



Telecommunication Act – 2001
(Act 2001-36)

FORM 8

TU008

APPLICATION FOR VSAT LICENCE FOR CORPORATE COMMUNICATION

PART A: APPLICANT INFORMATION

(Please read the Notes provided at the back of this Form before completion)

1. Name (if individual):.....

2. Nationality (if individual):.....

3. Address of Applicant (registered office or principal place of business):
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4. Mailing Address (if different from registered office address):
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5. Applicant is a (n):
Individual Corporation
Unincorporate Association Partnership

6. Corporate Registration No:.....
Please indicate whether this is: a new application
an application to modify an existing licence
an application to renew a licence

7. Telephone No.:..... 8. Facsimile No.:

9. "Email" address:

10. Name of Manager of entity:.....

11. Person in Barbados to be contacted in absence of Manager:.....

Name:.....

Address:.....

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Telephone No:..... "E-mail" Address:.....

12. Facsimile No:.....

13. Cellphone No:.....

PART B: TECHNICAL INFORMATION

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF INSTALLATION OR OPERATION OF VSAT NETWORKS AND LINKS

Name and address of all companies (in Barbados or abroad) in the applicant's proposed VSAT network. (Kindly use attachment if space provided is insufficient.)

Details of corporate structure of all companies (in Barbados or abroad) in the applicant's proposed VSAT network as supporting evidence that the applicant meets the "corporate communication" requirement. (Please include details of paid-up capital, principal shareholders, board of directors, key personnel, management structure, and types of business.)

Please indicate if all companies in the proposed VSAT network outside of Barbados have been authorised by the relevant authorities for the self-provisioning of international corporate communication via VSAT. (Please attach supporting documents.)

System and Network Configuration or Operation (Provide a detailed and fully labelled schematic diagram showing system and network configuration including connection to any leased circuits and other associated telecommunication equipment.)

Description of Services (describe the types of services provided over the proposed network)

Proposed Location of VSAT Antenna and Station Equipment (specify whether the location is at rooftop or other location in the premises, and indicate the address of all sites where antenna and station equipment will be installed. Also attach letter of approval, where relevant, for VSAT installation in Barbados from the building owner.)

Please provide the name of satellite to be accessed, frequency bands and bandwidth of uplinks or downlinks to be used.

PART C: CERTIFICATE STATEMENT

I declare that all the information in this application form is true and correct. I understand that approval from the Ministry for this application is based on information as declared in this application. Should any of the information declared be incorrect any licence granted by the Ministry may be revoked.

Signature

Date/Company Stamp

Name

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. Application Guidelines are attached to this form.
2. This form is for the application or renewal of the licence for the installation and operation of VSAT (Very Small Aperture Terminal) networks and links for applicant's own corporate communication use as defined in the Definition section below.
3. For renewal, applicants are required to update changes in their particulars and their operational business details.
4. All sections in this application form MUST be completed, unless otherwise indicated and sent to the Telecommunications Unit, Ministry responsible for Telecommunications, The Business Centre, Upton, St. Michael.
5. Approval of the application will be at the sole discretion of the Ministry responsible for Telecommunications in Barbados.
6. The application must be made by authorised personnel only. The application must be accompanied by the necessary supporting documents, including the necessary approvals from the relevant authorities obtained prior to submitting this application. These authorities may include, but are not limited to the Town Planning Office.
7. The Ministry reserves the right to suspend or cancel the application if it is found that the information provided in this application is false, inaccurate or incomplete.
7. Consideration for approval of this application will be based on information declared in this application. The applicant is required to notify the Ministry in writing of any changes in the information registered with the Ministry.

Definition

The term "corporate communication" refers to communication between the following entities:

- (i) holding companies and their subsidiaries;
- (ii) related companies; and
- (iii) corporations which have established business relationships with one another.

The terms "holding companies", "subsidiaries" and "related companies" shall have the same meaning ascribed to them in the Companies Act (Cap. 308).

With regard to (iii), a corporation which does not have any shareholding interest in another corporation shall nonetheless be deemed to have established relationship with that other corporation if there is an existing business relationship established through a consistent course of dealing between the two corporations. These relationships would include, customer, supplier or distributor relationships. The Ministry would also allow VSAT links to be established between entities for reasons other than commercial purposes (e.g. R & D) provided that the applicant can prove that:

- (a) it has the intention of establishing a relationship with other party for a reasonable period of time;
- (b) the VSAT link is necessary to meet the specific communication requirement of the applicant; and
- (c) the VSAT link is to be used for the carriage of the applicant's own traffic and not for communication between third parties.