2,678

3.6

%

Montenegro

Dec 31, 2008

Dec 31, 2009

% change

**Fixed line operations**

*Voice services*

<b>Fixed line penetration</b>	28.0%	26.3%	n.a.
<b>Total voice access</b>	182,235	176,890	(2.9)%
<b>Total outgoing traffic (thousand minutes)</b>	563,139	424,544	(24.6)%

*Data and TV services*

<b>Number of retail DSL customers</b>	38,956	54,983	41.1%
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<b>Number of wholesale DSL access</b>	0	0	n.a.
<b>Number of total DSL access</b>	38,956	54,983	41.1%
<b>Number of dial-up customers</b>	17,455	5,184	(70.3)%
<b>Number of leased line customers</b>	188	191	1.6%
<b>Number of IPTV customers</b>	17,531	29,612	68.9%
<b>Mobile operations</b>			
<b>Mobile penetration (3)</b>	185.6%	208.7%	n.a.
<b>Market share of T-Mobile Crna Gora (3)</b>	36.1%	36.7%	n.a.
<b>Number of customers (RPC)</b>	506,519	531,457	4.9%
<b>Postpaid share in the RPC base</b>	17.6%	19.6%	n.a.
<b>MOU</b>	105	96	(8.6)%
<b>ARPU (HUF)</b>	2,886	2,459	(14.8)%

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(1) Including VoIP and VoCable.

(2) Data relates to Magyar Telekom Plc.

(3) Data published by the Montenegrin Telecommunications Agency based on the total number of active SIM cards in the previous three months.

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**Interim management report -**

**Analysis of the Financial Statements**

**for the year ended December 31, 2009**

**Exchange rate information**

The Euro ( EUR ) strengthened by 2.3% against the Hungarian Forint ( HUF ) year on year (from 264.78 HUF/EUR on December 31, 2008 to 270.84 HUF/EUR on December 31, 2009). The average HUF/EUR rate increased from 251.25 in 2008 to 280.58 in 2009.

The U.S. Dollar ( USD ) appreciated by 0.1% against the Hungarian Forint year on year (from 187.91 HUF/USD on December 31, 2008 to 188.07 HUF/USD on December 31, 2009).

The Hungarian Forint weakened year over year by 11.7% against the Macedonian Denar ( MKD ) on average, affecting all revenue and expense lines of our Macedonian operations to a great extent.

**Investigation into certain consultancy contracts**

In the course of conducting their audit of the Company's 2005 financial statements, PricewaterhouseCoopers, the Company's auditors, identified two contracts the nature and business purposes of which were not readily apparent to them. In February 2006, the Company's Audit Committee retained White & Case, as its independent legal counsel, to conduct an internal investigation into whether the Company had made payments under those, or other contracts, potentially prohibited by U.S. laws or regulations, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act ( FCPA ) or internal Company policy. The Company's Audit Committee also informed the United States Department of Justice ( DOJ ), the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ( SEC ) and the Hungarian Financial Supervisory Authority of the internal investigation.

Based on the documentation and other evidence obtained by it, White & Case preliminarily concluded that there was reason to believe that four consulting contracts entered into in 2005 were entered into to serve improper objectives, and further found that during 2006 certain employees had destroyed evidence that was relevant to the investigation. White & Case also identified several contracts at our Macedonian subsidiary that warranted further review. In February 2007, our Board of Directors determined that those contracts should be reviewed and expanded the scope of the internal investigation to cover these additional contracts and any related or similarly questionable contracts or payments.

For further information about the internal and governmental investigations, please refer to the Company's quarterly reports for the first, second and third quarters of 2009 and the Company's annual reports on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2008 filed with the SEC.

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On December 2, 2009, the Audit Committee provided the Company's Board of Directors with a Report of Investigation to the Audit Committee of Magyar Telekom Plc. dated November 30, 2009 (the Final Report). The Audit Committee indicated that it considers that, with the preparation of the Final Report based on currently available facts, White & Case has completed its independent internal investigation.

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The Final Report includes the following findings and conclusions, based upon the evidence available to the Audit Committee and its counsel:

- As previously disclosed, with respect to Montenegrin contracts, there is insufficient evidence to establish that the approximately EUR 7 million in expenditures made pursuant to four consultancy contracts ... were made for legitimate business purposes, and there is affirmative evidence that these expenditures served improper purposes. These contracts were not appropriately recorded in the books and records of the Company and its relevant subsidiaries. As previously disclosed, the Company has already reclassified, in the Company's financial statements, the accounting treatment relating to certain of these contracts to more accurately account for these expenditures.
- As previously disclosed, there is evidence that certain former employees intentionally destroyed documents relating to activities undertaken in Macedonia by the Company and its affiliates.
- Between 2000 and 2006 a small group of former senior executives at the Company and the Company's Macedonian affiliates, authorized the expenditure of approximately EUR 24 million through over twenty suspect consultancy, lobbying, and other contracts (including certain contracts between the Company and its subsidiaries on one hand, and affiliates of a Cyprus-based consulting company on the other hand). The Final Report concludes that the available evidence does not establish that the contracts under which these expenditures were made were legitimate.
- The evidence shows that, contrary to their terms, a number of these contracts were undertaken to obtain specific regulatory and other benefits from the government of Macedonia. The Companies generally received the benefits sought and then made expenditures under one or more of the suspect contracts. There is evidence that the remaining contracts were also illegitimate and created a pool of funds available for purposes other than those stated on the face of the agreements. However, the Audit Committee's counsel did not have access to evidence that would allow it to identify the ultimate beneficiaries of these expenditures.
- In entering into these contracts and approving expenditures under them, the former senior executives knowingly caused, structured, or approved transactions that shared most or all of the following characteristics:
  - intentional circumvention of internal controls;
  - false and misleading Company documents and records;
  - lack of due diligence concerning, and failure to monitor performance of, contractors and agents in circumstances carrying a high risk of corruption;
  - lack of evidence of performance; and

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- expenditures that were not for the purposes stated in the contracts under which they were made, but rather were intended to obtain benefits for the Companies that could only be conferred by government action.

