

List of recommendations

Recommendation 1

3.86 The committee recommends that the government consider whether schedule 3 to the bill should be amended to provide that, if:

- a person is in a position to exercise control of a regional commercial television broadcasting licence; and
- the person starts to be in a position to exercise control of a metropolitan commercial television broadcasting licence; and
- immediately after that event:
 - the person is in a position to exercise control of two or more commercial television broadcasting licences; and
 - the combined licence area populations of those licences exceed 75 per cent of the population of Australia;

that event is also a trigger event for each of those licences that is a regional commercial television broadcasting licence.

Recommendation 2

3.99 Subject to restoration of the bill to the *Notice Paper* of the House of Representatives, the committee recommends that, after due consideration of Recommendation 1, the bill be passed.

