TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI A S Form 6-K January 03, 2019

## 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 3, 2019

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)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or 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 2, 2019, regarding the share buy-back transactions.

Istanbul, January 02, 2019

Announcement Regarding the Share Buy-back Transactions

Within the scope of our Board of Directors' share buy-back decisions on July 27, 2016 and January 30, 2017, our company purchased a total of 827,750 shares at a price range of TRY 11.89 – 12.24 with an average of TRY 12.08 totaling TRY 9,997,061 on December 31, 2018. With this transaction, the ratio of our shares in company's capital has reached 0.731%.

The details of the transaction are listed below.

Transaction Date	Total Nominal Value of Shares Purchased (TRY)	Total Nominal Value of Shares Sold (TRY)	Net Nominal Value of Transactions (TRY)	Owned At The Beginning	Owned At The End of		Ratio of Voting Rights Owned At The Beginning of Day (%)	Katio of Shares Owned At The End	Ratio of Voting Rights Owned At The End of Day (%)
31.12.2018	827,750	-	827,750	15,249,767	16,077,517	0.693%	0.693%	0.731%	0.731%

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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 3, 2019 By: /s/ Zeynel Korhan Bilek Name: Zeynel Korhan Bilek Title: Treasury & Capital Markets Management Director

> TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMETLERI A.S.

Date: January 3, 2019 By: /s/ Osman Yılmaz Name: Osman Yılmaz Title: Chief Financial Officer