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# Cable & Wireless Communications Plc

Presentation to analysts

2 February 2010



















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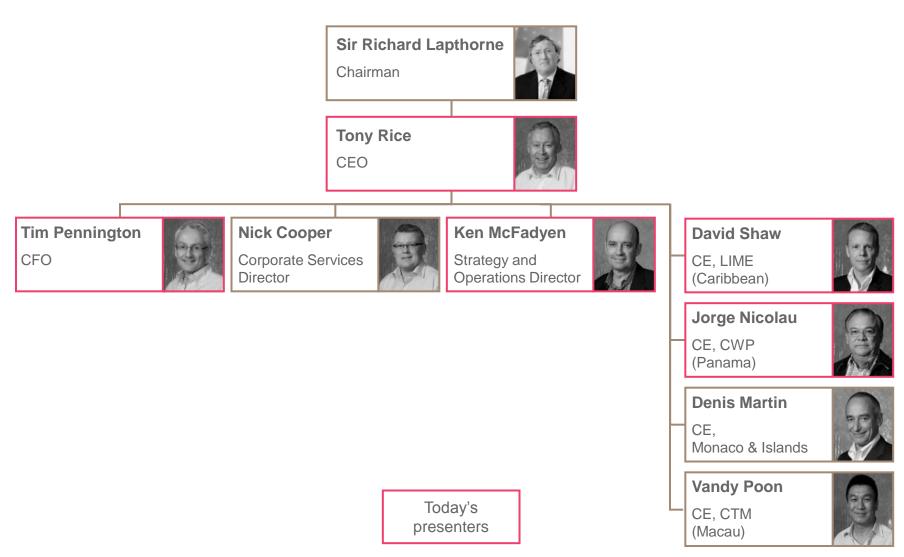




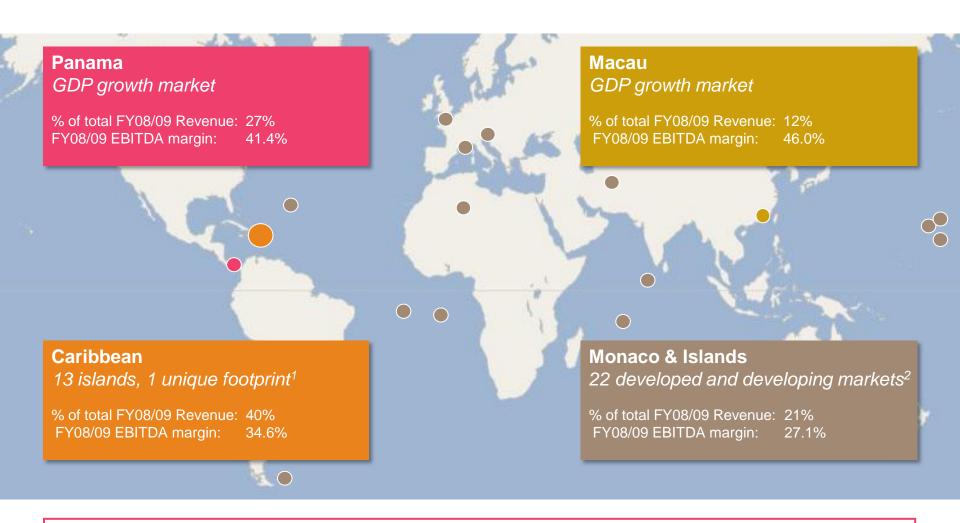
# Investment highlights Cable & Wireless Communications:

- A global, diverse business
- Exposure to premium GDP growth economies
- A full service provider
- The leader in most of our markets
- Experienced and scalable management teams
- A clear strategy focused on Revenue and EBITDA growth
- Strong financial metrics and cash conversion
- Commitment to growing shareholder returns

# A strong, experienced team



# Diverse, strong group



Leader in: Mobile: 19 / 27 markets Broadband: 25 / 34 markets Fixed line: 25 / 27 markets

## Customer focused

## Our Mission: "To deliver world class communications services in local markets"

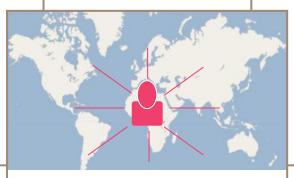
## 'All customer segments'

Consumer
Residential
SME
Enterprise
Government

# 'World class'

Carriers

Customer service
Technologies
Operational delivery



8.3 million mobile customers

1.8 million fixed line customers

**577k** broadband customers

## 'Full service'

Fixed
Mobile
Broadband
Entertainment and TV
Connectivity and Hosting
Managed Services

## 'Local delivery'

Local management
Drawing on brand and heritage
Leveraging group strengths
Applying best practice

# Ready for industry changes

## **Telecoms industry focus**

Emerging, growth markets

Beyond 'pure play'

