CABLE & WIRELESS PLC Form SC 13G December 17, 2001

> UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

NTL Incorporated

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(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

\_\_\_\_\_

(Title of Class of Securities)

629407107

\_\_\_\_\_

(CUSIP Number)

N/A

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

[] Rule 13d-1(b) [X] Rule 13d-1(c) [] Rule 13d-1(d)

CUSIP	No.	62940710	7

Names of Reporting Persons.
 I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

Cable and Wireless plc

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

(a) .....

(b) .....

3. SEC Use Only

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4. Citizenship or Place of Organization

England and Wales

5. Sole Voting Power 29,375,813

Number of Shares		6.	Shared Voti	ng Power	
Beneficiall	У				
Owned by Each Reporting		7.	Sole Dispos 29,375,813	itive Power	
Person With		8.		ositive Power	
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9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person. 29,375,813				
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)				
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 10.6%				
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) HC				
Item 1.	(a)	Name of Is	ssuer NTL Inc		
		Address of	E Issuer's Pri	ncipal Executive Offices	
	(b)		-	pal executive offices of NTL are located t 59th Street, New York, New York 10022.	
Item 2.	(a)	Name of Pe	erson Filing C	able and Wireless plc	
	Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence				
	(b)			s of Cable & Wireless' principal nd office is 124 Theobalds Road, London,	
			WC1X 8RX,	United Kingdom.	
	(c)	(c) Citizenship England and Wales			
	<ul><li>(d) Title of Class of Securities Common Stock</li><li>(e) CUSIP Number 629407107</li></ul>				
Item 3.	Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant toss.ss.240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:				
	(a)		[ ]	Broker or dealer registered under	
	(b)		[ ]	section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780). Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).	
	(c)		[ ]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).	
	(d)		[ ]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company	
	(e)		[ ]	Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8). An investment adviser in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);	
	(f)		[ ]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Section	

( )	[X]	240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F); A parent holding company or control
(g)		person in accordance with Section
		240.13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (G);
		240.130 - 1(D)(1)(11)(G)
(h)	[ ]	A savings associations as defined in
		Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit
		Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
(i)	[ ]	A church plan that is excluded from
		the definition of an investment
		company under section 3(c)(14) of the
		Investment Company Act of 1940
		(15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
(j)	[]	Group, in accordance with Section
		240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

Item 4. Ownership.
Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage

of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 29,375,813.
- (b) Percent of class: 10.6%

(C)

- Number of shares as to which the person has:
  - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote 29,375,813
  - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 29,375,813.
    (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of \_\_\_\_\_.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following []. N/A

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person. If any other person is known to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, such securities, a statement to that effect should be included in response to this item and, if such interest relates to more than five percent of the class, such person should be identified. A listing of the shareholders of an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 or the beneficiaries of employee benefit plan, pension fund or endowment fund is not required. N/A

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company If a parent holding company has filed this schedule, pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G), so indicate under Item 3(g) and attach an exhibit stating the identity and the Item 3 classification of the relevant subsidiary. If a parent holding company has filed this schedule pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c) or Rule 13d-1(d), attach an exhibit stating the identification of the relevant

subsidiary. See Exhibit A.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group If a group has filed this schedule pursuant to ss.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), so indicate under Item 3(j) and attach an exhibit stating the identity and Item 3 classification of each member of the group. If a group has filed this schedule pursuant to ss.240.13d-1(c) or ss.240.13d-1(d), attach an exhibit stating the identity of each member of the group.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group Notice of dissolution of a group may be furnished as an exhibit stating the date of the dissolution and that all further filings with respect to transactions in the security reported on will be filed, if required, by members of the group, in their individual capacity. See Item 5.

Item 10. Certification By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

#### SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Company Secretary

#### Exhibit A

The shares of Common Stock of NTL are held by a wholly-owned subsidiary: Cable and Wireless (Far East) Limited