The Final Report states that the Investigation did not uncover evidence showing receipt of payments by any Macedonian government officials or political party officials.

Nothing in the Final Report implicates any current senior executive or Board member of the Company in connection with any wrongdoing.

As previously disclosed, the Company has taken remedial steps to address issues previously identified by the independent investigation, including steps designed to revise and enhance the Company's internal controls. In connection with the issuance of the Final Report, the Audit Committee has not made recommendations relating to the Company's compliance program or internal controls. Following its presentation to the Audit Committee regarding remedial actions in light of the Final Report, the Company is considering, in consultation with the Audit Committee, whether and to what extent the Final Report warrants additional remedial actions, including any personnel actions and/or changes in internal control policies and procedures at the Company or its subsidiaries to address the findings of the Final Report.

The Company is continuing to assess the nature and scope of potential legal remedies available to the Company against individuals or entities that may have caused harm to the Company.

As previously announced, the DOJ, the SEC and the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Macedonia have commenced investigations into certain of the Company's activities that were the subject of the internal investigation. Also, as previously announced, the Hungarian National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) has begun a criminal investigation into alleged misappropriation of funds relating to payments made in connection with the Company's ongoing internal investigation and the possible misuse of personal data of employees in the context of the internal investigation. These governmental investigations are continuing, and the Company continues to cooperate with those investigations. The Company cannot predict what the final outcome of those investigations may be or the impact, if any, they may have on its financial statements or results of operations. Furthermore, government authorities could seek criminal or civil sanctions, including monetary penalties, against the Company or its affiliates as well as additional changes to its business practices and compliance programs.

Magyar Telekom incurred HUF 6.4 bn in expenses relating to the investigations in 2009, which are included in other operating expenses of the Company's Headquarters business segment for financial reporting purposes.

#### **Lawsuit by minority shareholders**

#### **AGM, April 2008**

As previously disclosed, on May 23, 2008, two of our minority shareholders filed suit against Magyar Telekom Plc., requesting that the resolutions passed by our Annual General Meeting on April 25, 2008, including the resolution on the payment of dividends, be rendered ineffective. We paid dividends to our shareholders as approved by the AGM on April 25, 2008. The Court of Registry entered the changes required by the resolutions passed by the AGM into the company register.

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On May 13, 2009, the court of first instance rendered the resolutions (except for one procedural resolution) passed by the AGM on April 25, 2008 ineffective (the Ruling ). We believe that the Ruling is unfounded and instructed the law firm representing Magyar

Telekom to file an appeal. The law firm representing us submitted an appeal against the Ruling, but the appeal was filed after the deadline. The court of second instance refused the law firm's request for acceptance of the late filing on November 2, 2009. On December 19, 2009 we filed an appeal against the refusal at the Supreme Court. In the event the appeal against the refusal is denied by the Supreme Court, the Ruling will become final and enforceable. We intend to address the Ruling by proposing that confirmatory shareholders' resolutions be passed by our shareholders at the next general meeting with respect to the resolutions rendered ineffective.

As the Ruling (if it becomes final and enforceable) will render the shareholders' resolutions in question (including the resolution on the payment of dividends) ineffective from July 7, 2009 (the date as of which the Ruling would become enforceable), dividend payments for year 2007, which were made to shareholders by July 6, 2009 will continue to qualify as dividends even in the event the Ruling becomes final and enforceable. The Ruling, regardless of whether it becomes final and enforceable, will not result in any obligation of, nor require any action by, the shareholders.

#### **EGM, June 2009**

As previously disclosed, on July 29, 2009 two minority shareholders filed a law suit against the Company, requesting that the resolutions passed by the Extraordinary General Meeting on June 29, 2009 (the EGM) be rendered ineffective, and the suspension, as an interlocutory measure, of the implementation of resolutions on the approval of the sum due to the shareholders who did not wish to remain shareholders following the merger of two subsidiaries into the Company decided at the EGM and the resulting opening draft balance sheet and draft merger inventory. On August 31, 2009, the Court of Registry registered the merger of T-Kábel Magyarország Kft. and Dél-Vonal Kft into Magyar Telekom Nyrt (with the effective date of September 30, 2009), and all the other changes required by the resolutions passed by the EGM.

Magyar Telekom disagrees with the claim and has been vigorously defending against it. The claimants' request for the interlocutory measure was refused by the court in an order dated September 1, 2009. The lawsuit remains before the court of first instance.

We cannot fully exclude that the Company will be required to take other corporate actions in connection with the shareholders' suits described above. Also, we cannot provide any assurance that these matters would not have other adverse effects on the Company that are not currently foreseen.

#### **Accounting implications of the findings of the Investigation**

As a result of the findings of the Investigation, we identified three consultancy contracts, the payments of which were erroneously capitalized as part of the goodwill arising on the original acquisition of Makedonski Telekom in 2001 and the goodwill arising on Makedonski Telekom's repurchase of 10% of its shares in 2006. These amounts are now corrected and accounted for as though these payments had been expensed in 2001 and 2006 rather than capitalized as part of goodwill as originally reported.

