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Telefónica Móviles, S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Telefónica Mobile, Inc

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Enclosures: Telefónica Móviles, S.A. presents its quarterly results corresponding to October-December 2002.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS: PRO-FORMA RESULTS

Sharp growth in the Company s total customer base.

- 41.4 managed customers¹ at the end of 2002, an increase of 39% from the 29.8 million reached in 2001.
- 21.4 million managed customers in Latin America, including Brasilcel, the Joint Venture with Portugal Telecom in Brazil.
- 18.4 million active clients in Spain, with a 10% annual increase.

Leadership position maintained in the major markets of operations

55% estimated market share in Spain at the end of 2002, remaining as one of the leading operators in the major European markets.

Market share in Brazil **over 50%**, after the agreement to buy TCO, with clear leadership in Sao Paulo, Rio de Janeiro and Brasilia markets. With this operation, Brasilcel will reach 16.8 million customers, 11 million more customers than the second Brasilean operator.

High quality customer base in Spain

Only operator with an **estimated outgoing traffic market share higher than market share**.

Strong rise in the weight of contract segment: 35% of total customer base vs. 32% in 2001

MOU grew in 2002 for the first time in the history of the company

4Q02 **positive outgoing ARPU year-over-year variation**, although total ARPU has been negatively affected by the elimination of the monthly subscriber fee, and by the fall in outgoing tariffs and interconnection fees in 2002, despite which it shows an important deceleration in its y-o-y decline.

1% monthly churn in 2002. We would also point out that economic churn is even lower than commercial churn, as the average usage of disconnections lines is considerably lower than the average usage of the Company s customer base.

Growth in revenues and significant increase in EBITDA

EBITDA growth of 19.1% assuming constant exchange rates, although due to the exchange rate impact, in euros they show a 12.1% growth. Consolidated EBITDA in 2002 grew to a total of 3,736MM

Revenues in 2002 18.7% higher than in 2001, assuming constant exchange rates, and 8.7% in Euros.

40.9% of consolidated EBITDA margin in 2002, 1.2 p.p. higher than that recorded in 2001, with Telefónica Móviles remaining as one of the more efficient operators f the European.

51.6% of EBITDA margin in TME, vs. 49.1% in 2001, remaining as a benchmark sector operator.

Favourable evolution of net income

Cumulative net loss of -3,724MM , an improvement from the loss registered in the first nine months of 2002, despite the full write-off of the assets in Germany, Austria and Switzerland, the provision for restructuring costs in these countries and in Italy, as well as the write off the goodwill from Terra Mobile due to the company s concentration of activities in Spain. Elimination of the exposure to the carrying values of the assets in the first three countries, which amounted to 410MM after the adjustment to their valuation made in July, being the only exposure the related to the assets in Italy, which amounts to 136MM .

Excluding the impact of these non-recurring items, net income would have amounted to 1,405.8MM , a year-over-year increase of 46.9% compared to 2001².

Optimization of the use of resources

919MM of cumulative cape³xin 2002, a **10.1% capex to revenues ratio in 2002**.

¹ Total subscribers including Brasilcel customers plus the subscribers of managed companies in Chile and Puerto Rico.

In 2001, it is excluded the impact of extraordinary provisions, asset write-offs and the homogeneization of TCP is fiscal year with the rest of Group TFM

³ Capex ex licences and capitalized financial costs.

Significant increase in free cash-flow generation⁴

More than 1,805MM in 2002, a 134% increase from 2001.

Dividend payment

Telefónica Móviles Board of Directors will propose the **payment of a dividend of 0.175** per share, charged to Additional paid-in capital, for approval at its Annual General Shareholders Meeting. Such dividend would be payable along June 2003.

This decision involves a change in the shareholder remuneration policy announced by the Company at the time of its initial public offering in 2000.

Increase in the Group s financial flexibility

More than 2,000MM reduction in consolidated financial net debt in 2002, in spite of the changes to the Group s consolidation perimeter, which have been more than offset by internal cash flow generation.

Ratio of financial net debt to EBITDA of 1.9x at the end of 2002, vs. 2.7x in 2001.

High quality balance sheet

26.1% weight of intangible assets⁵ over the Group s total asset base at the end of 2002, vs. a 49.7% in 2001, after the write down of assets carried out in 2002.

³ Capex ex licences and capitalized financial costs.

⁴ Consolidated Free Cash Flow = EBIT (1-t) + Amortization Capex Capitalized opex

⁵ Start-up expenses, intangible net assets and goodwill.

The financial statements and management discussions appearing in this report refer to pro-forma data (Combined Pro-forma Financial Statements), which could give rise to differences with respect to the corresponding information submitted on a regular basis to the CNMV (the Spanish SEC). For a correct understanding of this report, a reconciliation of the pro-forma financial information and that included in the public information submitted on a regular basis to the CNMV has been carried out.

The financial statements and management discussions appearing in this report refer to the financial performance of Telefónica Móviles Group, considering that all companies in which Telefónica Group held a stake as of 1 January 2001, and that as of 31 December 2001 had been transferred and/or sold to Telefónica Móviles, are included in Telefónica Móviles financial statements from the moment of its incorporation to Telefónica Group. Such criteria has been followed also in the recording of 2002 financial statements.

The four operators in the north of Mexico, which were transferred to the Group in July 2001, have been fully consolidated through the full integration method from 3Q01. Telefónica Móviles stake in the share capital of Grupo Pegaso Telecomunicaciones, acquired in September 2002, has been consolidated in 4Q02 results through the full integration method, retroactively registering its results from September 10, 2002, the date of acquisition.