Data opportunity

Competition

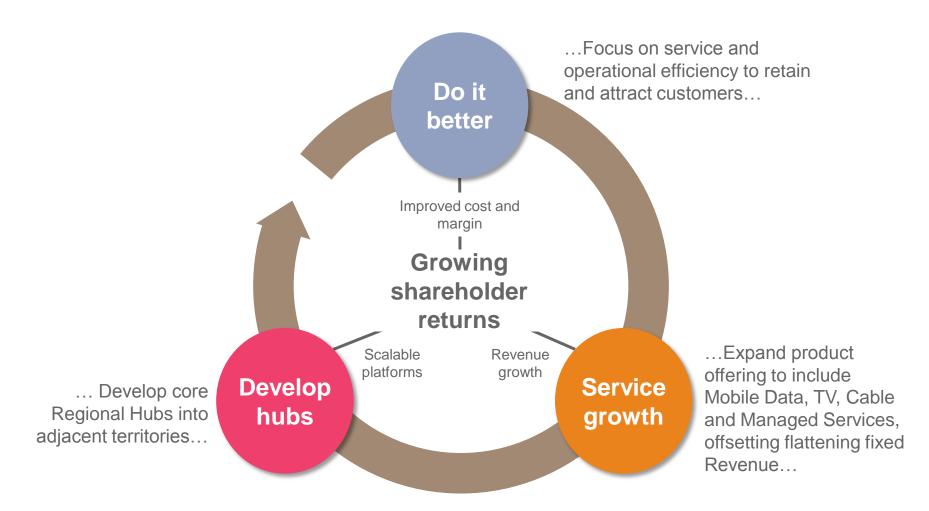
Right regulatory regimes

## **Cable & Wireless Communications**

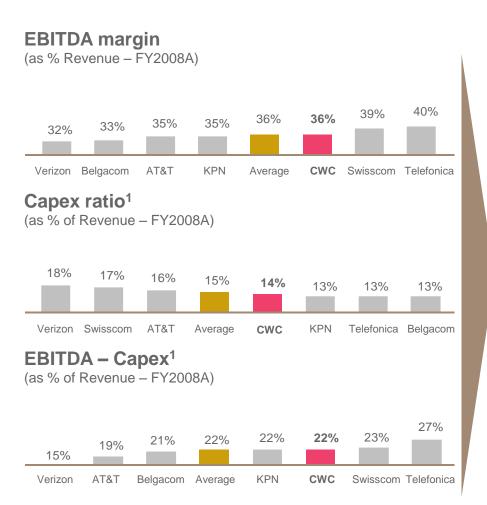
- ✓ Present in premium GDP markets
- ✓ Exposed to LatAm and Asia growth regions
- ✓ Full service in most markets
- ✓ Platforms to meet changing demands
- ✓ Moving forward in mobile data
- ✓ Fixed broadband and TV rolling out
- ✓ Leader in majority of markets
- ✓ Winning in competitive markets
- ✓ Strong government relations
- ✓ Liberalised markets

Well positioned for opportunities and challenges of a changing industry

# A clear strategy



# Strong comparison versus peers



## **Strong group metrics:**

- CWI reported 38% EBITDA margin
- In line with best in the sector
- Controlled Capex
- Strong cash conversion...
- ...with scope for organic improvement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Balance sheet Capex for CWC Source: Company reports. 2008A for CWC is FY to 31 March 2009

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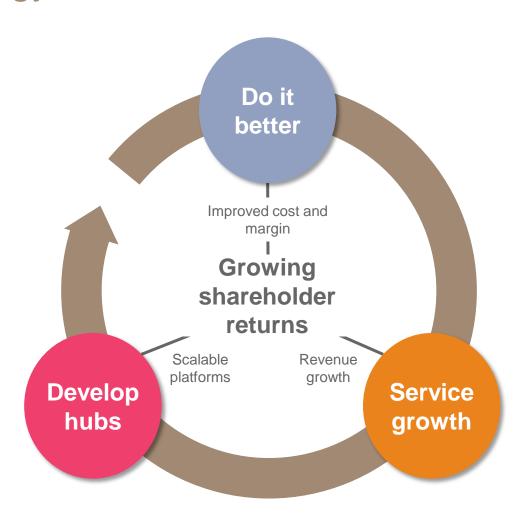




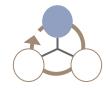




# One strategy for all our businesses



## 1. Do it better



Strategic Intent	Key Initiatives	Examples	
Retain and win customers	<ul> <li>Achieve and retain service leadership</li> </ul>	Best service in Panama and Macau	
	Best network / coverage	<ul> <li>98.5% Macau GSM network performance</li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>Best value proposition</li></ul>	<ul><li>Top of Mind in Panama</li></ul>	
Drive margin growth	<ul><li>Focus on Opex and Cost of Sales</li><li>Capex discipline</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CWC Opex and Cost of Sales, each down 7% in FY08/09 YoY</li> <li>Capex in 12-14% of Revenue range</li> </ul>	
	- Capex discipilite	- Capex III 12-14% of Revenue range	
Transform economics	<ul><li>Outsourcing / network sharing</li><li>One Caribbean</li></ul>	<ul><li>Jamaica tower-sharing deal</li><li>9% Opex reduction in Caribbean in FY08/09</li></ul>	

Focus on service and operational efficiency for retention, cost and margin



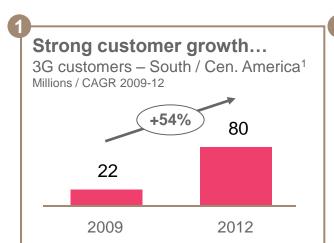


Segment	Services	Benefit	How
Mobile	Mobile Data, Broadband and VAS	Expanded customer base with lower churn, ARPU uplift	Existing networks offer competitive advantage
Fixed	Pay TV and richer Triple Play bundles	Customer retention and higher ARPU	Installed Broadband base, with new TV platforms
Enterprise	Managed Services and Data Centres	Incremental Revenue, protect IP traffic and improve margin mix	Existing assets, upsell
Carrier	IP transit sales	Incremental Revenue	Leverage existing capacity

Huge potential in Mobile Data, Wireless Broadband, Enterprise, Government and Carrier

# Mobile Data is an exciting growth opportunity





...which we can serve with existing assets...