In addition to the above, the other contracts that were identified by the Final Report, for which the available evidence does not establish that the contracts under which these expenditures were made were legitimate, were expensed in 2001-2006, which require no restatements on their own. However, depending on further analysis these contracts will probably qualify as non deductible expenses for various taxes. As the timing and the





amount of the potential tax impacts and any penalties related to these taxes are uncertain, these were provided for retrospectively as at December 31, 2006, which also had an impact on the balance of the Non-controlling interests.

### **Summary of significant accounting policies**

There have been no significant changes in our accounting policies during 2009. For the summary of our significant accounting policies see Note 2 to the 2008 Consolidated Financial Statements.

### **New segmental reporting**

Magyar Telekom established its current management structure in Hungary based on customer segmentation which requires different technology and marketing strategies, and support functions. The Group's operating segments in Hungary are: Consumer Services Business Unit ( CBU ), Business Services Business Unit ( BBU ), Media Business Unit ( MBU ), Group Headquarters ( Headquarters ) and Technology Business Unit ( Technology ). In addition, the Group also has operations in Macedonia and Montenegro, which represent two additional reporting segments. Of these segments MBU has not qualified as a reportable segment, therefore, it is included in All other in the reconciliations of the reportable segments totals.

The Consumer Services Business Unit ( CBU ) operates in Hungary providing mobile, fixed line telecommunications and TV distribution services (including marketing, sales and customer relations activities) to residential and small businesses telecommunications customers in Hungary with several million customers mainly under the T-Mobile and T-Home brands.

The Business Services Business Unit ( BBU ) operates in Hungary providing mobile and fixed line telecommunications, info-communications and system integration services (including marketing, sales and customer relations activities) mainly under the T-Systems and T-Mobile brands to key business partners (large corporate customers and public sector) as well as small and medium businesses ( SMB ). BBU's customer portfolio includes approximately 5,000 key and over 40,000 SMB customers.

The Group Headquarters ( Headquarters ) is responsible for the wholesale mobile and fixed line services in Hungary, and also performs strategic and cross-divisional management and support functions including Procurement, Treasury, Real estate, Accounting, Tax, Legal, Internal audit and similar shared services and other central functions of the Group's management. The Headquarters is also responsible for the Group's points of presence in Bulgaria, Romania and Ukraine providing wholesale services to local companies and operators.

The Technology Business Unit ( Technology ) is responsible for the operations and development of the mobile, fixed line and cable TV network as well as IT management in Hungary.

The Group also has full-scale mobile and fixed line telecommunications operations in Macedonia and Montenegro which represent two additional reporting segments of the Group. From 2009, similarly to the Hungarian operations, in these countries also less emphasis is put on the segregation by technology (fixed line or mobile services), but up until the end of 2009, the Group's operations in Macedonia and Montenegro

were

reviewed separately for the fixed line and mobile operations, therefore, these were two separate operating segments by country.

In addition to the operating segments described above, there are a few operations, which do not qualify as operating or reportable segments.

### **Analysis of group income statements**

#### **Revenues**

Fixed line voice-retail revenues decreased by 15.2% in 2009 compared to 2008, mainly driven by lower domestic outgoing traffic revenues and lower subscription fee revenues.

Subscription fee revenues decreased due to the lower number of our fixed line subscribers mainly in Hungary, but also abroad. However, the significant weakening of HUF against MKD and EUR positively affected subscription fee revenues expressed in HUF.

Domestic outgoing fixed line traffic revenues decreased in 2009 compared to 2008 mainly as a consequence of lower fixed to mobile ( F2M ) revenues in Hungary due to the reversal of HUF 8.5 bn provision booked on F2M termination fees in June 2008. In addition, the continuous decline in the number of revenue producing PSTN lines and lower traffic due to the financial crisis and mobile substitution led to lower domestic outgoing traffic revenues. Magyar Telekom Plc. offered several price discounts to customers choosing different tariff packages. The proportion of flat-rate packages was 27.9% within the total PSTN customer base of Magyar Telekom Plc. at December 31, 2009. Domestic outgoing traffic revenues in local currencies decreased also at Makedonski Telekom and at Crnogorski Telekom primarily due to lower usage reflecting the effect of mobile substitution. These decreases were mitigated by the favorable foreign exchange rate effect.

International outgoing fixed line traffic also declined primarily due to lower volume of outgoing international traffic and loss of lines both at Magyar Telekom Plc. and at Makedonski Telekom.

Value added and other services revenues showed a decrease in 2009 as compared to the previous year mainly due to lower usage of value added services (directory assistance, audiofix, etc.) at Magyar Telekom Plc. and at Makedonski Telekom.

Internet revenues of the fixed line operations decreased to HUF 55.1 bn in 2009 compared to HUF 59.8 bn in 2008. In Hungary, the number of DSL connections remained broadly stable and reached 629,186 at December 31, 2009, while Cablenet customer base increased by 19.7% to 152,878 by the end of December 2009 compared to a year earlier. Magyar Telekom Plc. accounted for an estimated 58% retail DSL market share and an approximately 19% cable broadband market share at December 31, 2009. The broadband volume increase could not fully compensate the effect of lower prices forced by fierce competition. Since the rebranding in September 2008, the number of T-Home double- and triple-play packages has been increasing resulting in further decrease in tariffs. In Hungary, lower advertisement revenues affected by economic crisis also contributed to the decrease in Internet revenues. These decreases were slightly compensated by a strong increase in the number of

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DSL connections at our foreign subsidiaries.

