

# FCC adds two more Chinese carriers to threat list

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**The news:** The US Federal Communications Commission (FCC) added two more Chinese companies to its growing list of national security threats, [per](#) The Register.

**Banned in the USA:** Pacific Network and its wholly owned subsidiary ComNet and China Unicom now join Huawei, ZTE, Hytera, Hikvision, Dahua, China Mobile, China Telecom, and Russia's Kaspersky as potential threats.

- “We are taking additional action to close the door to these companies by adding them to the FCC’s Covered List,” [said](#) FCC chairwoman Jessica Rosenworcel.
- **The list includes companies believed to be “subject to the exploitation, influence, and control of the Chinese government.”**
- US buyers who shop through federal subsidies are prohibited from transacting with the companies.

**What’s next?** While the FCC has implemented a [\\$1.9 billion program](#) to reimburse US companies for ripping out and replacing equipment from Chinese companies, smaller regional carriers and telecoms could see service disruptions while they transition away from blacklisted products.