- 3G networks already deployed in a number of markets today
- Better network capabilities than competitors in many markets
- Existing subsea cable capacity critical for island market connectivity
- Strong brand, retail and distribution capabilities

# ...consuming more bandwidth... Latin America Mobile Internet traffic² Petabytes / CAGR 2009-12 4162% 36 2 2009 2012

## ...representing a strong growth opportunity







Mobile Data Revenue forecast to grow 20% CAGR in LatAm 2009-14<sup>3</sup>

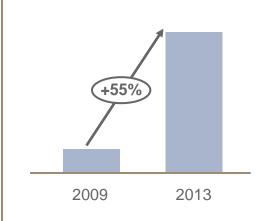
BlackBerry performing well with Android appearing

# Pay TV enables Triple Play



Customer TV usage forecast to increase significantly...

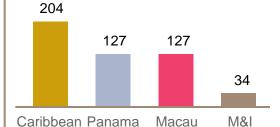
Latin America IP TV usage<sup>1</sup>
Bandwidth CAGR 2009-13



...we can offer TV to our existing Broadband base...

## **Broadband customers**

H1 09/10 - 000s



- Strong established broadband base
- Adding Pay TV creates Triple Play
- Benefits are stickier customers, protecting base

...and we are rolling out in a number of key markets

#### **Panama**



Compelling content offering

#### Caribbean



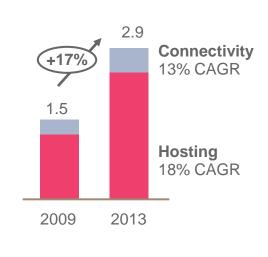
Innovative IPTV platform

# Well placed to serve Enterprise opportunities



Strong market growth in Enterprise services...

Latin America Enterprise market \$bn / CAGR 2009-131



...which we are well positioned to serve...

#### **Our advantages**

- Local regulatory regimes which are attractive to growth verticals
  - iGaming
  - Online betting
  - Financial services
- Good existing data centre assets, especially in Guernsey and Panama
- Cable connectivity

...and success already in significant contract wins

#### Example – Panama 911 service

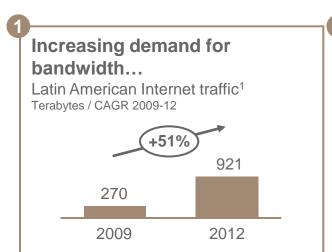
 Contract to design, install, integrate and support the 911 service

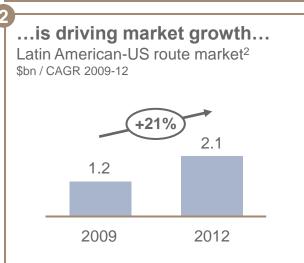


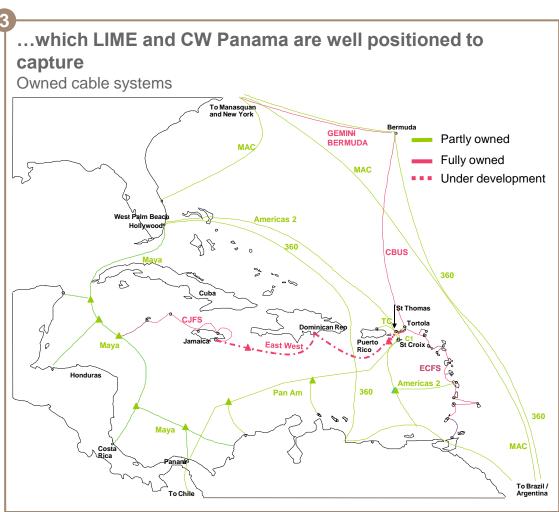
Source: 1Gartner

# Existing Cable assets - capture data growth



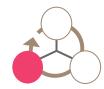






Source: ¹Cisco; ²TeleGeography

# 3. Develop our Regional Hubs



- Build scalable platforms
  - Proximity to adjacent markets
  - Use existing businesses to capture new opportunities
  - Focus on cross-border opportunities that do not require licences
  - Look at acquisitions in adjacent territories
- Manage our businesses for value
  - Disposals where fully valued / no path to control
  - Infills at the right price

Optimising the footprint and positioning for growth opportunities

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# Business highlights



FY08/09 Revenue \$667m **FY08/09 EBITDA** \$276m

FY08/09 EBITDA – Capex \$193m

## **Fundamentals**

- 3.2m population and growing
- Premium GDP growth market, with Panama Canal expansion as key driver
- Increasingly a critical logistic hub between North and South America

# Market Dynamics

- Competition in mobile from Telefonica, Digicel and America Movil
- Active mobile market, strong growth potential in broadband
- Move towards bundled customer propositions

## Key Strengths

- Leader in Mobile, Fixed and Broadband and a leading player in Enterprise and Carrier
- Full service provider with the best network, enabling unique bundling potential
- Market leading brand and a world class management team

# Strategic Intent

- Defend leading position in core markets
- Grow Mobile Data and Pay TV enabling bundling and unrivalled customer proposition
- Expand and grow in Enterprise and Carrier segments developing CWP regionally



# Focused on maintaining leading position...

## Focus today

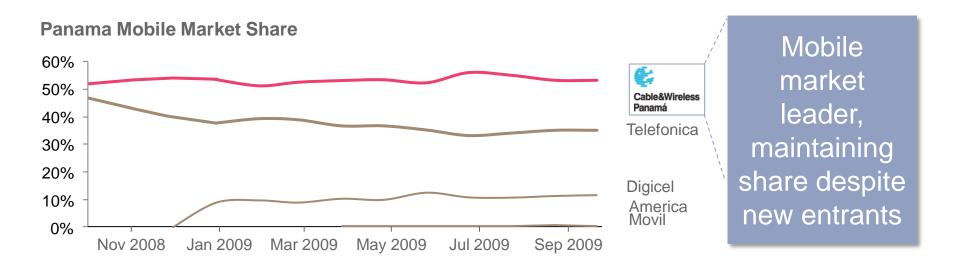
- Defend Mobile customer base
  - Maintain leading market share
- Richer customer bundles
  - Rollout of Pay TV service ongoing
- Enterprise service leadership
  - Major Government contract wins,
     911, eHealth and Security
- Cost reduction programmes
  - Focus on EBITDA margin
  - Operating costs down 13% in H1 09/10

