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CABLE & WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL REBRANDS TO CWI GROUP

Cable & Wireless International today unveiled its fresh new brand identity which includes a change of name for the London-based company, to CWI Group.

As the owner of market-leading telecom businesses, whose operations stretch across 38 separate countries, the name CWI Group perfectly reflects the company's position as a portfolio management business.

Tony Rice, CEO said "Today is an important milestone for our business. We wanted a name that built on our heritage and linked us to our past, as well bringing our brand identity up-to-date and reflecting the fact that our business and our customers are truly international."

CWI Group maintains a stable of four regional businesses - Macau, Panama, the Caribbean and Monaco & islands – which have their own brands. Several of the business units will continue using the Cable & Wireless name, for example Cable&Wireless Panama.

The brand of Cable and	Wireless plc (th	ne group	company)	remains	unchanged

Notes to editor

The CWI Group portfolio includes the following company names and brands:

Panama

- Cable&Wireless Panama (CWP) All services
- +Movil Mobile

Macau

• CTM - All services

Monaco & the Islands

- Cable & Wireless (Ascension Island, Bermuda, Diego Garcia, Falkland Islands, Seychelles, St Helena) – All services
- Dhiraagu (Maldives) All services
- Monaco Telecom (Monaco) All services
- Roshan (Afghanistan) Mobile
- Sure (Channel Islands) All services

Caribbean

• LIME - Fixed-line, internet, mobile and entertainment

About CWI Group

CWI Group is an owner and operator of leading regional telecoms businesses. Headquartered in London, it operates businesses through four regional operations – the Caribbean, Panama, Macau and Monaco & Islands – delivering world class service and efficiency. CWI Group is a full-service telecommunications provider offering mobile, broadband, and domestic and international fixed line services, as well as enterprise and managed service solutions.

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