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PROFESSIONAL BIOGRAPHY OF STEPHANIE WAY LISTON

Stephanie Liston is a partner in Wilmer Cutler Pickering LLP's London office, with a practice that focuses on corporate and commercial issues in the communications sector. She advises on communications-related contracts and commercial transactions and provides strategic and regulatory advice in connection with communications and broadcasting activities. She acts for numerous companies active in the UK, European, and international communications markets, including investors, telecoms operators, Internet providers, equipment suppliers, cable operators, and electricity companies.

Ms. Liston has more than twelve years of experience in the communications sector. In 1990, Ms. Liston joined MCI as a senior attorney, where she was responsible for the legal aspects of many of MCI's international commercial transactions. Since requalifying in England in 1992, Ms. Liston has assisted in the development of the London communications practices of Freshfields (1992-1995) and Baker & McKenzie (1995-1999). Before joining WCP, Ms. Liston was a partner in the London office of McDermott, Will & Emery, where she led the Global Communications and Technology Group.

Ms. Liston is a graduate of the Colorado College (B.A. 1980), the University of San Diego (J.D. 1983) and Cambridge University, Trinity Hall (LL.M., *1st Class*, 1984). She is admitted to practice in the State of Texas, the District of Columbia and is a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of England and Wales.

Ms. Liston sits on the board of directors of the European Competitive Telecoms Association, is Vice Chairman of the Communications Committee of the International Bar Association and has been named a leader in her field in the *Chambers* and *Legal 500* directories for several years. She writes and speaks frequently on issues relevant to the communications sector.

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Speaking Engagements

Universal Service: Obligation or Opportunity

IIR Conference: Competing with Incumbent Operators - January 1997

Main Commercial Terms of Supplier Contracts

Vision in Business Seminar: Telecommunications Supply Arrangements - June 1997

Chairperson

Client Seminar on *Equipment Supply Arrangements* - November 1997

Telecoms Liberalisation - Feast or Famine

QDOS: Conference on Telecommunications Law - London, 9 - 10 February 1998

Telecoms Liberalisation - Reaping the Benefits

QDOS: Conference on Telecommunications Law - 22 and 23 March 1999

The Granting of Universal Mobile Telecommunication System and Wireless Local Loop Licences in the United Kingdom

IBA: Telecommunications Service and Competition Law in Europe - Prague, May 2000

Wireless Convergence - the UK Experience

IBA - Amsterdam, September 2000

Internet and E-commerce Regulation and Competition Law

IBA - London, December 2000

European 3rd Generation Wireless - Is there a business case?

International Telecoms Tax and Permanent Establishment - Geneva, 6-7 February 2001

Chairperson

Carrier Hotels and Internet Data Centres - New York, 13 February 2001

Communications and Competition: Development at the Crossroads

IBA - Washington DC, 20-21 May 2002

IBC's Annual Communications & EC Competition Law Conference

IBC - Brussels, 2-3 October 2002

The Restructuring of the UK Media Industry

London, 15 October 2002

Invited Speaker

The New EU Regulatory Package for Electronic Communications

Practical Solutions for Effective Competition

SMi: Conference - London, 10-11 March 2003

Chairperson

Looking to the future: towards the exclusive application of competition law

IBA: Communications and Competition Law Conference - Budapest, 19-20 May 2003

Publications

“Planning your information super highway”: Telecommunications Users' Association;
The TUA Official Reference Book 1995 at 80.

“Negotiating and Structuring a Joint Venture in the Communications and Technology Industry:
Flexible Commercial and Legal Solutions to Guarantee a Win-Win Solution” (jointly with Hamid
Rashidmanesh)
CTLR - October 2001

“Broadband Woe”
ECTA - The Voice, March 2002

“Network Security and Integrity”
CTLR - March 2002

“3G Infrastructure Sharing”
Legal Week - July 2002