Data revenues amounted to HUF 30.8 bn in 2009 compared to HUF 28.8 bn in 2008. Higher revenues at Crnogorski Telekom resulted mainly from higher number of leased

line customers and increased Global Internet Access ( GIA ) wholesale broadband revenues. This increase was largely intensified by the significant weakening of HUF against EUR. The increase in Makedonski Telekom s broadband data revenues was primarily attributable to the favorable foreign exchange translation effect and, to a lesser extent, to higher number of domestic leased line customers and new contracts for digital leased lines. These retail volume increases were partly offset by the decline in the number of wholesale broadband leased lines with VIP (the third largest operator in the Macedonian mobile market).

TV revenues amounted to HUF 23.8 bn in 2009 as compared to HUF 18.8 bn in 2008. The increase is mainly due to the introduction of satellite TV service in Hungary in November 2008. The number of satellite TV customers has been dynamically increasing and reached 156,142 at December 31, 2009. The growth in IPTV revenues driven by enlarging IPTV subscriber base both in Hungary and at our foreign subsidiaries also contributed to the increase in TV revenues. These increases were partly offset by lower Cable TV revenues driven by decreased average revenue per user ( ARPU ) and lower subscriber base in Hungary.

Revenues from fixed line equipment decreased by 32.8% for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to 2008. The decline in equipment revenues relates primarily to lower revenues at Combridge. Lower telecommunications equipment rental revenue at CBU reflects the strong decrease in the number of rented telephone sets. At Makedonski Telekom, the decrease was due to the combined effect of lower sales volume of computers, ADSL modems and higher sales volume of TV sets. ADSL modem wholesale decreased also at Headquarters. These decreases were partially compensated by higher equipment sale revenue at CBU in line with higher sales volume of personal computers (LaptopNet campaigns) in 2009.

Other fixed line revenues decreased by 19.8% in 2009 compared to the previous year. Other revenues include construction, maintenance, rental and miscellaneous revenues. The decrease partly resulted from lower other revenues at EPT due to decreased number of contact centre contracts in the financial sector. Lower revenues related to telephone book publishing at Magyar Telekom Plc. and the decline in other fixed line revenues of Combridge also contributed to the decrease.

Revenues from mobile telecommunications services amounted to HUF 326.0 bn for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to HUF 331.8 bn in 2008 (a 1.7% decrease). The small decrease in mobile revenues resulted mainly from significantly lower voice revenues at the mobile operations of Magyar Telekom Plc. (T-Mobile Hungary, TMH ), mostly offset by higher non-voice revenues at TMH as well as higher voice revenues at T-Mobile Macedonia ( T-Mobile MK ) strongly affected by favorable movement of average HUF/MKD rate.

Within mobile telecommunications services, voice revenues represent the largest portion of revenues. It amounted to HUF 239.2 bn in 2009 as compared to HUF 249.2 bn in 2008. At TMH, the positive effect of higher average customer base could not fully compensate the decline in outgoing per minute fees forced by strong competition. The significant decrease in voice-wholesale revenues reflects decreased termination fees (15% decrease from January 1, 2009) and lower incoming MOU, while declining roaming revenues show primarily the decrease in roaming usage, and, to a lesser extent, the impact of EU roaming regulation. Besides favorable foreign exchange movements, the increase at T-Mobile MK was mainly due to higher voice-retail revenues resulting from higher average customer

base and higher MOU, partly offset by decrease in average per minute fees and lower subscription fees.

TMH's blended average usage per customer per month measured in MOU slightly increased to 155 minutes in 2009. TMH's monthly ARPU decreased by 7.9% from HUF 4,087 in 2008 to HUF 3,764 in 2009, mainly as a result of lower average per minute fees forced by strong competition as well as lower termination and roaming rates.

Mobile penetration reached 117.7% in Hungary and TMH accounts for 43.4% market share in the highly competitive mobile market at December 31, 2009 based on the total number of SIM cards. TMH's customer base decreased by 4.5% year over year. The proportion of postpaid customers increased to 45.0% at December 31, 2009 from 38.5% a year earlier.

Higher non-voice revenues were primarily due to TMH's increased access revenues boosted by mobile Internet but higher content revenues also contributed to the increase. These increases were partly offset by lower messaging and visitor non-voice revenues. Non-voice revenues already represent 19.4% of total ARPU in 2009. By the end of December 2009, TMH had 428,545 mobile broadband customers and accounted for a 45.9% market share in the mobile broadband market. At T-Mobile MK, the increase resulted from expanding mobile Internet and content services, somewhat compensated by lower number of SMSs.

Mobile equipment and activation revenues showed a slight increase in 2009 compared to the previous year mainly due to the increase at T-Mobile MK driven by higher number of handsets sold in retention. Declining equipment revenues at TMH mostly offset this increase due to decreased number of handsets sold affected by both the economic crisis and high mobile penetration in Hungary. Average sales price per handset increased due to high-end offers (iPhone and multimedia packages), but it did not fully compensate the loss on transaction number.

System Integration (SI) and IT revenues increased by 6.1% from HUF 41.4 bn in 2008 to HUF 43.9 bn in 2009 as a result of higher outsourcing revenues at BBU and also driven by increased application revenues, partly offset by lower infrastructure and prime contracting revenues.

### **Operating Expenses**

Voice-, data- and Internet-related payments decreased to HUF 71.6 bn in 2009 compared to HUF 79.1 bn in 2008 predominantly resulting from lower voice-related payments to domestic mobile operators in Hungary driven by lower mobile termination fees applied from January 1, 2009. The payments to domestic mobile operators decreased also at Makedonski Telekom due to lower interconnection fees and decreased traffic.

