

## URGENT

29th August 2019

The Chairman
Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC)
MCMC Tower 1,
Jalan Impact, Cyber 6,
63000 Cyberjaya,
Selangor Darul Ehsan.
(Attention: Spectrum Planning Division)

BY HAND

Dear Sir,

## PUBLIC INQUIRY - ALLOCATION OF SPECTRUM BANDS FOR MOBILE BROADBAND SERVICE IN MALAYSIA

We refer to the above mentioned Public Inquiry that was published in MCMC's website on the 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019.

Asiaspace Broadband Sdn Bhd (ABSB) was allocated the 2300MHz (2300MHz-2330MHz) spectrum band on the 20<sup>th</sup> December 2012 to offer Broadband Wireless Access (BWA) services in Peninsular Malaysia. Subsequent to the award of the spectrum by MCMC and on the directive given by the then Minister, MCMC was instructed by the Minister to facilitate a collaboration between Asiaspace and YTL Communications (YTLC) for the sharing of spectrum to jointly rollout BWA services. This collaboration was approved by MCMC in 2013 under Third Party Authorisation (TPA).

ABSB is pleased to submit herewith (as attached) our view and comments on the above mentioned Public Inquiry. Our stand is, based on our comments given for Questions 3(i), (ii), 4 and 7, MCMC should allow ABSB to continue to operate in the 2300MHz to 2330MHz spectrum band, either with the existing 30MHz under Apparatus Assignment (AA) or convert the 2300MHz to 2330MHz to Spectrum Assignment (SA) and allow ABSB under Section 162 of the Communications and Multimedia Act 1998 to continue to collaborate with YTL Communications.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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