

Qualifications of Independent Directors

The Qualifications of the Company's Independent Directors

The qualifications of Independent Director of Samart Telcoms Public Company Limited which have been set under the Company's Corporate Governance Policy of which **have been defined more restrictive than** the minimum requirement of the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) as follows:

1. Holding not more than 0.5 percent of the total number of voting rights of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person of the Company, including the shares held by related persons of the independent director;
2. Neither being nor used to be an Executive director, employee, staff or advisor who receives a salary; or controlling person of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, same-level subsidiaries, major shareholder or controlling person of the Company unless the foregoing status has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;
3. Not being a person related by blood or legal registration such as father, mother, spouse, sibling and child, including spouse of child of other director, executive, major shareholder, controlling persons, or persons to be nominated as a director, executive or controlling person of the Company or subsidiaries;
4. Neither having nor used to have a business relationship with the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate company, major shareholder or controlling person, in the manner which may interfere with his independent judgment, and neither being nor used to be a significant shareholder or controlling person of any person having a business relationship with the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment.

The aforementioned business relationship is inclusive of any normal business transaction, rental or lease of property, transaction relating to assets or services, or grant or receipt of financial assistance through receiving or extending loans, guarantee, providing assets as collateral, including any other similar actions. These result in the Company or counterparty being liable to indebtedness payable to the other party in the amount from 3% of net tangible assets of the Company or from Baht 20 million, whichever is lower. The amount of indebtedness, included the obligation incurred during 1 year prior to the date of having a business relationship with the same person, is determined by the calculation method for value of connected transactions under the Notification of the Capital Market Supervisory Board concerning regulations in respect of an entering into connected transaction mutatis mutandis;

5. Neither being nor used to be an auditor of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person, and not being a significant shareholder, controlling person, or partner of an audit firm which employs auditors of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate company, major shareholder or controlling person, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;
6. Neither being nor used to be a provider of any professional services including those as legal advisor or financial advisor who receives service fees exceeding two million baht per year from the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate companies, major shareholder or controlling person, and not being a significant shareholder, controlling person or partner of the provider of professional services, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;
7. Not being a director appointed as a representative of directors of the Company, major shareholder or shareholder who is related to the Company's major shareholder;
8. Not undertaking any business in the same nature and in significant competition to the business of the Company or subsidiaries or not being a significant partner in a partnership or being an executive director, employee, staff, advisor who receives salary or holding shares exceeding 1 percent of the total number of shares with voting rights of other company which undertakes business in the same nature and in significant competition to the business of the Company or subsidiaries;
9. Not having any characteristic which cause the inability to express independent opinions with regard to the Company's business operations.

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On the appointment of directors who will retire by rotation, there is one independent director to be considered for re-election, Mr. Sirichai Rasameechan. This director complies with SEC's independent directors qualifications and has no relationship with major shareholders and the management of the Company as follows:

Relationship Characteristics	Proposed Independent Directors
	Mr. Sirichai Rasameechan
<p>1. Holding not more than 0.5 percent of the total number of voting rights of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person of the Company, including the shares held by related persons of the independent director;</p> <p>Holding of SAMTEL ordinary shares</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No. of shares - % of issued shares 	<p>150,000 shares 0.024%</p>
<p>2. Neither being nor used to be an Executive director, employee, staff or advisor who receives a salary; or controlling person of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, same-level subsidiaries, major shareholder or controlling person of the Company unless the foregoing status has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;</p>	No
<p>3. Not being a person related by blood or legal registration such as father, mother, spouse, sibling and child, including spouse of child of other director, executive, major shareholder, controlling persons, or persons to be nominated as a director, executive or controlling person of the Company or subsidiaries;</p>	No
<p>4. Neither having nor used to have a business relationship with the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate company, major shareholder or controlling person, in the manner which may interfere with his independent judgment, and neither being nor used to be a significant shareholder or controlling person of any person having a business relationship with the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment.</p> <p>The aforementioned business relationship is inclusive of any normal business transaction, rental or lease of property, transaction relating to assets or services, or grant or receipt of financial assistance through receiving or extending loans, guarantee, providing assets as collateral, including any other similar actions. These result in the Company or counterparty being liable to indebtedness payable to the other party in the amount from 3% of net tangible assets of the Company or from Baht 20 million, whichever is lower. The amount of indebtedness, included the obligation incurred during 1 year prior to the date of having a business relationship with the same person, is determined by the calculation method for value of connected transactions under the Notification of the Capital Market Supervisory Board concerning regulations in respect of an entering into connected transaction mutatis mutandis;</p>	No

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	Mr. Sirichai Rasameechan
5. Neither being nor used to be an auditor of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, major shareholder or controlling person, and not being a significant shareholder, controlling person, or partner of an audit firm which employs auditors of the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate company, major shareholder or controlling person, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;	No
6. Neither being nor used to be a provider of any professional services including those as legal advisor or financial advisor who receives service fees exceeding two million baht per year from the Company, parent company, subsidiaries, associate companies, major shareholder or controlling person, and not being a significant shareholder, controlling person or partner of the provider of professional services, unless the foregoing relationship has ended not less than two years prior to the date of appointment;	No
7. Not being a director appointed as a representative of directors of the Company, major shareholder or shareholder who is related to the Company's major shareholder;	No
8. Not undertaking any business in the same nature and in significant competition to the business of the Company or subsidiaries or not being a significant partner in a partnership or being an executive director, employee, staff, advisor who receives salary or holding shares exceeding 1 percent of the total number of shares with voting rights of other company which undertakes business in the same nature and in significant competition to the business of the Company or subsidiaries;	No
9. Not having any characteristic which cause the inability to express independent opinions with regard to the Company's business operations.	No