## Focus tomorrow

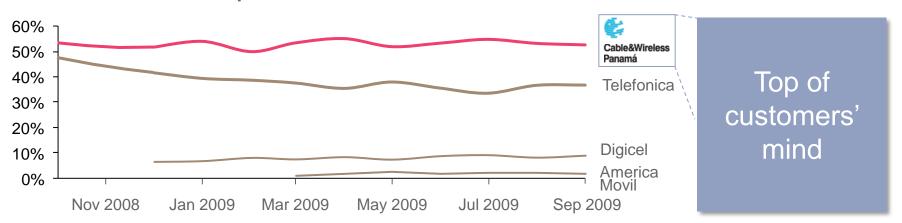
- Mobile retention
- Develop Mobile Data proposition
- Become leading Pay TV player
- Maintain Broadband leadership
- Enterprise and Carrier regional sales
  - Develop CWP as a hub
- Increase efficiency
  - Service and delivery innovation
  - Streamline processes



# ...Winning against strong mobile competition...



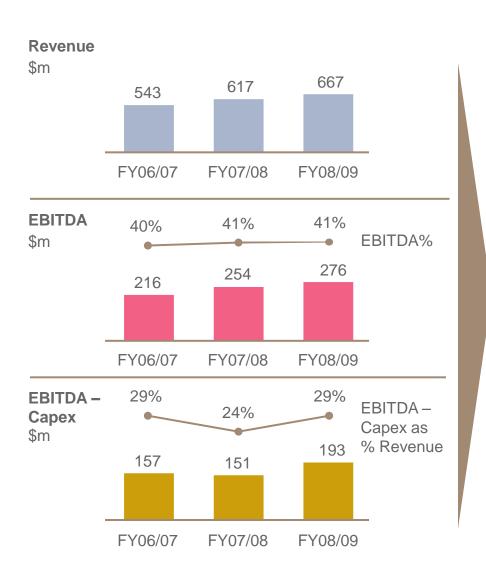
## **Panama Mobile Market Top of Mind**



Source: Dichter & Neira – market research for CWP



# ...Track record of strong financial performance



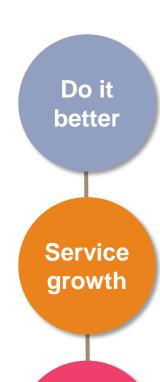
## **Key Messages**

- Strong historical Revenue growth (11% CAGR FY07-09)
- Disciplined cost focus improving EBITDA (13% CAGR FY07-09)

Strong cash conversion



# What to expect from us in 2010



- Rigorous focus on customer service to defend market leadership
- Streamline processes to improve quality and reduce costs

Commercial rollout of Pay TV enabling Triple Play

3G network rollout and Mobile Data acceleration

Develop hub

- Further expansion of Enterprise capability
- Develop regional reach leveraging management and operational capability





















# Business highlights

LIME

FY08/09 Revenue \$975m **FY08/09 EBITDA** \$337m

FY08/09 EBITDA – Capex \$187m

## **Fundamentals**

- 13 national markets covering 3.7m population
- Good GDP growth potential as economies recover and tourism picks up
- Leading leisure destinations and financial services centres

# Market Dynamics

- 2 or more mobile players in most markets
- Penetration opportunities in mobile and broadband
- Telecoms cyclically impacted by economic fundamentals and tourist revenue drop-off

## Key Strengths

- Leading full service provider; unique footprint and strong network assets
- Market leader in majority of Mobile markets, all fixed and 11 / 13 Broadband markets
- New management team and strong government relations

# Strategic Intent

- Complete consolidation of operations under One Caribbean
- Recover market share in Jamaica
- Medium term regional expansion



# Building the future growth platform...

## Focus today

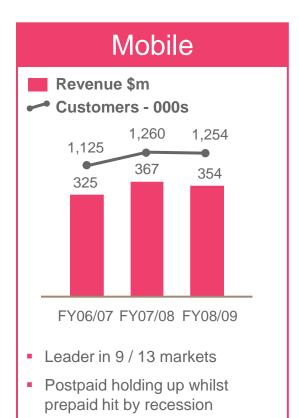
- One Caribbean transformation
  - Headcount
  - LIME brand
  - Cost management
- Maintaining leading market positions
- People and culture transformation
- Jamaica turnaround
- Service leadership
  - Grow Mobile Data
  - Grow Enterprise Revenue

## Focus tomorrow

- Minimise cost base
- Benefit from market upturn
- Increase market share in Jamaica
- Growth through:
  - Mobile network expansion
  - New service Revenue
- Carrier Services growth
- Expanding from established platform



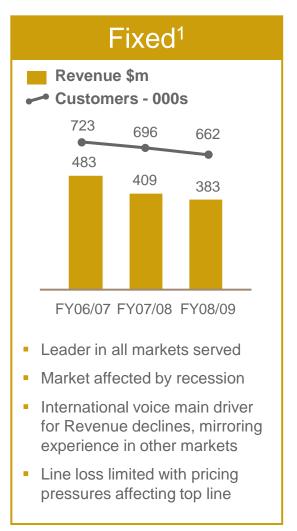
# ...from a good position in each product market



