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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement GOLDEN TELECOM INC [GLDN] À Lillian Acquisition, Inc. (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) **TELEPORTBOULEVARD** (Check all applicable) 140, 1043 EJ AMSTERDAM (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer _ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting Person THE NETHERLANDSÂ _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â $D^{(1)}$ Common Stock, par value \$.01 35,293,688 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect
Exercisable Date Number of (I)
Shares (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships			
		10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Lillian Acquisition, Inc. TELEPORTBOULEVARD 140 1043 EJ AMSTERDAM THE NETHERLANDSÂ	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
VimpelCom Finance B.V. TELEPORTBOULEVARD 140 1043 EJ AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS Â	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
OPEN JOINT STOCK CO VIMPEL COMMUNICATIONS "VIMPELCOMMUNICATIONS" 4 KRASNOPROLETARSKAYA MOSCOW, RUSSIA 127006Â	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Alexey Nikonov, Treasurer and Secretary for LILLIAN ACQUISITION, INC.		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Dmitry Afinogenov, Managing Director for VIMPELCOM FINANCE B.V.		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Alexander V. Izosimov, Chief Executive Officer for OPEN JOINT STOCK COMPANY		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

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The securities are owned directly by Lillian Acquisition, Inc., the designated filer. The sole stockholder of Lillian Acquisition, Inc. is VimpelCom Finance B.V., a joint filer. Open Joint Stock Company "VimpelCommunications", also a joint filer, is the sole stockholder of

(1) VimpelCom Finance B.V. VimpelCom Finance B.V. and Open Joint Stock Company "VimpelCommunications" disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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