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1 Additional Information and Where to Find It This presentation is for informational purposes

only and is not an offer to purchase or a solicitation of an offer to sell any shares of Brasil Telecom Participações S.A. (BRTP) or Brasil Telecom S.A. (BRTO). The proposed tender offers for the outstanding common shares and a portion of the preferred shares of **BRTP** and **BRTO**

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shares of **BRTP** or **BRTO** will be made only pursuant offers to purchase and related materials that Telemar Norte Leste S.A. (TMAR) intends to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) upon commencement of these offers. **TMAR** urges shareholders who are eligible participate

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about that tender offer. Following the filing with the Commission of (1) the offers purchase and related materials relating to the offers for the common shares and/or the preferred shares of **BRTP** and/or BRTO, or (2) any other tender offer materials related to the offers

for the common shares

and/or the preferred shares of **BRTP** and/or BRTO, shareholders of **BRTP** and **BRTO** will be able to obtain the filed documents free of charge on the Commission s website at www.sec.gov or from TMAR. This presentation is also being made in respect of (1) the proposed merger (incorporação) of

BRTP with

and into BRTO, and (2) the proposed merger (incorporação) of **BRTO** with and into TMAR. In connection with the proposed merger of **BRTP** with and into BRTO, **TMAR** plans to cause **BRTO** to file with the Commission (1) registration statement on Form F-4, containing prospectus which

will be

mailed to the shareholders of BRTP, and (2) other documents regarding this proposed merger. In connection with the proposed merger of **BRTO** with and into TMAR, **TMAR** plans to file with the Commission (1) a registration statement on Form F-4, containing prospectus which will be mailed to the shareholders

of BRTO,

and

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Agenda 2

The

Restructuring

of

Telemar

Participações

Proposed Transaction: BrTP Acquisition Expected Benefits

3 The Restructuring of Telemar Participações

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Ownership Restructuring -
Telemar Participações
*
Oi employees
pension fund. ** Pension funds: Previ, Petros, Funcef, FASS and Telos
Current
Ownership
Total
FASS
Fundação Atlântico*
3
Subtotal
BNDESPAR
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FIAGO**
5
ALUTRENS
ASSECA
LEXPART
8
2
1
LF TELECOM
AG TELECOM
% ONs
100.00
4.00
24.55
25.00
19.90
10.00
10.275
10.275
10.275
10.275
AG TELECOM
1
LF TELECOM
2
FASS
Fundação Atlântico*
3
Subtotal
BNDESPAR
Post Restructuring
Ownership
Total
PREVI
5
PETROS
6
FUNCEF
7
19.34
19.34
11.50
50.18
% ONs
100.00
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16.86

12.96 10.00 10.00

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The Proposed Transaction

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Corporate Structure

Current Structures ON: 53.8% PN: 0.0% Total: 17.9% ON: 97.4% PN: 79.4%

(1)

Total: 87.5%

(1)

ON: 51.6% PN: 0.0% Total: 18.9% ON: 99.1% PN: 40.6% Total: 67.3%

(1) Includes preferred shares held directly by TmarPart

100% 100% TmarF

TmarPart

TNE

TMAR

Oi

Invitel/

Solpart

BRTP

BRTO

BRT GSM

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Simplified Structure of the Acquisition of Brasil
Telecom
TMAR
acquires
the
control
of
BrTP
Step 6
Merger
( Incorporação )
of
Invitel
Solpart
into
Brasil
Telecom
Participações
(BRT)
Step 8
Merger
( Incorporação )
of
Brasil
Telecom
Participações
(BRT)
into
Brasil
Telecom
(BTM)
Step 9
Brasil
Telecom
(BTM)
share
exchange
( Incorporação
de
Ações )
into
TMAR
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Step 10

TMAR makes voluntary tender offer for 1/3 of the free-float of preferred shares of Brasil Telecom Participações and Brasil Telecom: BRTP4 (R\$30.47) and BRTO4 (R\$23.42) Step 3 Commission Agent transfers the right to purchase Invitel share to **TMAR** Step 5 **TMAR** makes the tag-along tender offer for common shares held by

Brasil Telecom

Participações (BRT) and Brasil Telecom (BTM) minority shareholders: BRTP3 (R\$57.85) and BRTO3 (R\$54.31) Step 7 **TMAR** contracts Commission Agent purchase Invitel Solpart (BrTP majority shareholders) Step 1 **TMAR** releases Material Fact with details of the operation Step 2 Up to September/08 Extraordinary dividend payment Step 4