Focused on recovering market

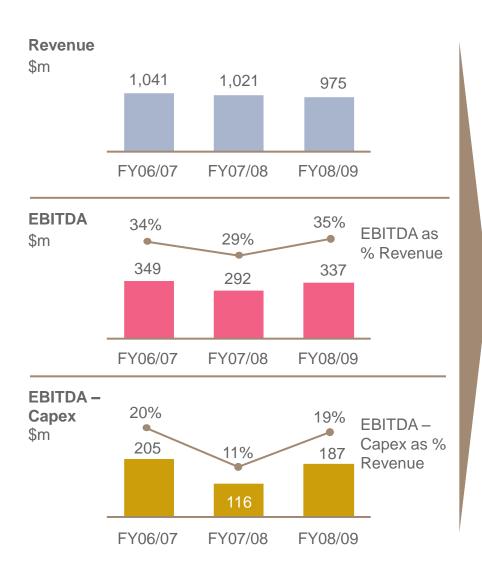
share in Jamaica







## Focused on cash conversion



## **Key Messages**

- Revenue affected by economic situation
  - Fixed line impact
  - Mobile Revenue more resilient
- EBITDA margin improving
  - Focus on Opex reduction
  - More work to do
- Strong cash conversion



# What to expect from us in 2010



- Improved network infrastructure
- Management focus on Jamaica turnaround
- Continuing transformation of service culture
- Pay TV rollout via Move IPTV deal
- Enterprise and Managed Services
- Maximise existing Cable assets

One Caribbean completion, creating scalable platform





















# Business highlights



FY08/09 Revenue \$302m **FY08/09 EBITDA** \$139m

FY08/09 EBITDA – Capex \$104m

## **Fundamentals**

- Premium GDP growth market
- Premier destination for Chinese tourists with 22m visitors in 2009 and expected to grow
- World's largest gaming market, annual gross Revenue of \$15bn+ (2009)

# Market Dynamics

- Advanced, developed market, with strong fixed and mobile data growth
- Competition in mobile from regional players, new competition in data
- Operating agreement recently extended to 2021

## Key Strengths

- Full service, market leader in Mobile, fixed and Broadband with unrivalled proposition
- Leading operating performance and cost management
- Good government and regional relations; well positioned for the Chinese growth story

# Strategic Intent

- Maintain market leading positions
- Drive Mobile and Fixed Broadband growth
- Develop Enterprise and Managed Service capabilities as an enabler for Macau's growth



# Maintaining current excellence...

## Focus today

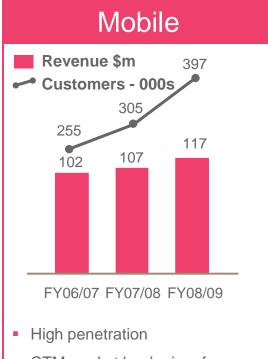
- Maintaining operational excellence
- Defending Mobile share
- Mobile Data rollout
- Defending leased line Revenue
- Lean organisation and cost base
  - Operating costs reduced by 17% in H1 09/10

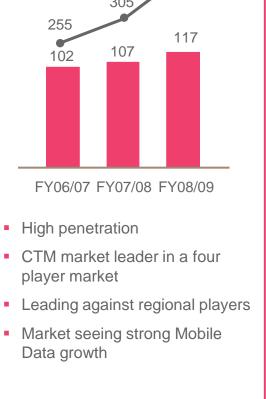
## Focus tomorrow

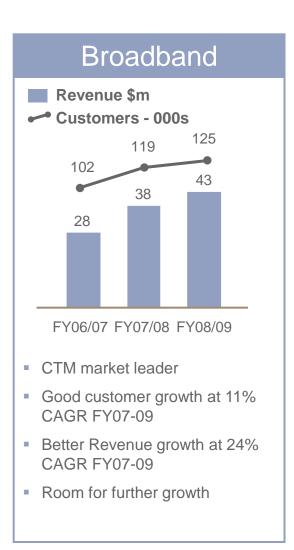
- Raising the bar in fixed Broadband with fibre
- Future Pay TV offering
- Capturing Managed Service
- Regional sales of Enterprise services
  - Developing CTM's hub potential

