In order to provide trans-river communication in the lower St. Lawrence area, the following companies operate stations in the Province of Quebec at La Malbaie, Tadoussac, Rivière du Loup, Rimouski, Matane, Montmagny, St. Antoine, Ile aux Grues, Cap Chat, Forestville, Trinity Bay, Baie Comeau, Clarke City, Gaspe Copper Mines, Mont Louis, Chicoutimi, and Tour à Pica: La Compagnie de Telephone de Charlevoix et Saguenay, La Compagnie de Telephone de Kamouraska, the Quebec Telephone Corporation, Gulf of St. Lawrence Telephone Company, and La Compagnie du Telephone Saguenay.

The wire-line facilities between Saint John, N.B., and Digby, N.S., between Charlottetown, P.E.I., and New Glasgow, N.S., and between Red Head, N.B., and Mount Hanley, N.S., are supplemented by radiotelephone links. The stations at Saint John and Red Head are operated by the New Brunswick Telephone Company and the station at Charlottetown is operated by the Island Telephone Company. Terminals at Digby, New Glasgow and Mount Hanley are operated by the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company.

The Bell Telephone Company of Canada provides a land mobile terminal radiotelephone service at numerous points in Ontario and operates a microwave link between Toronto and Ottawa, Ont., and Montreal, Que., which carries television programs and is capable of providing many additional telephone circuits. Radio links are also maintained between Pelee Island and Learnington, Ont., and across the St. Lawrence between Sorel and Joliette, Que.

The Canadian National Railway Company operates an extensive radiotelegraph and radiotelephone service in Newfoundland including links between Table Mountain, N'f'ld., Cape North, N.S., and New Waterford, N.S. This Company is also authorized to provide a limited coast-station service at Port aux Basques, N'f'ld.

The Avalon Telephone Company operates public commercial stations in Newfoundland to supplement its wire lines and to provide telephonic communication with isolated communities.

The Manitoba Telephone System operates radiotelephone links involving stations at the following points: Riverton, Manigotagan, Hecla Island, Gimli, Norway House, Bissett, Great Falls, The Pas, Snow Lake and Winnipeg, Man. In addition, the Manitoba Telephone System operates stations at Gimli, The Pas and Norway House, Man., to provide terminal service for ships operating on Lake Winnipeg.

Norwesto Communications Limited operates a public commercial radiotelephone service consisting of stations located at Kenora, Red Lake, Ball Lake, Sioux Narrows, Dryden, Sioux Lookout, Minaki and Redditt, which are used in conjunction with the ordinary telephone exchanges to provide telephonic communication to privately owned stations at isolated points throughout the northwestern part of the Province of Ontario.

The Red Lake Telephone Company operates a public commercial radiotelephone station at Madsen, Ont., to provide a connection between the local wire telephone system and the Norwesto Communications Limited network.

The Okanagan Telephone Company operates a public radiotelephone service between Revelstoke and Arrowhead, B.C., and a public commercial terminal station at Kelowna to provide telephonic communication to privately owned stations at isolated points in the Kelowna area.