DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS

2.1 GHz Band Frequency Band Plan Variation 2003 (No. 1) under s. 34 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	10/09/2003	
Tabled	07/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Extends the termination date for certain MDS (Multipoint Distribution System) services until 31 March 2004.

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (Accounting Separation — Telstra Corporation Limited) Direction (No. 1) 2003 under ss. 151BUAA(1), 151BUAA(1B) and 151CMA(1) of the *Trade Practices Act 1974*

Trade Practices Act 1974

Made	19/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Requires the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission to exercise its record-keeping rule powers under Part XIB of the Act to ensure that Telstra Corporation Limited prepares records and reports in a specified manner.

Australian Film, Television and Radio School Amendment Regulations 2003 (No. 1) Statutory Rules 2003 No. 292

Australian Film, Television and Radio School Act 1973

Made	20/11/2003	
Tabled	01/12/2003 S	01/12/2003 HR

Summary Specify certain degrees, diplomas and certificates which have been awarded by the School.

Broadcasting Services (Digital Television Standards) Amendment Regulations 2002 (No. 1) Statutory Rules 2002 No. 335

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	19/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Amend the standards for High Definition Television quotas for commercial television broadcasters and national broadcasters in non-remote areas, thereby delaying the commencement of HDTV quota obligations to 01 July 2003.

Broadcasting Services (Digital Television Standards) Amendment Regulations 2003 (No. 1) Statutory Rules 2003 No. 146

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	25/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Amend the standards for High Definition Television quotas for commercial television and national broadcasters.

Broadcasting Services (Events) Notice No. 1 of 1994 (Amendment No. 4 of 2002) under s. 115(2) of the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	19/11/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Removes from the pay TV anti-siphoning list those test and one-day cricket matches to be played by the Australian cricket team in its tour of the West Indies between April to June 2003.

Broadcasting Services (Events) Notice No. 1 of 1994 (Amendment No. 1 of 2003) under s. 115(2) of the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	11/09/2003	
Tabled	07/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Removes from the pay TV anti-siphoning list those one-day cricket matches to be played by the Australian team in a One-Day International Service in India in October and November 2003.

Carrier Licence Conditions (Telstra Corporation Limited) Declaration 1997 (Amendment No. 1 of 2003) under s. 63(5) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	14/07/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Specifies new licence conditions that apply to Telstra Corporation Limited concerning the provision of mobile phone coverage.

Carrier Licence Conditions (Telstra Corporation Limited) Declaration 1997 (Amendment No. 2 of 2003) under s. 63(5) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	29/09/2003	
Tabled	07/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Imposes a licence condition on Telstra regarding the performance of dial-up Internet connections over Telstra's network.

Commercial Television Conversion Scheme Variation 2003 (No. 1) under subclause 6(1) of Schedule 4 to the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	30/01/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the mechanism for the conversion of commercial television broadcasting services from analog to digital mode in remote licence areas of Australia.

Determination under Clause 37EA of Schedule 4 to the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992* (No. 1) 2003

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	26/06/2003	
Tabled	18/08/2003 S	18/08/2003 HR

Summary Provides that a commercial television licensee that broadcasts a television program in high definition under certain circumstances need not simultaneously broadcast that program in analog mode.

Determination under Clause 37FA of Schedule 4 to the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992* (No. 1) 2003

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	04/07/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Exempts the Special Broadcasting Service from the requirement to simulcast a television program in both high definition and analog mode, subject to certain conditions.

Determination under paragraph 15(1)(b) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997* (No. 1 of 2003)

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	26/02/2003	
Tabled	06/03/2003 S	06/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the proportion of the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission's costs for 2002/03 that is attributable to the Commission's telecommunications functions and powers.

Determination under paragraph 15(1)(b) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997* (No. 2 of 2003)

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	21/05/2003	
Tabled	19/06/2003 S	19/06/2003 HR

Summary Corrects an error in Determination No. 1 of 2003.

Determination under paragraph 15(1)(d) No. 1 of 2003 under the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	13/05/2003	
Tabled	16/06/2003 S	26/05/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the estimated total amount of grants likely to be made during the 2002/2003 financial year under s. 593 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*.

Determination under paragraph 15(1)(e) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997* (No. 1 of 2003)

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	21/02/2003	
Tabled	27/03/2003 S	27/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the proportion of the Commonwealth's costs for the 2001/2002 financial year that is attributed to the administration of Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the *Telecommunications Act 1997*, dealing with the administration of industry development plans.

Monitoring and Reporting on Competition in the Telecommunications Industry Determination 2003 (No. 1) under s. 151CMA of the *Trade Practices Act 1974*

Trade Practices Act 1974

Made	05/05/2003	
Tabled	15/05/2003 S	15/05/2003 HR

Summary Provides that the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission must monitor and report to the Minister for Communications, Information Technology and the Arts on matter relating to competition in broadband services.

National Television Conversion Scheme Variation 2003 (No. 1) under subclause 19(1) of Schedule 4 to the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

Broadcasting Services Act 1992

Made	30/01/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the mechanism for the conversion of national television broadcasting services from analog to digital mode in remote licence areas of Australia.