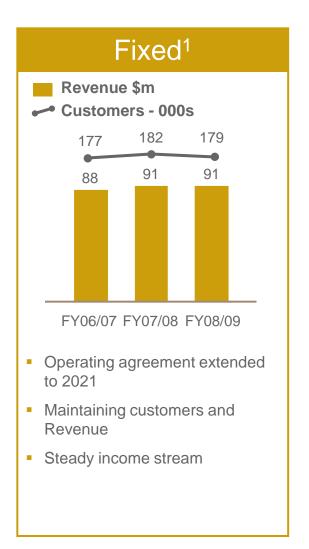


## ...as clear market leader



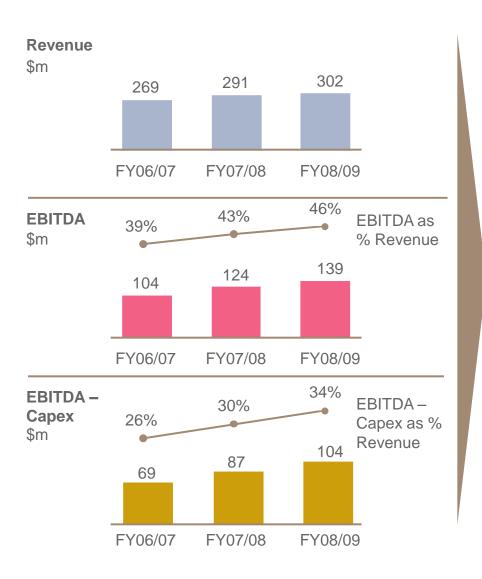








## World class financial performance

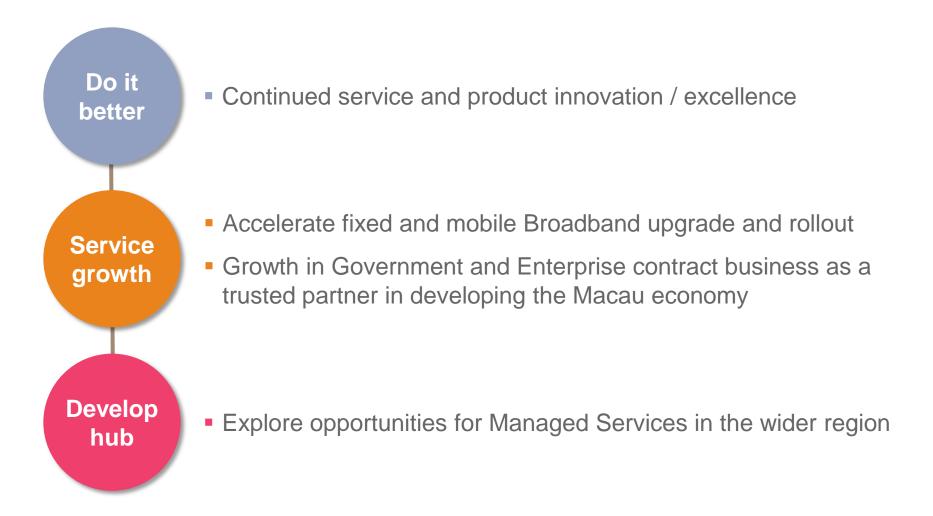


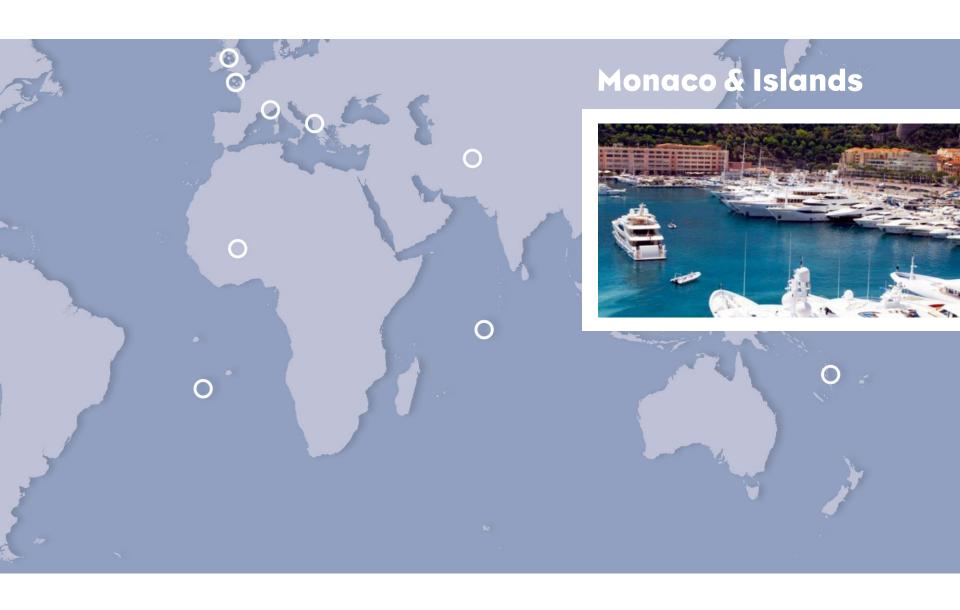
### **Key Messages**

- Leading operational and financial performance
- Good Revenue growth at 6% CAGR FY07-09
- Even better EBITDA growth at 16% CAGR FY07-09
- Opex ratio of 18% in FY08/09
- Leading EBITDA margin and cash conversion



# What to expect from us in 2010























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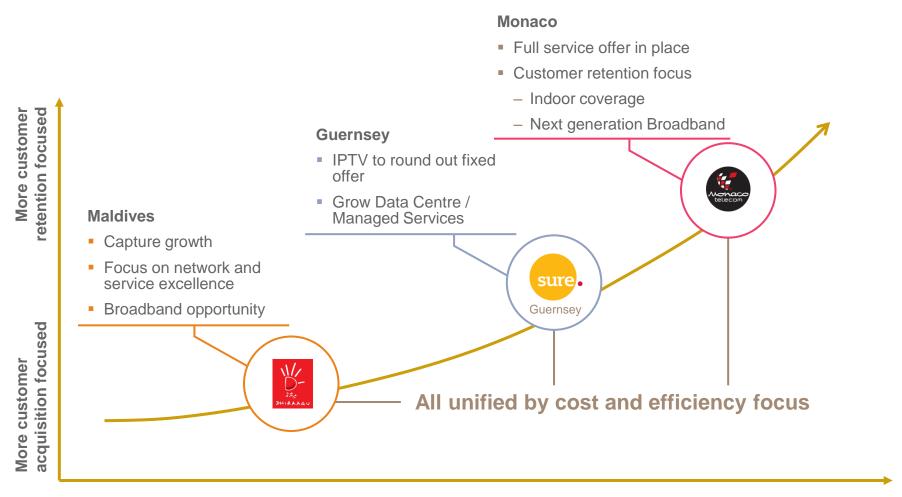
Monaco & Islands		<b>FY08/09 Reven</b> \$506m	ue FY08/09 EI \$137n		<b>FY08/09 EBITDA – Capex</b> \$78m	
Focus on leading EBITDA contributors:	Morace Mor	naco	Maldives		sure. Guernsey	
Fundamentals	<ul> <li>High GDP / c based on tou business</li> </ul>	•	<ul><li>High value tourism</li></ul>		<ul> <li>Economy stable with high GDP / capita</li> </ul>	
Market Dynamics	<ul> <li>Competition i exclusivity in internet and F</li> </ul>	fixed line,	<ul> <li>Competition in mobile, exclusive provider in fixed and broadband</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Competition in mobile</li> </ul>	Э
Key Strengths	<ul> <li>Full service, r leadership an government r</li> </ul>	d	_eading the way in a growing market		<ul> <li>Market leadership an Enterprise / Data Centre capabilities</li> </ul>	d
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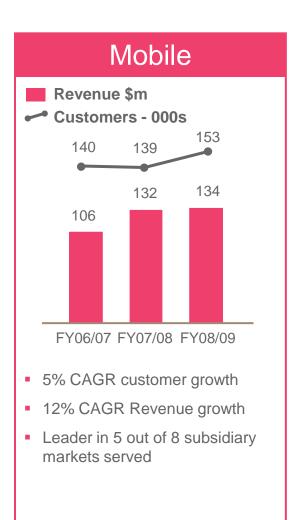


