

TELECOM ARGENTINA SA
Form SC TO-C
June 21, 2018

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

**Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

(Amendment No.)*

TELECOM ARGENTINA S.A.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

CABLEVISIÓN HOLDING S.A.

FINTECH TELECOM, LLC

FINTECH ADVISORY INC.

DAVID MARTINEZ

(Names of Filing Persons (Offerors))

CLASS B SHARES, par value 1 Peso per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

879273209

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- amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

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- Rule 13e-4(i) (Cross-Border Issuer Tender Offer)
 - Rule 14d-1(d) (Cross-Border Third-Party Tender Offer)
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Explanatory Note

This Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO relates to a possible tender offer by Cablevisión Holding S.A., a *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Argentina, (**CVH**) for all or a portion of the Class B shares, P\$1.00 par value per share, of Telecom Argentina, S.A. (**Telecom**), an Argentine corporation (the **Shares**). On the date hereof, CVH issued a notice (the **Notification**) in Argentina relating to the possible tender offer. An English-language free translation of the Notification is attached as Exhibit 99.1. Additionally, notwithstanding the fact that Fintech Telecom, LLC, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware (**FTL**), Fintech Advisory Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware (**FAI**) and David Martínez, a natural person (**DM**) are not obligated to promote, formulate or launch a tender offer and have not taken part in the determination and formulation of any of the terms and conditions of CVH's possible tender offer, in accordance with section 6.7 of the Telecom Shareholders Agreement, dated 7 July 2017, FT has undertaken to pay and acquire 50% of the shares tendered in the OPA (notwithstanding the right of CVH to acquire by itself the first 43,073,760 shares). Therefore, FT (and its direct and indirect shareholders FAI and DM) will jointly participate with the CVH, each as co-offeror (and together with CVH, collectively the **Offerors**).

The Notification is neither an offer to purchase nor a solicitation of an offer to sell any securities. The Offerors have not yet commenced a tender offer for the Shares. If required by applicable law and solely upon the fulfilment of certain essential requirements outlined therein, the Offerors intend to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission a Tender Offer Statement and related materials on Schedule TO, and Telecom would file a Solicitation Recommendation on Schedule 14D-9. Holders of the Shares and American Depository Receipts representing the Shares are encouraged to read carefully such documents when they become available, and as they may be amended from time to time, before any decision is made with respect to the potential offer, because they will contain important information. If and when filed, such documents will be available free of charge at the website of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission www.sec.gov. In addition, if and when filed, the Offerors will provide copies of such documents free of charge to holders of the Shares.