SATELLITE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OPERATIONS GROUP (SADISOPSG)

THIRTEENTH MEETING

Dakar, Senegal, 27 to 29 May 2008

Agenda Item 7: The SADIS User Guide

ACQUISITION OF L-TEQ LIMITED BY OMNIGLOBE NETWORKS

(Presented by the SADIS Provider State)

SUMMARY

OmniGlobe Networks has acquired the entire equity of Bandwidth Technologies International Group (BTIG), including its principle trading subsidiary L-TEQ Limited. L-TEQ Limited, one of the approved SADIS 2G integrator companies, will continue their UK based operations under the newly formed OmniGlobe International Satellite Communications Division.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The SADIS user community are able to procure their SADIS 2G receiving equipment through a small number of approved integrator companies based in the UK. One of these companies, L-TEQ Limited, a subsidiary of BTIG, has recently been acquired by OmniGlobe Networks.
- 1.2 The information paper provides an overview of the acquisition and outlines whether there are any impacts on SADIS users.

2. **DISCUSSION**

The SADIS Provider State has been informed by OnmiGlobe Networks that, as of 19 February 2008, it has acquired the entire equity of Bandwidth Technologies International Group (BTIG) including its principle subsidiary L-TEQ Limited. For contractual reasons, the legal company name L-TEQ will remain. However, BTIG and L-TEQ management, staff, offices and technical centre in Frimley, Hampshire, UK will, with immediate effect, become known as the newly formed OmniGlobe International Satellite Communications Division.

- 2.2 This change has minimal impact on SADIS users, and L-TEQ Ltd. will continue to support the SADIS 2G integration programme.
- 2.3 Mr. David Harper, former Managing Director of L-TEQ Ltd becomes Managing Director of OmniGlobe in the UK and head of OmniGlobe's International Satellite Communications division. Similarly, Mr. David Bookham, Technical Director of L-TEQ Ltd becomes Technical Director of OmniGlobe in the UK and of the new division.
- 2.4 SADIS users are invited to note the following contact details for enquiries relating to the procurement of SADIS 2G receiving equipment through L-TEQ Ltd.:

Mrs. Julie Carver, Sales Account Manager, L-TEQ Ltd, International Satellite Communications Division of OmniGlobe Networks UK, Lapwing 440, Frimley Business Park, Frimley, Surrey, GU16 7SZ, United Kingdom. Tel: +44 1276 418 908, Fax: +44 1276 686 550, Email: jcarver@lteq.com, Web: www.lteq.com

2.5 The SADIS website will be updated to include these contact details.

3. ACTION BY THE SADISOPSG

3.1 The group is invited to note the information contained in the paper.