The material cost of telecommunications equipment sold in 2009 amounted to HUF 44.0 bn compared to HUF 45.1 bn in 2008. The small decrease is mainly due to declining cost at Pro-M in line with lower TETRA-related revenues in 2009. Lower number of handsets sold in the mobile prepaid segment at CBU and lower number of ADSL modems sold on wholesale basis also contributed to the decrease. These decreases were largely counterbalanced by higher cost of equipment at T-Mobile MK resulting from higher number of handsets sold in retention campaigns.



Payments to agents and other subcontractors increased by 3.6% in 2009 compared to 2008. The increase mainly refers higher SI/IT-related payments at IQSYS in line with higher outsourcing revenues as well as increased application revenues. Higher content and TV-related payments due to broadcast and royalty fee paid by CBU in connection with satellite TV and IPTV services also increased payments to agents and other subcontractors in 2009.

Employee-related expenses in 2009 amounted to HUF 101.9 bn compared to HUF 100.3 bn in 2008 (an increase of 1.6%). The increase in employee-related expenses was predominantly attributable to higher severance expenses at Magyar Telekom Plc. in 2009. Higher average employee number (due to the insourcing of rented workforce) and a 5.6% average wage increase from April 1, 2009 also contributed to the increase. These increases were largely mitigated by decreased severance expenses at Makedonski Telekom and at Crnogorski Telekom, where significant amount of expense was recorded in 2008. The group headcount number increased from 10,439 on December 31, 2008 to 10,828 on December 31, 2009.

Depreciation and amortization decreased by 4.0% to HUF 101.9 bn in 2009 from HUF 106.1 bn in 2008. Lower amount of depreciation is mainly driven by the decrease at Magyar Telekom Plc. due to change in the useful life of a number of assets during 2008 and 2009.

Other net operating expenses decreased year over year and amounted to HUF 132.4 bn in 2009. Other operating expenses - net include HUF 37.2 bn materials and maintenance expenses, HUF 34.4 bn service fees, HUF 16.2 bn marketing expenses, HUF 14.7 bn fees and levies, HUF 11.2 bn consultancy and HUF 18.7 bn other expenses in 2009. Lower other net operating expenses reflect mainly the significant decrease in marketing expenses at CBU due to less intensive advertising activity in 2009 (cost cutting) and the expenses related to T-Home brand campaign in 2008. In the third quarter of 2009, Crnogorski Telekom reversed approximately HUF one bn provision made in 2007 for litigation in connection with the voluntary leave program. The considerable gain realized on the IKO-Telekom Media Holding M-RTL transaction also contributed to the decrease in 2009. These decreases were partly compensated by lower other operating income in 2009 at Makedonski Telekom due to the sale of its fully owned subsidiary, Montmak in February 2008. Higher consultancy fees accounted in relation to the ongoing investigation at Headquarters further offset the decrease in 2009.

### **Operating Profit**

Operating margin for the year ended December 31, 2008 was 24.1%, while operating margin for 2009 was 22.8%. The decrease is due to the fact that while total revenues declined by 4.3%, total operating expenses decreased only by 2.7% (the drivers of which are explained above).

### **Net financial expenses**

Net financial expenses amounted to HUF 32.8 bn in 2009 compared to HUF 30.3 bn in 2008. Net financial expenses increased mainly due to increased foreign exchange losses, bank charges and interests at Magyar Telekom Plc. as well as due to lower interest income on bank deposits at Makedonski Telekom.





### **Share of associates and joint ventures profits**

Share of associates and joint ventures profits amounted to HUF -109 million for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to HUF 1,341 million in 2008 reflecting the full year profit accounted in 2008 as opposed to one-quarter loss in 2009 of M-RTL.

### **Income tax**

Income tax expense decreased from HUF 27.7 bn in 2008 to HUF 21.0 bn in 2009 primarily resulting from lower profit before tax. In addition, further decline is due to the significant decrease of tax expenses of our Macedonian subsidiaries for 2009 as a result of the change in tax law. These decreases were partly offset by change in the Hungarian tax regime from 2010, which necessitated the recalculation of our deferred tax balances.

### **Profit attributable to non-controlling interests**

Profit attributable to non-controlling interests in 2009 increased significantly by 24.2% compared to 2008 and amounted to HUF 15.6 bn. The increase is mainly due to the higher results of Makedonski Telekom and T-Mobile MK, largely affected by favorable foreign exchange movements and the change in the Macedonian tax law.

### **Analysis of group cashflow**

Net cash generated from operating activities decreased by 7.8% compared to 2008 and amounted to HUF 193,795 million in 2009 mainly due to lower EBITDA ( Earnings before net financial expenses, taxes, depreciation and amortization ).

Net cash used in investing activities amounted to HUF 130,299 million in 2009, while it was HUF 113,449 million in 2008. This considerable increase in cash outflow is mainly due to the change in other financial assets (short term deposits).

Net cash used in financing activities amounted to HUF 96,560 million in 2009 compared to HUF 79,230 million in 2008. While during 2008, Magyar Telekom took a net HUF 16,113 million loan, in 2009 it repaid a net HUF 2,920 million loan.

### **Analysis of segment results**

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The sum of the financial results of the segments presented below does not equal to the group financial results because of intersegment eliminations and because not all of the Group's subsidiaries have been assigned to reportable segments.

The revenues and expenses of the segments include both primary and secondary results. The primary revenues are derived from external parties, while the secondary ones are charged to the other segments. Similarly, the primary expenses are paid to external parties, while the secondary ones are charged by the other segments. All secondary revenues and expenses are eliminated in the group's financial statements.

**CBU**

The Consumer Services Business Unit ( CBU ) comprises comprehensive marketing, sales and customer relations activities of both mobile and fixed consumer products and brands (T-Mobile and T-Home).

