RNS Number : 5016A Spirent Communications PLC

14 August 2024

### TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings

#### 1. Issuer Details

#### **ISIN**

GB0004726096

#### **Issuer Name**

SPIRENT COMMUNICATIONS PLC

#### **UK or Non-UK Issuer**

UK

#### 2. Reason for Notification

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

### 3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation

#### Name

Morgan Stanley

# City of registered office (if applicable)

## Country of registered office (if applicable)

US

| Name City of registered office |                      | Country of registered office |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|
| Morgan Stanley                 | Wilmington, Delaware | USA                          |

## 4. Details of the shareholder

| Name                                      | City of registered office | Country of registered office |
|---|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Morgan Stanley & Co.<br>International plc | London                    | UNITED<br>KINGDOM            |

#### 5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached

12-Aug-2024

### 6. Date on which Issuer notified

14-Aug-2024

### 7. Total positions of person(s) subject to the notification obligation

|  | % of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8.A) | % of voting rights through financial instruments (total of 8.B 1 + 8.B 2) | Total of both<br>in % (8.A +<br>8.B) | Total number<br>of voting<br>rights held in<br>issuer |
|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| Resulting<br>situation on the<br>date on which<br>threshold was<br>crossed or<br>reached | 9.086823   | 0.355949  | 9.442772                             | 54640252  |
| Position of previous notification (if  | 8.911333   | 0.344200  | 9.255533                             |   |

| applicable) |  |  |
|-------------|--|--|
|             |  |  |

# 8. Notified details of the resulting situation on the date on which the threshold was crossed or reached

# 8A. Voting rights attached to shares

| Class/Type of<br>shares ISIN<br>code(if possible) | Number of direct<br>voting rights<br>(DTR5.1) | Number of indirect<br>voting rights<br>(DTR5.2.1) | % of direct voting rights (DTR5.1) | % of indirect voting rights (DTR5.2.1) |
|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--|
| GB0004726096                                      |   | 52580568  |                                    | 9.086823                               |
| Sub Total 8.A                                     | 52580568                                      |   | 9.086823                           | %                                      |

### 8B1. Financial Instruments according to (DTR5.3.1R.(1) (a))

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | pariod | Number of voting rights that may<br>be acquired if the instrument is<br>exercised/converted | % of voting rights |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---|--------------------|
|                              |                 |        |   |                    |
| Sub Total 8.B1               |                 |        |   |                    |

# 8B2. Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to (DTR5.3.1R.(1) (b))

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | Exercise/conversion period | Physical or<br>cash<br>settlement | Number of | % of voting rights |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Equity<br>Swap               | 27/06/2025      | at any time                | Cash                              | 1991701   | 0.344200           |
| Equity<br>Swap               | 21/08/2025      | at any time                | Cash                              | 67983     | 0.011749           |
| Sub Total<br>8.B2            |                 |                            |                                   | 2059684   | 0.355949%          |

### 9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation

2. Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entities (please add additional rows as necessary)

| Ultimate<br>controlling person | Name of controlled undertaking                      | % of voting rights if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | % of voting rights through financial instruments if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | Total of both if it<br>equals or is higher<br>than the<br>notifiable<br>threshold |
|--------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 1) |   |  |  |   |
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 1) | Morgan<br>Stanley<br>International<br>Holdings Inc. |  |  |   |
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 1) | Morgan<br>Stanley<br>International<br>Limited       |  |  |   |
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 1) | Morgan<br>Stanley<br>Investments<br>(UK)            |  |  |   |
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 1) | Morgan<br>Stanley & Co.<br>International<br>plc     | 9.086822   |  | 9.442771%   |
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 2) | Morgan<br>Stanley                                   |  |  |   |

| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 2) | Morgan<br>Stanley<br>Capital<br>Management,<br>LLC |  |  |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Morgan<br>Stanley<br>(Chain 2) | Morgan<br>Stanley<br>Smith Barney<br>LLC           |  |  |

| 10. In case of proxy voting     |                       |  |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Name of the proxy holder        |                       |  |
|                                 |                       |  |
| The number and % of voting r    | ights held            |  |
|                                 |                       |  |
| The date until which the voting | ı rights will be held |  |
|                                 |                       |  |
| 11. Additional Information      |                       |  |
|                                 |                       |  |

# 12. Date of Completion

14-Aug-2024

# 13. Place Of Completion

Mumbai

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