Radiocommunications (Accreditation — Prescribed Certificates) Principles 2003 under s. 266 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	23/09/2003	
Tabled	07/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Specifies an amended set of Principles as a consequence of amendments to the Act in 2000.

Radiocommunications Amendment Regulations 2003 (No. 1)
Statutory Rules 2003 No. 118

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	12/06/2003	
Tabled	25/06/2003 S	24/06/2003 HR

Summary Exclude scientific licences from the definition of 'datacasting transmitter licence' in s. 5 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*.

Radiocommunications (Charges) Amendment Determination 2002 (No. 1) under s. 53 of the *Australian Communications Authority Act 1997*

Australian Communications Authority Act 1997

Made	11/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Specifies various changes to the Australian Communications Authority's marine functions, and including typetesting fees.

Radiocommunications (Charges) Amendment Determination 2003 (No. 1) under s. 53 of the *Australian Communications Authority Act 1997*

Australian Communications Authority Act 1997

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Makes provision for the online submission of frequency assignment certificates and specifies new charges for the renewal of radiocommunications apparatus licences.

Radiocommunications (Communication with Space Object) Class Licence Variation 2003 (No. 1) under s. 134 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	10/04/2003	
Tabled	13/05/2003 S	13/05/2003 HR

Summary Adds new frequency ranges, additional operational conditions, and makes other changes to the class licence.

Radiocommunications (Compliance Labelling — Electromagnetic Radiation) Notice 2003 under s. 182 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the requirements to be met by suppliers of mobile transmitters regarding compliance marks and compliance with the Radiocommunications (Electromagnetic Radiation - Human Exposure) Standard 2003.

Radiocommunications (Electromagnetic Radiation — Human Exposure) Standard 2003 under s. 162 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies electromagnetic radiation performance requirements on mobile transmitters with integral antennas intended to be used in close proximity to the human body.

Radiocommunications (Frequency Assignment Certificates) Determination 2003 under s. 266A(1) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	23/09/2003	
Tabled	07/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Remakes the Determination as a consequence of amendments to the Act in 2000.

Radiocommunications Licence Conditions (Apparatus Licence) Determination 2003 under paragraph 107(1)(f) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies electromagnetic radiation requirements on licensees of certain transmitters.

Radiocommunications Licence Conditions (Broadcasting Licence) Amendment Determination 2003 (No. 1) under paragraph 107(1)(f) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	24/09/2003	
Tabled	08/10/2003 S	07/10/2003 HR

Summary Extends the period for operators of MF Narrowband Area Service stations to commence operating in the frequency range 1606.5 - 1705 kHz and gives the Australian Communications Authority a discretion regarding the application of the 10 kilometre radius.

Radiocommunications Licence Conditions (Temporary Community Broadcasting Licence) Determination 2003 under paragraph 108A(1)(e) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies conditions under which a licensee may operate a radiocommunications transmitter and restricts the exposure of the general public to electromagnetic radiation from such transmitters to specified levels.

Radiocommunications (Low Interference Potential Devices) Class Licence Variation 2003 (No. 1) under ss. 132 and 134 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	31/07/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Amend the Class Licence by adding a new class of transmitter known as digital modulation transmitters.

Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Amendment Determination 2003 (No. 1) under s. 7(1) of the *Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Act 1983*

Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Act 1983

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Increases the minimum fees for fixed receive service licenses in a defined spectrum in certain cities from $27 to $50.

Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Determination 2003 under s. 7(1) of the *Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Act 1983*

Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Act 1983

Made	28/05/2003	
Tabled	16/06/2003 S	03/06/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the amounts of licence tax on the issue of receiver licences under s. 100 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*, incorporating CPI adjustments.

Radiocommunications (Spread Spectrum Devices) Class Licence 2002 under ss. 132(1) and 135 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Made	11/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Provides a revised class licence for radiocommunications devices that employ direct sequence spread spectrum modulation technique, frequency hopping spread spectrum modulation technique, or both, to transmit information.

Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Amendment Determination 2003 (No. 1) under s. 7(1) of the *Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Act 1983*

Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Act 1983

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies increases in the minimum licence fees for fixed wireless services in defined spectrums in certain cities.

Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Determination 2003 under s. 7(1) of the *Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Act 1983*

Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Act 1983

Made	28/05/2003	
Tabled	16/06/2003 S	03/06/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the amounts of licence tax on the issue of transmitter licences under s. 100 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*, incorporating CPI adjustments.

Telecommunications (Amounts of Annual Charge) Determination 2003 under s. 20(1) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	10/04/2003	
Tabled	13/05/2003 S	13/05/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the amount of annual numbering charge that is applicable to particular numbers.

Telecommunications (Annual Carrier Licence Charge) Determination 2003 under s. 14(1) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	25/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the method for calculating the charge on a carrier licence.

Telecommunications Cabling Provider Amendment Rules 2002 (No. 1) under s. 421(1) of the *Telecommunications Act 1992*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	11/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Amend the definition of 'wiring rules' to refer to the recently amended industry standard.

