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Dear Mr McNamara

Telecommunications Regulatory Arrangements

I am writing to the Office of Best Practice Regulation regarding the Telecommunications Legislative Instruments listed in **Column A** of the attached table which, as per the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*, had been scheduled to sunset in 2015. The ACMA has since decided that these instruments are to be remade without significant amendment.

The Australian Communications and Media Authority certifies that the mentioned instruments are operating effectively and efficiently, and that as such, a Regulation Impact Statement is not required for these regulations to continue in their current form.

The assessment that these regulations is operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by a consultation process which involved key industry stakeholders over the period 16 July 2014 to 19 September 2014.

I acknowledge that the OBPR will publish this letter for transparency purposes as part of a consolidated list relating of regulatory instruments which continue in force instead of sunseting as scheduled.

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact Chris Wong on (03) 9963 6808, or chris.wong@acma.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



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Table 1: Sunsetting Telecommunications Instruments

Column A Instrument Title	Column B Acronym	Column C Sunset Date
Telecommunications Labelling (Customer Equipment and Customer Cabling) Notice 2001	TLN	1 Apr 15
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Analogue Interworking and Non-interference Requirements for Customer Equipment for Connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network – AS/CA S002:2010) 2011	AS/CA S002-2011	1 Oct 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Access Equipment for connection to Telecommunications Network - Part 1: General - AS/CA S003.1:2010) 2010	AS/CA S003.1-2010	1 Apr 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Access Equipment for connection to Telecommunications Network - Part 2: Analogue and TDM based technologies - AS/CA S003.2:2010) 2010	AS/CA S003.2-2010	1 Apr 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Access Equipment for connection to Telecommunications Network - Part 3: Packet and cell based technology - AS/CA S003.3:2010) 2010	AS/CA S003.3-2010	1 Apr 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Voice frequency performance requirements for Customer Equipment) 2013	AS/CA S004-2013	1 Oct 23
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Cabling Products – AS/CA S008:2010) 2011	AS/CA S008-2011	1 Oct 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Equipment with hierarchical digital interfaces – AS/ACIF S016) 2002	AS/ACIF S016-2001	1 Oct 15
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for ISDN Basic Access Interface - AS/ACIF S031) 2001	AS/ACIF S031-2001	1 Apr 15
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for ISDN Primary Rate Access Interface - AS/ACIF S038) 2001	AS/ACIF S038-2001	1 Apr 15

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Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for DSL Customer Equipment for connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network – Part 1: General – AS/ACIF S041.1:2009) 2009	AS/ACIF S041.1-2009	1 Apr 20
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for DSL Customer Equipment for connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network – Part 2: Modems for use in connection with all DSL services – AS/ACIF S041.2:2009) 2009	AS/ACIF S041.2-2009	1 Apr 20
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for DSL Customer Equipment for connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network – Part 3: Filters for use in connection with all ADSL services – AS/ACIF S041.3:2009) 2009	AS/ACIF S041.3-2009	1 Apr 20
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Connection to an Air Interface of a Telecommunications Network – Part 1: General – AS/CA S042.1:2010) 2011	AS/CA S042.1-2011	1 Oct 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for connection to an Air Interface of a Telecommunications Network – Part 3: GSM Customer Equipment - AS/ACIF S042.3:2005) 2005	AS/ACIF S042.3-2005	1 Apr 16
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Connection to an Air Interface of a Telecommunications Network – Part 4: IMT-2000 Customer Equipment – AS/CA S042.4:2010) 2011	AS/CA S042.4-2011	1 Oct 21
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Equipment for connection to a metallic local loop interface of a Telecommunications Network - Part 1: General - AS/ACIF S043.1:2003) 2003	AS/ACIF S043.1-2003	1 Apr 15
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Equipment for connection to a metallic local loop interface of a Telecommunications Network - Part 2: Broadband - AS/ACIF S043.2:2008) 2008	AS/ACIF S043.2-2008	1 Apr 19

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Telecommunications Technical Standard (Requirements for Customer Equipment for connection to a metallic local loop interface of a Telecommunications Network - Part 3: DC, low frequency AC and voiceband - AS/ACIF S043.3:2008) 2008	AS/ACIF S043.3-2008	1 Apr 19
Telecommunications Technical Standard (Surge Protective Devices for Telecommunication Applications - AS/NZS 4117:1999) 2003	AS/NZS 4117-1999	1 Apr 15