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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14D-9

SOLICITATION/RECOMMENDATION STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(D)(4) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(AMENDMENT NO.____)

ASIA SATELLITE TELECOMMUNICATIONS HOLDINGS LIMITED (Name of Subject Company)

ASIA SATELLITE TELECOMMUNICATIONS HOLDINGS LIMITED (Name of Person(s) Filing Statement)

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE HK \$0.10 PER SHARE*

AMERICAN DEPOSITARY SHARES, EACH REPRESENTING TEN SHARES

(Title of Class of Securities)

*In connection with the registration of the American Depositary Shares. The Common Stock is listed and traded on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

Common Stock (763991-02-3) American Depositary Shares (04516X106) ((CUSIP) Number of Class of Securities)

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EXHIBIT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
99.1	Joint announcement issued by Modernday Limited and Asia Satellite Telecommunications Holdings Limited (the "Company") on February 14, 2007, regarding a proposed privatization of the Company by Modernday Limited by way of a scheme of arrangement, a possible unconditional mandatory general offer for shares of the Company by Modernday Limited, and a resumption of trading in shares of the Company (the "Proposals").
99.2	Press release jointly issued by Modernday Limited and the Company on February 14, 2007, regarding the Proposals.