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Third generation mobiles

The first wireless telegraphy licences to be auctioned were those for third generation mobile telecommunications services. The successful bidders and the amounts paid were:

Licence	Bidder	Amount
Licence A	TIW	£4.3847 billion
Licence B	Vodafone	£5.9640 billion
Licence C	BT3G	£4.0301 billion
Licence D	One2One	£4.0036 billion
Licence E	Orange	£4.0950 billion

Broadband

Subsequently 28GHz Broadband Wireless Fixed Access Spectrum licences have been auctioned. The rules in FA00/SCH23 will apply to these licences too.

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