Due to the merger of the four operators in the north of Mexico and Grupo Pegaso Telecomunicaciones into one single company Telefónica Móviles México , in the final quarter of 2002, this company has been consolidated for the first time, and thus results are presented including the corresponding eliminations related to intragroup operations. Until their integration within Telefónica Móviles México, the financial statements of the four northern Mexican operators included aggregate results, without reflecting the adjustments resulting from operations among these companies. Intragroup transactions affect mostly operating revenues. In order to make a straight comparison with previous quarters, we present the figures for 2001 and 2002 from the first quarter of the year-applying the same criteria, in other words, presenting the results of the Mexican operators net of intra-group eliminations.

To avoid possible distortions from the increase of Telefónica Móviles economic stake in TeleLeste Celular, which took place in 2Q02, as of January 1, 2002, this company has been fully consolidated. Until 4Q01, TeleLeste Celular was consolidated by the equity method.

The financial statements do not include the mobile operators of Chile and Puerto Rico managed by Telefónica Móviles.

On 27 December 2002, Brasilcel, the Joint Venture with Portugal Telecom in which each of the partners has a 50% stake, was constituted by transferring 100% of both groups—direct and indirect shareholdings in various Brazilian cellular operators—TeleSudeste Celular, CRT Celular and TeleLeste Celular by Telefónica Móviles and Telesp Celular Particpaçoes and an additional stake in CRT Celular by Portugal Telecom—. As a result, Telefónica Móviles—2002 year-end proforma consolidated balance sheet includes the consolidation of Brasilcel⁶ by the proportional integration method. The transfer of the stakes to Brasilcel has had no significant impact on the income statement, given the date of its recording.

For an easier understanding of Telefónica Móviles financial statements, the economic stakes held by the Company in each of its subsidiaries, along with the consolidation method used in its consolidated financial statements in each period, are provided.

⁶ And accordingly all operators transferred : Tele Sudeste Celular, CRT Celular y Tele Leste by Telefónica Móviles, and Telesp Celular Particpações and an additional stake in CRT Celular by Portugal Telecom

Economic ownership

3G Mobile (Austria)

Medi Telecom

Mobipay España

Mobipay International

Terra Mobile

M-Solutions

TmAs

3G Mobile AG (Switzerland)

	Dec	Dec	Consolidation method			
	2002	2001	Dec 2002	Dec 2001		
T. Moviles España	100.00%	100.00%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
Brasilcel 1	50.00%		Proportional method			
TCP Argentina	97.93%	97.93%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
TEM Perú	97.97%	97.97%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
T. Móviles México ²	92.00%		Full consolidation			
TEM El Salvador	90.26%	46.05%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
TEM Guatemala	100.00%	51.00%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
Group 3G (Germany)	57.20%	57.20%	Full consolidation	Full consolidation		
IPSE 2000 (Italy)	45.59%	45.59%	Equity method	Equity method(3)		

100.00%

100.00%

31.34%

80.00%

100.00%

13.33%

36.00%

100.00%

100.00%

100.00%

30.50%

80.00%

100.00%

13.33%

38.00%

- (1) Joint Venture which consolidates by full integration the assets transferred by TEM (TeleSudeste, Celular CRT and TeleLeste Celular) and by Portugal Telecom (Telesp Celular Participacoes and an additional stake in CRT Celular).
- Telefónica Móviles México consolidates the North Mexican operators (Norcel, Bajacel, Movitel and Cedetel) and Grupo Pegaso Telecomunicaciones.
- (3) Full consolidated up to September 2001.
- (4) Consolidated through the Equity method up to September 2001.

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Conciliation with the Consolidated Proforma Income Statement

Audited figures

Additional rights		Consolidated Proforma Figures January-December		Statutory Figures January-December		In million Euros Differences January-December	
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	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	
Operating revenues	9,139.8	8,411.1	9,061.1	8,473.2	78.7	(62.1)	
EBITDA	3,735.8	3,333.7	3,709.3	3,321.1	26.5	12.6	
Operating profit	2,419.4	2,075.5	2,411.4	2,076.5	8.0	(1.0)	
Net income before minority interests	(8,088.5)	845.0	(8,093.8)	945.7	5.3	(100.7)	
Net income	(3,724.5)	893.4	(3,730.7)	992.8	6.2	(99.4)	
Recurring Net income ¹	1,405.8	957.0	1,399.6	1,056.4	6.2	(99.4)	

Full consolidation

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Equity method

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(1) In 2002 excludes the impact of extraordinary accounts associated with the write-downs of assets and the cost for restructuring activities in Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland as well as the write-down of Terra Mobile s goodwill. In 2001 excludes the impact of net extraordinary provisions, write-downs of assets and the homogeneization of TCP fiscal year with the rest of the TEM Group.

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Consolidated Proforma Income Statement

Audited figures

In million Euros

	January-December			October-December		
	2002	2001 ⁶	% Change	2002	2001 ⁶	% Change
Operating revenues	9.139,8	8.411,1	8,7	2.310,8	2.242,6	3,0
EBITDA	3.735,8	3.333,7	12,1	897,0	804,4	11,5
Operating profit	2.419,4	2.075,5	16,6	569,4	491,8	15,8
Income before taxes	(10.219,3)	1.473,7	C.S.	(6.800,3)	330,9	C.S.
Net income before minority interests	(8.088,5)	845,0	C.S.	(4.062,1)	197,5	C.S.
Net income	(3.724,5)	893,4	C.S.	198,7	223,2	(11,0)
Recurring Net income ¹	1.405,8	957,0	46,9	426,9	221,4	92,8
Free Cash Flow ²	1.805,8	770,4	134,4	209,7	(60,7)	C.S.
Outstanding shares (million) ³	4.330,6					