

GOLDEN TELECOM INC  
Form SC TO-C  
December 21, 2007

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## Schedule TO

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TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D)(1)  
OR SECTION 13(E)(1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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### Golden Telecom, Inc.

*(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))*

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**Lillian Acquisition, Inc.**

*(Name of Filing Person (Offeror))*

**VimpelCom Finance B.V.**

**Open Joint Stock Company Vimpel-Communications**

*(Translation of filing person's name into English)*

*(Names of Filing Person(s) (Other Person(s)))*

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**Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 Per Share**

*(Title of Class of Securities)*

**38122G107**

*(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)*

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**Open Joint Stock Company Vimpel-Communications**

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

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer: “

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
99	<b>Joint Press release</b> , dated December 21, 2007.