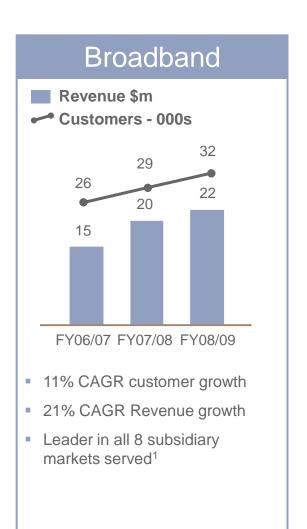


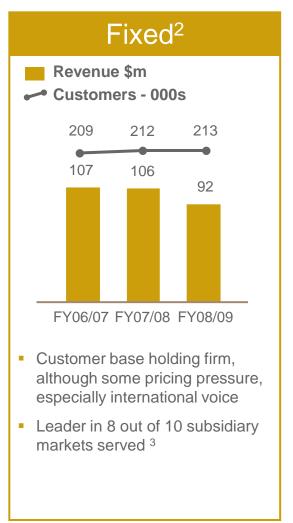
# Evolving focus as markets develop



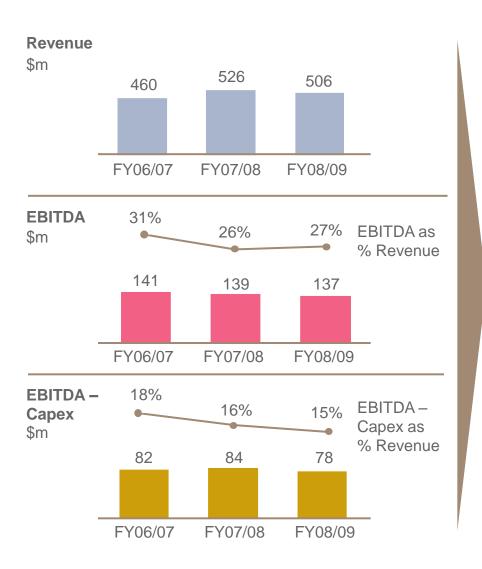
# M&I: Solid operating performance







### M&I: Good financial results



### **Key Messages**

- Revenue growth of 5% CAGR FY07-09
- Steady EBITDA as start-ups scale up
- Good cash conversion
- At constant currency, Revenue, EBITDA and EBITDA – Capex trend upwards
- Maldives adds another ~\$80m EBITDA p.a.

## What to expect from us in 2010



- Defend market leading positions
- Drive for critical mass in Jersey and Isle of Man
- Integrate Maldives into M&I
- Focus on new Enterprise opportunities, in particular Data Centres and Managed Services
- Guernsey IPTV rollout

Evaluate portfolio optimisation options

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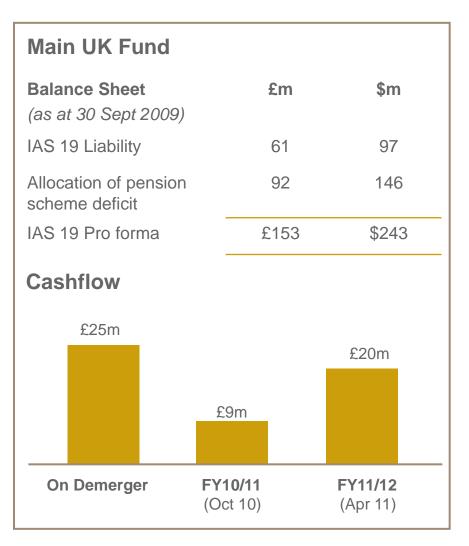






### Pensions deal...

### ...Good for Scheme Members, Trustees and the Company



- Main UK fund closed in 1998.
- Scheme significantly de-risked
  - Buy in policy c.50% total assets
  - Only 29% in equities at 30/09/09
- Approx 50% transferred to Worldwide
- Demerger agreement reached with Trustees
  - £25m contribution
  - Interim funding plan £29m
  - Contingent Funding Agreement
  - Agreed to full funding by April 2016

# Financial Highlights

Diversified Group...with strong metrics

Strong track record...with cash conversion

Balance sheet strength and liquidity

Commitment to growing shareholder returns

## Financial objectives

1. Margin Efficiency

2. Cash
Conversion

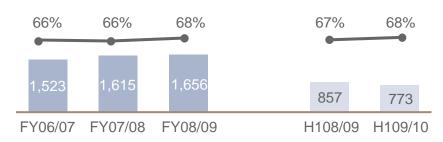
- 3. Liquidity and Balance Sheet
- 4. Superior
  Returns to
  Shareholders