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Voice revenues	89,115	77,709	(12.8)
Internet revenues	32,582	30,042	(7.8)
TV revenues	18,412	21,990	19.4
Other fixed line and SI/IT revenues	3,520	3,301	(6.2)
<b>Total fixed line and SI/IT revenues</b>	<b>143,629</b>	<b>133,042</b>	<b>(7.4)</b>
Voice revenues	152,824	142,907	(6.5)
Non-voice revenue	27,404	28,555	4.2
Other mobile revenues	17,789	17,832	0.2
<b>Total mobile revenues</b>	<b>198,017</b>	<b>189,294</b>	<b>(4.4)</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>341,646</b>	<b>322,336</b>	<b>(5.7)</b>
EBITDA before special influences	194,177	184,141	(5.2)
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>192,800</b>	<b>181,920</b>	<b>(5.6)</b>
Operating profit	184,418	172,758	(6.3)
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	13,540	23,774	75.6

*EBITDA = Earnings before net financial expenses, taxes, depreciation and amortization*

*EBITDA before special influences = EBITDA excluding investigation-related costs and headcount reduction-related severance payments and provisions*

Revenues in CBU decreased by 5.7% year over year driven by lower fixed line and mobile voice revenues, partly compensated by higher TV and mobile non-voice revenues.

Fixed line voice-retail revenues experienced a decline mainly due to lower subscription revenues resulting from the decrease in the average number of fixed lines. The decrease was also due to lower F2M outgoing traffic revenues driven by the reversal of the HUF 3.1 bn provision booked on F2M termination fees in June 2008. In addition, outgoing domestic and international traffic revenues also declined due to price discounts, lower usage and loss of lines reflecting the effect of financial crisis and mobile substitution.

Internet revenues decreased by 7.8% in 2009 compared to the previous year mainly driven by lower broadband revenues as the increase in subscriber base could only partly counterbalance the effect of lower prices forced by fierce competition mainly from cable and mobile operators.

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The decreases in fixed line voice and Internet revenues were slightly compensated by higher TV revenues which on the one hand resulted from the successful introduction of

satellite TV service in November 2008 and, on the other hand, from higher IPTV revenues driven by larger customer base. The satellite TV customer base has been increased to 156,142 by the end of December 2009 from 5,338 a year earlier and the number of IPTV customers increased by 136.6% by December 31, 2009. These increases were partly offset by lower Cable TV revenues influenced by lower ARPU and decreased customer number.

Mobile voice revenues decreased by 6.5% year over year partly due to lower voice-retail revenues since the small increase in average customer base could not compensate the decrease in outgoing tariff levels. Voice-wholesale traffic revenues also declined driven by the decrease in termination fees from January 1, 2009 and lower incoming minutes. Lower roaming revenues reflect decreased traffic and also the impact of roaming fee regulation in the European Union. These decreases were slightly compensated by the increase in non-voice revenues driven by higher access revenues in line with wider usage of mobile Internet.

EBITDA of the CBU decreased by 5.6% due to lower total revenues, partly offset by declining voice-related payments and lower other net operating expenses. The significant increase in investments in tangible and intangible assets is mainly due to the increase in satellite TV service, and, to a lesser extent, to the higher purchase prices of assets resulting from the weakening of the HUF.

## BBU

Business Services Business Unit ( BBU ) provides mobile and fixed line telecommunications, infocommunications and system integration services (including marketing, sales and customer relations activities) under the T-Systems and T-Mobile brands to key business partners (large corporate customers and public sector) as well as small and medium enterprises.

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Voice revenues	32,277	23,492	(27.2)
Other fixed line revenues	26,725	25,850	(3.3)
<b>Total fixed line revenues</b>	<b>59,002</b>	<b>49,342</b>	<b>(16.4)</b>
Voice revenues	48,035	44,055	(8.3)
Non-voice revenue	12,463	13,608	9.2
Other mobile revenues	11,885	10,662	(10.3)
<b>Total mobile revenues</b>	<b>72,383</b>	<b>68,325</b>	<b>(5.6)</b>
SI/IT revenues	47,789	53,322	11.6
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>179,174</b>	<b>170,989</b>	<b>(4.6)</b>
EBITDA before special influences	92,188	81,929	(11.1)
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>90,662</b>	<b>80,307</b>	<b>(11.4)</b>
Operating profit	83,253	74,093	(11.0)
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	7,493	2,905	(61.2)

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Total revenues of BBU decreased by 4.6% in 2009 as compared to the previous year primarily driven by lower fixed line and mobile voice revenues, offset by higher SI/IT revenues to a large extent.

Fixed line voice-retail revenues decreased mainly as a consequence of the reversal of the HUF 5.4 bn F2M provision in June 2008. Besides this, declining outgoing domestic and international traffic revenues reflect the erosion both in the customer base and traffic. Lower subscription fee revenues were in line with decreased average number of fixed lines.

Mobile voice revenues decreased by 8.3% year over year predominantly due to lower voice-retail revenues as a result of much lower average per minute fee, partly compensated by higher average customer base. Lower voice-wholesale revenues reflect decreased traffic and also the regulation impact on termination fees. Other mobile revenues also declined due to lower TETRA-related revenues at Pro-M. These decreases were partly offset by higher non-voice revenues driven by higher Internet revenues reflecting increased mobile broadband customer base.

The increase in SI/IT revenues resulted primarily from higher outsourcing revenues.

While total revenues of BBU decreased by 4.6%, higher SI/IT-related payments and higher employee-related expenses led to further decrease in EBITDA which was only partly mitigated by declining voice-related payments and lower cost of equipment.

