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TELECOMMUNICATIONS

**The Public Telecommunication System Designation (Westminster
Cable Company Limited and Broadband Ventures Limited) Order
1985**

Made - - - 2nd May 1985

Laid before Parliament 7th May 1985

Coming into Operation 10th June 1985

Whereas the Secretary of State has granted to Westminster Cable Company Limited and Broadband Ventures Limited licences (“the Licences”) under section 7 of the Telecommunications Act 1984(a) (“the Act”), to which section 8 of the Act applies, for the running of the telecommunication systems specified in Annex A to the Licences (“the Applicable Cabled Systems”):

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 9 and 104 of the Act, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Public Telecommunication System Designation (Westminster Cable Company Limited and Broadband Ventures Limited) Order 1985 and shall come into operation on 10th June 1985.

2. Each of the Applicable Cabled Systems is hereby designated as a public telecommunication system.

Geoffrey Pattie,
Minister of State,
Department of Trade and Industry.

2nd May 1985.

(a) 1984 c.12.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

The Secretary of State granted to Westminster Cable Company Limited and Broadband Ventures Limited on 26th April 1985 licences under section 7 of the Telecommunications Act 1984 to run the telecommunication systems specified in Annex A to those licences. A copy of the licences was laid before Parliament on 7th May 1985. This Order designates those telecommunication systems as public telecommunication systems. Consequently, by virtue of section 9(3) of that Act, Westminster Cable Company Limited and Broadband Ventures Limited will be public telecommunications operators when the Order comes into operation.

A copy of the licences may be obtained from the Office of Telecommunications, Atlantic House, Holborn Viaduct, London EC1N 2HD.

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