Regulatory approval (ANATEL and CADE)

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Corporate Structure
Final Structure
ON:100%
PN: 100%
Total:100%
ON: 88.3%
PN: 46.4%
(1)
Total: 62.2%
(1)
(1) Includes preferred shares held directly by TmarPart
TmarPart
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TNE TMAR BRTO

Mergers **Tender Offers** Prices Mandatory tender offers: BRTP3: R\$ 57.85 BRTO3: R\$ 54.31 Voluntary tender offers: BRTP4: R\$ 30.47 BRTO4: R\$ 23.42 NOTE: BRTP3/4: Brasil Telecom Participações ON/PN; BRTO3/4: Brasil Telecom S.A. ON/PN; TMAR3/5: Telemar Norte Leste ON/PNA; 1) Volume weighted average share prices (VWAP) for each of the class of shares on the Bovespa, for 90 days ending April

23, 2008.

TMAR3 and TMAR5 adjusted by extraordinary dividends of R\$15.5494 and R\$17.1045 respectively Source: Economática **Exchange Ratios** 1 ON share 1.2200534 ON 0.5047539 1 ON share 0.4137146 ON 0.1729971 1 PN share ON 0.0715714 0.4137146 1 ON share ON 0.9106649 PN 0.2304758 0.2530852 1 PN share PN Direct Relations BrTP vs Oi

(TMAR) BrT Part BrT Telemar

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Listing of TMAR at SEC

TMAR will be registered with SEC and will establish ADR programs for ON and PN shares

BrTP

ADR Holder s

will

receive

TMAR

PN

ADRs

and

ON ADRs

BrT

ADR Holder s will receive TMAR PN ADRs

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Brazilian Mobile Market Share: Dec/07

Market

Share

25.8%

25.0%

56.7%

Vivo

+

TIM + 27.7% 3.2% 30.9% = + 13.2% 3.5% 1.2%

17.9% = +

0.6

2.2

3.4

4.3

4.6 8.4

1.4

3.9

6.9

10.3 13.1 16.0 17.3 Room to Grow in Mobility 02 03 04 05 06 07 02 03 04 05 06 07 Region I Market Share (%) 16.5 19.2 22.6 26.0 27.4 26.9 0.0 0.0 3.2 8.7 12.1 13.2 27.9 13.7 Region II Market Share (%) 1Q08 1Q08 Região II Região I 1. Amazônia Celular not included Oi Mobile **Customer Base** million

Brasil

Telecom Mobile Customer Base

million

Market leader since 2005

Pre-paid: SIM Card alone - without handset subsidies combined with Oi Ligadores plans

Post-paid: Convergence of services (Oi Conta Total)

Region III: Start-up Project Oi + BrT: upside potentials

Nationwide coverage

Region II: Boost market share

Region III : Become a new player (2G/3G)

Brazil: Boost competitiveness due to the national coverage

Achieve national fair market share - 25%

Approximately 38 million customers in 5 years Fair Market Share

13 Domestic Corporate Networks Embratel

23 state capitals

Covers all 30 most populated cities Oi

18 state capitals

26 of 30 most populated cities Brasil Telecom

12 state capitals

17 of 30 most populated cities

23 state capitals

29 of the 30 most

populated cities

TOTAL

Oi +BrT

Backbone

Embratel

Hispamar

Satellite

+

Venezuela

USA

French

Guiana

Uruguai

Argentina

USA

Africa &

Portugal

+ 4 satellites

Backbone

Oi

+

BrT

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Expected Benefits

The combined operations create value Revenues

Mobile Operation nationwide

Possibility of expansion in national market-share

National coverage in mobile and data Important item for corporate clients Synergies Best Practices: room to improve General & Administrative expenses reduction Third-party services; improving relationship and network maintenance ΤI **Technology Information** Marketing & Publicity Product development Scale: Procurement better conditions Overhead reduction Capex better conditions Marketing & Publicity nationwide Goodwill Usage Lower Income Taxes Taxes: Lower PIS and Cofins Efficient capital structure Investment grade and Ratings maintained

Efficient leverage: 2.0 x EBITDA

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Tax shield benefits

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Operational Cash flow: increase

Financial

and

Fiscal

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