- Optimise gross margin
- Opex cost discipline
- Maximise EBITDA
- Operating cash flow progression
- Capex control / working capital management
- Track record of repatriation
- Maintain strong financial position
- Preserve good levels of liquidity
- Manage maturity profile
- Focus on Total Return to Shareholders
- First year dividend target 8.0 cents per share
- Growth in line with earnings and cash flow

# 1. Margin efficiency



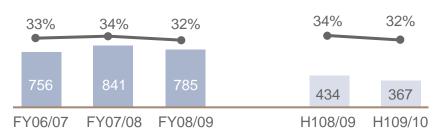
#### **Gross Margin \$m**



### **Gross margin expansion**

- Revenue initiatives
- Optimise the product mix

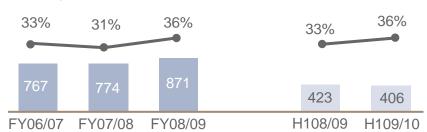
#### Opex \$m



### **Cost efficiency focus**

- Opex discipline
- H1 Opex 15% down
- One Caribbean reduced headcount by 27%

#### EBITDA \$m



### **Drive EBITDA and margin**

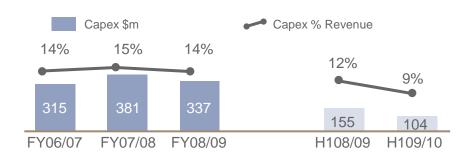
- Panama and Macau above 40%
- Ex-Central costs EBITDA margin of 38% H1 09/10

### 2. Cash conversion



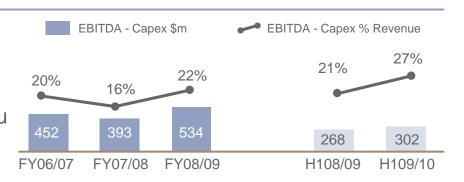
### Capex / working capital control

- Drive the Capex / Revenue ratio
- Capex expected below \$325m guidance
- Working capital management



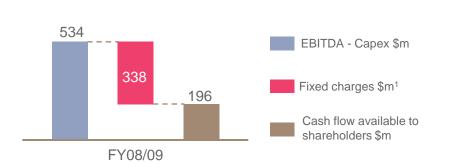
#### Focus on cash flow

- Strong EBITDA Capex
- FY08/09 29% in Panama and 34% in Macau
- Caribbean and M&I resilient



#### Free cash flow available to shareholders

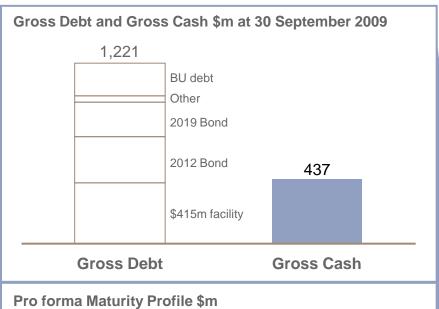
- Strong underlying cash flow
- Fixed charges covered
- Cash flow available to shareholders

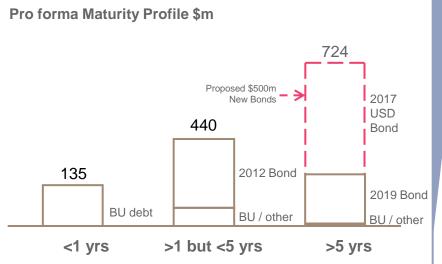


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Fixed charges include net interest, tax paid and net minority interest dividends

# 3. Liquidity and balance sheet strength



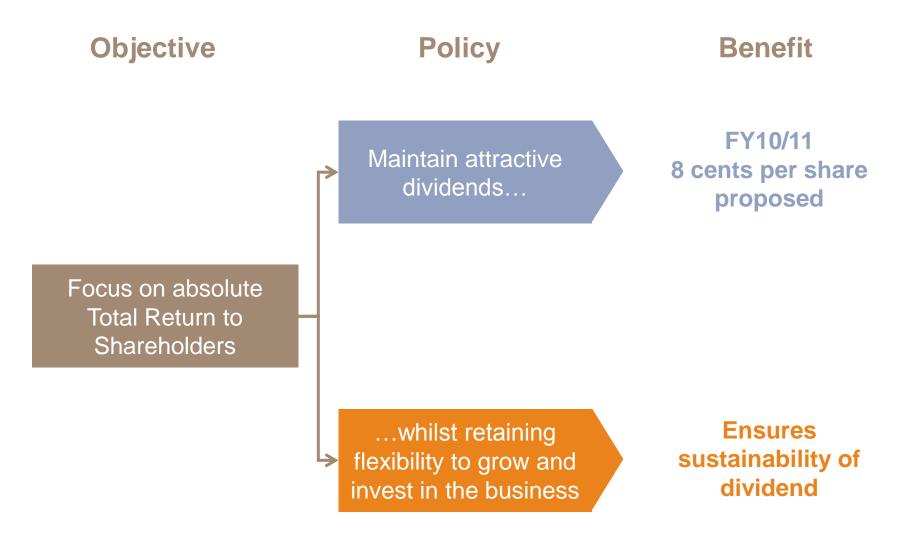




- Opening leverage 0.8x EBITDA
  - 1.2x proportionate
- \$1bn financing put in place
  - \$500m Bond
  - \$500m of new credit facilities
- Liquidity to meet 3 years of financing needs
  - 56% debt mature >5 years
  - BU debt is local working capital

## 4. Superior returns to shareholders





## Agenda

Highlights

Group strategy

Review of four businesses

Financial review

Summary



















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- Strong position in strong markets
- Management the team I want
- Great financial metrics
- Continuity of financial / cash delivery plus
- Good growth potential
- =Strong shareholder returns driven by dividends

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