

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION

SUSAN CHANG, AS NEXT FRIEND OF
ALISON CHANG, A MINOR, AND
JUSTIN HO-WEE WONG,

Plaintiffs,

V.

VIRGIN MOBILE PTY LTD.,

Defendant.

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CA No. 3:07-cv-1767

APPENDIX IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT VIRGIN MOBILE (AUSTRALIA) PTY LTD.'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR THIRD EXTENSION TO FILE AN OPPOSITION ON DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS

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Pursuant to Rule 30(b)(6),
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VIDEOTAPED VIDEOCONFERENCE
DEPOSITION OF GRAHAM MILNE

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Reporter: Judith White, JP 184396

1 MR ZEHL: How is that - I'll restate it in several
2 parts.

3 Q. A Virgin Mobile subscriber uses the
4 Optus network to speak with somebody; is that correct?

5 A. Can you be specific about the location of the
6 Virgin Mobile subscriber?

7 Q. If a Virgin Mobile subscriber is in Australia
8 and he places a call from Australia, is that call routed
9 over the Optus network?

10 A. Yes, it is.

11 Q. Is that true regardless of where the call goes?
12 Does it originally start on the Optus network if the
13 customer is in Australia?

14 A. Yes, it does.

15 Q. Okay. Which company owns the infrastructure
16 that the calls are routed over? I - I know you said it's
17 Optus's network. Is there one particular company that
18 owns that - that network?

19 A. There are a number of different systems that
20 are involved in making - making a call, so it's routed
21 through Optus's infrastructure, it's also routed through
22 some Virgin Mobile infrastructure. So what - what
23 specific area?

24 Q. Okay. Okay. Without Optus's infrastructure,
25 though, a Virgin Mobile customer cannot place a call from

1 Australia; is that correct?

2 A. That is correct, yes.

3 Q. Okay. If a Virgin Mobile customer places a
4 call to the United States, for example, would the call
5 still originate on Optus's network?

6 A. Yes, it would.

7 Q. And is there a way, based on your experience,
8 for you to determine or estimate which network the call
9 would transfer over to if the Virgin Mobile customer was
10 calling the United States from Australia?

11 A. I don't have visibility of - of where it goes
12 out with the Optus network. I have a level of
13 understanding of how the call is routed through the Optus
14 network, but I don't understand what happens after it
15 leaves the Optus network.

16 Q. Okay. Does Optus - does that Optus network -
17 is it - does it - is it, in effect, over a certain
18 geographical territory? In other words, does it only
19 work in Australia or does it work in other countries as
20 well? Can you tell me?

21 A. Optus network is - is deployed only in
22 Australia is my understanding, and it interacts with
23 other networks through network equipment.

24 Q. Now, does the destination - let me repeat - let
25 me state this more succinctly. Does the location of the

1 Optus Networks works with other telecommunications
2 companies located outside of Australia?

3 A. I - I don't know the answer to that question.

4 Q. Based on your experience, for a Virgin Mobile
5 customer to place a call outside of Optus's network, does
6 there need to be some type of relationship with another
7 telecommunications provider for that call to be routed
8 properly?

9 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

10 THE WITNESS: From my understanding of - of the
11 networks, then there will be a gateway out of Optus to
12 international companies, but that's as far as my
13 knowledge goes.

14 BY MR ZEHL:

15 Q. So once it leaves Optus's network and goes into
16 the gateway, depending on where the recipient of the call
17 is located, it will go into a new international network;
18 is that correct?

19 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

20 THE WITNESS: That is my understanding.

21 BY MR ZEHL:

22 Q. Okay. Do you understand the roaming process?

23 A. Yes, I do.

24 Q. Okay. If somebody from another country comes
25 to Australia and they're not a Virgin Mobile customer and

1 they place a call, will that call - is it possible that
2 that call gets routed through the Optus network?

3 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

4 THE WITNESS: I'm not aware of how subscribers from
5 other countries would get routed through the Optus
6 network or not. I - I've got no awareness of that.

7 BY MR ZEHL:

8 Q. Can you tell me what you understand about the
9 roaming process as it applies to a Virgin Mobile
10 customer?

11 A. Certainly. We - we can allow some of our
12 customers to roam in other countries, and we do that by
13 sending certain information through to the Optus network
14 to indicate that this customer is allowed to roam.

15 I understand that when, then, customers are abroad, if
16 they have a handset that's compatible with the network
17 that - that they are roaming in, they would be able to -
18 to roam on that - that network.

19 Q. Okay. If they are roaming, will their call
20 originate off of the Optus network?

21 A. No, it will not.

22 Q. So when they are roaming, their call will
23 initiate or - or start out on the network wherever
24 they're located; is that right?

25 A. That is correct.

1 roaming on their network or not.

2 Q. Okay. Does Virgin Mobile pay Optus Networks
3 for utilising its network?

4 A. We are - we are charged for using their
5 network, yes.

6 Q. And does Optus charge Virgin Mobile for using
7 the network; is that correct?

8 A. That's correct.

9 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

10 THE WITNESS: I understand that Optus charge us for
11 using --

12 BY MR ZEHL:

13 Q. And does Virgin Mobile --

14 A. I understand --

15 Q. Go ahead. I'm sorry.

16 A. I understand that Optus charges for - for using
17 their network. I'm not sure which Optus company charges
18 us.

19 Q. Does Virgin Mobile then have to pay for using
20 the network?

21 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

22 THE EXAMINEE: Yes, there are charges that are
23 associated with using the Optus infrastructure.

24 BY MR ZEHL:

25 Q. Okay. Do you - but you are unsure which Optus

1 network Virgin Mobile pays for using the network?

2 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

3 THE WITNESS: Can you repeat the question?

4 BY MR ZEHL:

5 Q. Do you know the name of the Optus company that
6 Virgin Mobile pays for using the network?

7 A. I don't, no.

8 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

9 BY MR ZEHL:

10 Q. Okay. How does Virgin Mobile generate revenue?
11 How does it make money?

12 A. It charges - we charge our customers for
13 providing services.

14 Q. Okay. What kind of services?

15 A. Telecommunication services, broadband --

16 MR HAWKINS: Object. Form.

17 THE WITNESS: Mobile broadband services.

18 BY MR ZEHL:

19 Q. Okay. Who collects the payments from
20 Virgin Mobile customers?

21 A. Virgin Mobile does.

22 Q. Okay. Are you familiar with how much Optus
23 charges Virgin Mobile to use its network?

24 A. No, I am not.

25 Q. Are you certain that Optus charges