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Dear Peter,

RE: Radiocommunications Interpretation Determination

The Communications Alliance Satellite Services Working Group (SSWG) welcomes the opportunity to comment on the ACMA's Proposed amendment to the Radiocommunications Interpretation Determination consultation.

The SSWG recognises that due to changes introduced by the Radiocommunications Legislation Amendment (Reform and Modernisation) Act 2020 (Act), changes to the Radiocommunications (Interpretation) Determination 2015 are required so that it continues to apply to these instruments.

The SSWG concurs with the proposed updates to the definitions and references within the *Interpretation Determination* so that they continue to apply to the relevant instruments after the commencement of the Act on 17 June 2021. We understand that these amendments are minor and will have no further impact on radiocommunications regulatory arrangements.

If you have any questions with respect to this submission, please contact Mike Johns at Communications Alliance on 0414 898 841.

Yours sincerely,

John Stanton

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About Communications Alliance

Communications Alliance is the primary telecommunications industry body in Australia. Its membership is drawn from a wide cross-section of the communications industry, including carriers, carriage and internet service providers, content providers, equipment vendors, IT companies, consultants and business groups. Its vision is to provide a unified voice for the telecommunications industry and to lead it into the next generation of converging networks, technologies and services. The prime mission of Communications Alliance is to promote the growth of the Australian communications industry and the protection of consumer interests by fostering the highest standards of business ethics and behaviour through industry self-governance.

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