### Headquarters

The Group Headquarters ( Headquarters ) is responsible for

- i) headquarters functions (management and support);
- ii) wholesale services;
- iii) shared services (back-office and non-core shared services within the company);
- iv) our Points of Presence (PoPs) in South-Eastern Europe.

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Voice-wholesale revenues	21,445	18,760	(12.5)
Other fixed line and SI/IT revenues	39,675	35,695	(10.0)
<b>Total fixed line and SI/IT revenues</b>	<b>61,120</b>	<b>54,455</b>	<b>(10.9)</b>
Voice-wholesale revenues	78,098	65,668	(15.9)
Other revenues	14,326	15,333	7.0
<b>Total mobile revenues</b>	<b>92,424</b>	<b>81,001</b>	<b>(12.4)</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>153,544</b>	<b>135,456</b>	<b>(11.8)</b>

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EBITDA before special influences	(9,436)	(14,524)	(53.9)
<b>EBITDA</b>	(16,070)	(22,209)	(38.2)
Operating profit	(25,125)	(30,501)	(21.4)
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	8,507	4,520	(46.9)



The inclusion of secondary revenues and expenses mentioned earlier significantly affects the level of wholesale revenues and expenses of the segments, especially in the case of Headquarters.

Wholesale revenues (both fixed line and mobile) at Headquarters include the wholesale revenues received from other fixed line, mobile and international telecommunications service providers (primary revenues) as well as the secondary revenues charged to CBU and BBU for their interconnection expenses. Similarly, voice-, data- and Internet-related payments of the Headquarters include primary expenses (paid to external parties), as well as secondary expenses transferred to CBU and BBU related to their wholesale revenues.

Total revenues of Headquarters dropped by 11.8% reflecting primarily lower fixed line and mobile voice-wholesale revenues due to lower mobile termination fees from January 1, 2009 and lower interconnection fees from April 26, 2008. In addition, the wholesale traffic decreased as well. These negative effects were partly mitigated by favorable foreign exchange movements in case of the international incoming revenues.

Other fixed line revenues include mainly wholesale Internet, data and other revenues. Wholesale Internet revenues declined due lower number of and price decreases of xDSL connections. Other fixed line revenues declined also at Combridge in 2009.

EBITDA significantly decreased mainly due to lower total revenues, higher material and maintenance expenses as well as higher investigation-related consultancy fees, partly mitigated by lower voice-related payments.

### Technology Business Unit

Technology Business Unit ( Technology ) performs the mobile and fixed network management and development activities as well as IT management.

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Total revenues	11,370	10,556	(7.2)
EBITDA before special influences	(47,856)	(44,904)	6.2
<b>EBITDA</b>	(48,964)	(47,485)	3.0
Operating profit	(111,212)	(104,238)	6.3
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	58,716	48,989	(16.6)

The Technology Business Unit derives its revenues mainly from

- i) network operations services provided to DT;
- ii) provision of internal services to other segments of the company (operation of IT and billing services, support of SAP and other applications);

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- iii) provision of IT support, network maintenance and consulting services to subsidiaries;
- iv) network construction and maintenance services to external parties.

Technology is responsible for the operations and development of both the mobile and fixed network, the costs of which are not transferred to other business units leading to a significant negative EBITDA for this segment.

Depreciation represents about half of the operating expenses of Technology. Other significant expense types include employee-related expenses, maintenance costs of telecommunications equipments, IT support expenses (including license costs) and concession fees.

Operating expenses of the Technology Business Unit significantly exceeded its revenues and this led to negative EBITDA in both periods. Improved EBITDA mainly resulted from lower material and maintenance expenses as well as lower other service fees which were somewhat compensated by higher employee-related expenses.

### Macedonia

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Total fixed line and SI/IT revenues	36,604	36,802	0.5
Total mobile revenues	39,493	45,510	15.2
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>76,097</b>	<b>82,312</b>	<b>8.2</b>
EBITDA before special influences	41,203	43,068	4.5
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>39,132</b>	<b>42,861</b>	<b>9.5</b>
Operating profit	26,807	29,761	11.0
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	15,709	15,320	(2.5)

The result of our Macedonian operations in HUF terms was strongly affected by the weakening of HUF against MKD by 11.7% on average year over year. Total revenues increased mostly as a result of higher revenues of T-Mobile MK.

Fixed line voice revenues decreased in MKD terms mainly as a result of lower voice-retail traffic revenues reflecting the loss of fixed lines and lower traffic affected by strong competition and mobile substitution. Higher Internet revenues were boosted by much higher number of DSL connections reaching 128,368 at December 31, 2009 as compared to 98,866 a year earlier. The increase in TV revenues was owing to enlarging IPTV subscriber base.

Total revenues of T-Mobile MK increased mainly due to higher voice-retail revenues resulting from higher average customer base and increased MOU, partly offset by lower per minute fees and lower subscription fees. T-Mobile MK had a 56.4% share in the Macedonian mobile market and mobile penetration was 116.1% at the end of December 2009. Higher voice-wholesale and non-voice revenues also positively affected total mobile revenues.

EBITDA of our Macedonian operations increased by 9.5% deriving mainly from the increase in total revenues and the decrease in employee-related expenses, partly offset by higher cost of equipment and higher other net operating expenses.

### Montenegro

HUF millions	Year ended Dec 31, 2008	Year ended Dec 31, 2009	Change (%)
Total fixed line and SI/IT revenues	16,907	18,214	7.7
Total mobile revenues	16,241	16,228	(0.1)
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>33,148</b>	<b>34,442</b>	<b>3.9</b>
EBITDA before special influences	11,800	12,789	8.4
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>10,815</b>	<b>13,736</b>	<b>27.0</b>
Operating profit	5,136	7,296	42.1
Investments in tangible and intangible assets	3,751	4,913	31.0

Total results of the Montenegrin operations were positively affected by the favorable change of the average HUF/EUR rate year over year.

