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CSL welcomes dismissal of PCCW's Appeal to the Court of Final Appeal

Hong Kong, 13 February 2009 – CSL Limited today welcomed the decision of the Court of Final Appeal in the legal proceedings instituted by PCCW Limited against both CSL and its Head of Regulatory and Corporate Affairs, Mr. David Aitken.

PCCW had sought to restrain Mr. Aitken (a former PCCW employee) from working for CSL in conjunction with issues arising out of or related to interconnection between fixed network operators and mobile network operators.

Mr. Aitken and CSL argued that the injunction sought by PCCW amounted to a restraint of trade in that if such an injunction was to remain in place, Mr. Aitken would not have been able to continue to work in the field of telecommunications interconnection in Hong Kong.

The Court held that the injunction sought by PCCW was a restraint of trade and therefore PCCW's appeal was dismissed.

Mr. Tarek A. Robbiati, Chief Executive Officer of CSL added "we are glad that common sense and justice have prevailed in this matter which poisoned the atmosphere of the industry. We look forward to continuing our discussions with PCCW, constructively and with renewed realism on both sides."

The court ordered that PCCW pay the legal costs of both Mr. Aitken and CSL.

About CSL Limited

CSL is Hong Kong's first and leading mobile network operator. It is also the first mobile company in Hong Kong to employ a distinctive market segmentation strategy and it uses

leading-edge technologies to provide customer-focused services through segmented brands: 1O1O, One2Free and New World Mobility.

It operates a world-class GSM / WCDMA network through which it offers comprehensive post and pre-paid mobile services to both local and international customers. CSL is also the leading roaming operator in Hong Kong to provide unmatched international multi-media connectivity with more than 400 destinations around the world.

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