

Department of Communications and the Arts

Our reference:

Secretary

Mr Peter Saunders
First Assistant Secretary
Office of Best Practice Regulation
Regulatory Reform Division
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Dear Mr Saunders

Do Not Call Register Regulations 2006 – Sunsetting

I am writing to the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) regarding the *Do Not Call Register Regulations 2006*, which under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*, have been scheduled to sunset on 1 April 2017. It has been decided that the instrument is to be remade without significant amendment.

The Department of Communications and the Arts certifies that the *Do Not Call Register Regulations 2006* are operating effectively and efficiently, and that therefore a Regulation Impact Statement is not required for the regulations to be remade. The assessment that the regulations are operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by a consultation process which involved the Australian Communications and Media Authority, the Association for Data-driven Marketing and Advertising and the Australian Communications Consumer Action Network, over the period April to July 2016.

I acknowledge that the OBPR will publish this letter for transparency purposes.

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact Louise Courtney on 02 6271 1166, or Louise.Courtney@comunications.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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