In EUR terms, total fixed line and SI/IT revenues decreased mainly deriving from lower voice-retail revenues due to significantly lower outgoing traffic and loss of lines as a consequence of mobile substitution and lower voice-wholesale revenues relating to the ceasing of transit traffic from Promonte. These decreases were only partially offset by higher TV revenues (increased IPTV subscriber base), higher Internet revenues (increased number of DSL connections) as well as increase in data revenues (higher number of leased line customers).

While in EUR terms T-Mobile Crna Gora's revenues decreased, the above mentioned weakening of HUF against EUR had positive effect on the revenues in HUF terms. Visitor revenues dropped as a consequence of significant decrease in visitor minutes. Lower voice-retail revenues were due to decrease in average per minute fees and in MOU, partially offset by higher average customer base. These decreases were mitigated by higher non-voice revenues boosted by higher mobile Internet usage.

EBITDA of our Montenegrin operations improved by 27.0% mainly due to higher total revenues, lower net other operating expenses and lower employee-related expenses.

### Contingent liabilities

The most significant contingent liabilities of the Group are described below. No provisions have been recognized for these cases as the management estimates that it is unlikely that these claims originating from past events would result in any material economic outflows from the Group.



*Macedonia*

*Compensation for termination of a service contract by T-Mobile MK*

In January 2002, T-Mobile MK signed an agreement with a subcontractor, including a 3-month trial period, for the collection of T-Mobile MK's overdue receivables. After the expiration of the 3-month trial period, T-Mobile MK terminated this contract in April 2002 due to breaches of the contractual obligations by the subcontractor. The subcontractor initiated a lawsuit in April 2003 requesting damage compensation for foregone profit and compensation for services already rendered. Management estimates it unlikely that the subcontractor would win the court case against T-Mobile MK. The potential loss from the claim is approximately HUF 4.3 billion. The first instance decision will be made by a primary court of Macedonia, the timing of which is uncertain.

*T-Mobile MK's dispute with the Macedonian Agency for Electronic Communications (the Agency) on frequency fees*

T-Mobile MK paid the invoices issued by the Agency for the 2004 and 2005 radio frequency fees, however, the Agency issued further invoices for the same periods in May 2007, which T-Mobile MK is disputing as the management believes that there is no valid legal base for invoicing additional fees. The potential exposure is about HUF 0.8 billion.

*Makedonski Telekom's dispute on F2M termination fees*

In 2005, Makedonski Telekom changed the retail prices for the traffic from fixed to mobile network. According to the interconnection agreements with the mobile operators the change in retail prices automatically decreased the interconnection fees for termination in the mobile networks. In February 2006, one of the Macedonian mobile operators, Cosmofon, submitted to the Agency a request for dispute resolution with reference to the termination prices. The Agency rejected the requests of Cosmofon as ungrounded. This decision of the Agency was appealed by Cosmofon by filing a law suit at the Administrative Court of Macedonia. The potential loss from the claim is approximately HUF 0.4 billion, but the management estimates it unlikely that this would result in any material cash outflows. The final decision will be made by the Administrative Court of Macedonia, the timing of which is uncertain.

*Prices offered at a Government bid for fixed line telephony services in Macedonia*

Based on the Law on Electronic Communications (the Law) and upon Cosmofon's request, the Agency made an inspection at Makedonski Telekom regarding the Government's tender for procuring fixed line telephone services on September 24, 2009. In its request Cosmofon stated that Makedonski Telekom had submitted an offer with prices that are predatory and not published in its official pricelist. In its written answer, Makedonski Telekom pointed out that the official pricelist contains only the standard prices excluding the special discounts and tariff models. We believe that Makedonski Telekom offered these prices in accordance with the conditions of the relevant bid, taking care that those are not predatory, i.e. the allegations are groundless. The Agency has not responded yet. Should Makedonski Telekom be found in breach of the Law, the potential fine can be as high as 7% of the total annual revenue of Makedonski Telekom for 2008, i.e. the maximum amount of the fine may reach HUF 3.0 billion.



**Montenegro**

*Employee salary dispute in Montenegro*

405 employees initiated a legal proceeding against Crnogorski Telekom and T-Mobile Crna Gora, requesting the payment of compensation for not increasing salaries from 2005 until June 2008. The plaintiffs are referring to the regulation of this matter by the Collective Bargaining Agreement ( CBA ). Management's view is that automatic salary increase is not established in the CBA, therefore management believes that the Group will not be subject to any compensations payable. The maximum exposure is approximately HUF 0.4 billion.

**Significant events between the end of the year and the publishing of the Interim management report**

On February 2, 2010 Magyar Telekom announced that it had closed the sale transaction of its fully owned subsidiary, Orbitel on January 28, 2010. Magyar Telekom signed a contract with Spectrum Net AD in November 2009 on the sale of Orbitel and the financial closing of the transaction took place upon obtaining the necessary approvals of the Bulgarian authorities.

**Declaration**

We the undersigned declare that to the best of our knowledge the attached report gives a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of Magyar Telekom and its controlled undertakings, contains an explanation of material events and transactions that have taken place during the relevant period and their impact on the financial position of Magyar Telekom and its controlled undertakings.

Christopher Mattheisen  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Thilo Kusch  
Chief Financial Officer

Budapest, February 25, 2010



**Signatures**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Magyar Telekom Plc.  
(Registrant)

By:

Szabolcs Czente  
Director  
Capital Markets and Acquisitions

Date: February 25, 2010

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