TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI A S

Form 6-K January 30, 2018

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 January 30, 2018

Commission File Number: 001-15092

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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Form 20-F Form 40-F

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Yes No

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Yes No

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Enclosure: A press release dated January 30, 2018, regarding the restructuring within the scope of Law No.7061.

Istanbul, January 30, 2018

Announcement Regarding the Restructuring within the Scope of Law No.7061

Our Company's Board of Directors has resolved the following within the scope of Provisional Article 13 added to the Telegraph and Telephone Law No.406 dated 4/2/1924 by Article 2 of the Law on the Amendment of Certain Tax Laws and Other Laws No. 7061 published in the Official Gazette dated December 5th, 2017:

to restructure treasury share, universal service fund, Information and Communication Technologies Authority (ICTA) contribution share, administrative fees and radio fees which are in dispute and respective penalty, default interest and litigation costs regarding these disputes within the scope of clause 2,

to choose the method of increasing tax base stipulated in subparagraph (a) from the options stipulated in clause 3 in order to restructure treasury share, universal service fund, ICTA contribution share and administrative fees for the periods for which examination is ongoing or has not been yet initiated within the scope of clause 3.

The total amount, including principal and interest, calculated within the scope of clause 2 is TRY 363.0 million and within the scope of clause 3 is TRY 209.1 million. The payment will be made in 6 equal installments in two-month periods, starting from January 31st, 2018. The total payment including interest on installments is TRY600.8 million. Upon completion of the payments, ongoing disputes in relation to treasury share, universal service fund, ICTA contribution share, administrative fees and radio fees and respective risks that could potentially arise limited to these issues for the periods prior to and as of December 31st, 2017 will cease.

No provision was recognized in consolidated financial statements as of September 30th, 2017 with respect to these issues. TRY 575.1 million provision will be booked in consolidated financials as of December 31st, 2017 including the interest on installments and the impact of discount interest income. Our Company's Board of Directors resolved that the negative impact of this provision amount will not be factored in the dividend proposal with respect to 2017 financial results.

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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: January 30, 2018 By: /s/ Zeynel Korhan Bilek

Name: Zeynel Korhan Bilek

Title: Investor Relations and Mergers & Acquisition Director

TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI

A.S.

Date: January 30, 2018 By: /s/Bulent Aksu

Name: Bulent Aksu

Title: Finance Executive Vice President