Telecommunications (Costs Attributable to Telecommunications Functions and Powers) Determination 2003 under paragraph 15(1)(a) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	25/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the amount that is determined to be the proportion of the Australian Communications Authority's costs for the 2001/2002 financial year that is attributable to the Authority's telecommunications functions and powers.

Telecommunications (Customer Service Guarantee) Direction No. 1 of 1999 (Amendment No. 1 of 2003) under s. 124 of the *Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999*

Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999

Made	05/08/2003	
Tabled	19/08/2003 S	19/08/2003 HR

Summary Makes provision for exemptions from compliance with performance standards under certain circumstances.

Telecommunications (Date of Imposition of Charge) Determination 2003 under s. 18(2) of the *Telecommunications (Numbering Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Numbering Charges) Act 1997

Made	13/02/2003	
Tabled	03/03/2003 S	03/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies 06 April 2003 as the date on which annual numbering charges are imposed in 2003.

Telecommunications (Emergency Call Service) Amendment Determination 2003 (No. 1) under s. 147(1) of the *Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999*

Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999

Made	10/04/2003	
Tabled	13/05/2003 S	13/05/2003 HR

Summary Corrects a drafting error in the Principal Determination concerning access to emergency call services.

Telecommunications (Exemption from Annual Charge) Determination 2003 under s. 22(2) of the *Telecommunications (Numbering Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Numbering Charges) Act 1997

Made	13/02/2003	
Tabled	03/03/2003 S	03/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the numbers that are exempt from annual charge.

Telecommunications Labelling (Customer Equipment and Customer Cabling) Amendment Notice 2003 (No. 1) under s. 407 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	12/03/2003	
Tabled	20/03/2003 S	19/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies reduced compliance arrangements for suppliers of customer equipment that has features specifically designed to assist persons with disability to access a service over the analogue public switched telephone network.

Telecommunications Numbering Plan Variation 2003 (No. 1) under s. 455 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	13/02/2003	
Tabled	03/03/2003 S	03/03/2003 HR

Summary Specifies rules for the management of International Signalling Point Codes.

Telecommunications Numbering Plan Variation 2003 (No. 2) under s. 455 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Provides that numbers cannot be allocated to a carriage service provider where late payment penalties remain unpaid for a specified period, and amends provisions concerning applications to surrender numbers.

Telecommunications Numbering Plan Variation 2003 (No. 3) under s. 455 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	27/02/2003	
Tabled	19/03/2003 S	18/03/2003 HR

Summary Provides for the recovery of numbers where a carriage service provider has ceased its telecommunications business.

Telecommunications Numbering Plan Variation 2003 (No. 4) under s. 455 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	25/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Makes provision for the situation where a carriage service provider inadvertently issues numbers in a manner inconsistent with the Numbering Plan.

Telecommunications (Recovery of ITU Budget Contribution) Determination 2003 under paragraph 15(1)(c) of the *Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997*

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act 1997

Made	25/06/2003	
Tabled	11/08/2003 S	11/08/2003 HR

Summary Specifies the amount that is determined to be the proportion of the Commonwealth's contribution to the budget of the International Telecommunication for 2002 associated with telecommunications.

Telecommunications (Remote Area Rebate) Repeal Regulations 2003
Statutory Rules 2003 No. 19

Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999

Made	20/02/2003	
Tabled	03/03/2003 S	03/03/2003 HR

Summary Repeal the *Telecommunications (Remote Area Rebate) Regulations 1998*.

Telecommunications (Requirements for Authorised Cabling Products AS/ACIF S008:2001) Amendment Technical Standard 2002 (No. 1) under s. 376(1) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	11/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Specifies a new test for measuring entry of water into underground cables, and specifies technical requirements for a specified type of underground cable.

Telecommunications (Standard Form of Agreement Information) Determination 2003 under s. 480A(2) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	27/08/2003	
Tabled	08/09/2003 S	08/09/2003 HR

Summary Specifies a new standard form of agreement that carriage service providers must supply to their customers.

Telecommunications (Types of Cabling Work) Amendment Declaration 2003 (No. 1) under s. 419(1) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*

Telecommunications Act 1997

Made	08/10/2003	
Tabled	27/10/2003 S	23/10/2003 HR

Summary Specifies exemptions for persons who maintain certain types of fire protection equipment from the Cabling Provider Rules.

Telecommunications Universal Service Obligation (Eligible Revenue) Determination 2003 under s. 20B(1) of the *Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999*

Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999

Made	11/06/2003	
Tabled	19/06/2003 S	19/06/2003 HR

Summary Specifies what is taken to be eligible revenue for the purposes of determining a participating person's contribution to the Universal Service Obligation subsidy and digital data service cost.

Television Licence Fees Amendment Regulations 2002 (No. 1)
Statutory Rules 2002 No. 336

Television Licence Fees Act 1964

Made	19/12/2002	
Tabled	05/02/2003 S	04/02/2003 HR

Summary Make amendments to the digital conversion rebate scheme, in relation to the conversion of broadcasting services from analog to digital mode.