

TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI A S  
Form 6-K  
February 17, 2017

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Report on Form 6-K dated February 17, 2017

Commission File Number: 001-15092

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TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI A.S.  
(Translation of registrant's name in English)

Aydınevler Mahallesi İnönü Caddesi No:20  
Küçükyalı Ofispark  
34854 Maltepe  
Istanbul, Turkey

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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Enclosure: A press release dated February 16, 2017, announcing the signing of the contract to purchase services to add mobile broadband services to the existing GSM infrastructure under universal service law and to operate the new and existing networks together.

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Istanbul, February 16, 2017

Announcement Regarding the Signing of The Contract to Purchase Services to Add Mobile Broadband Services to the Existing GSM Infrastructure Under Universal Service Law and to Operate the New and Existing Networks Together

Our Company and the Ministry of Transport, Maritime Affairs and Communications, Directorate General of Communications signed a contract to continue the contract, signed on 20.02.2013 to establish and operate mobile communication infrastructure and operation in uncovered areas, (Phase 1) until 31.12.2018 and to add mobile broadband services to the existing infrastructure providing GSM services under Universal Service Law and to operate the new and existing networks together.

Mobile broadband services will be added to the existing infrastructure established in accordance with Phase 1 in 1,799 rural locations. The new and the existing infrastructure will be operated together.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Turkcell Iletisim Hizmetleri A.S. has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

TURKCELL ILETISIM  
HIZMETLERI A.S.

Date: February 17, 2017 By: /s/ Zeynel Korhan Bilek  
Name: Zeynel Korhan Bilek  
Investor Relations and  
Title: Mergers & Acquisition  
Director

TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI  
A.S.

Date: February 17, 2017 By: /s/Bulent Aksu  
Name: Bulent Aksu  
Title: Finance Executive Vice President

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Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Unisys Corporation common stock.

Explanation of Responses:

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- (2) Time-based restricted stock units granted under the Unisys Corporation 2016 Long-Term Incentive and Equity Compensation Plan. The restricted stock units will vest in three equal annual installments beginning February 9, 2018.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive 1.309 shares of Unisys Corporation common stock.

Performance-based restricted stock units ("PB-RSUs") granted on February 9, 2017 under the Unisys Corporation 2016 Long-Term Incentive and Equity Compensation Plan. PB-RSUs are earned one-third annually over a three-year period to the extent Unisys

- (4) Corporation achieves a performance goal relating to operating profit for that year in each of 2017, 2018 and 2019, respectively, and then such earned PB-RSUs vest on February 9, 2018, 2019, and 2020, respectively. This report only relates to the PB-RSUs the reporting person earned based on the 2017 performance goal. All shares resulting from such earned PB-RSUs vested on February 9, 2018.

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