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**Department of Communications and the Arts**

Mr Jason Lange  
Executive Director  
Office of Best Practice Regulation  
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

23 August 2019

Dear Mr Lange

**Interactive Gambling Regulations 2001 SR 2001 No. 295**

I am writing to the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) regarding the Interactive Gambling Regulations 2001 which, as per the Legislation Act 2003, had been scheduled to sunset on 1 October 2019. However, it is expected that the instrument will be remade without significant amendment.

The Department of Communications and the Arts certifies that the Interactive Gambling Regulations 2001 is operating effectively and efficiently, and that therefore a Regulation Impact Statement is not required for this regulation to be remade.

The assessment that the regulation is operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by a consultation process which involved Free TV Australia, the Australian Communication and Media Authority, the Australian Subscription Television and Radio Association, Commercial Radio Australia, Tabcorp, the Australian Press Council, Responsible Wagering Australia, the Advertising Standards Bureau, the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission and Racing and Wagering Western Australia, over the period of 30 days.

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

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact Andrew Verdon on 02 6271 1213 or [andrew.verdon@communications.gov.au](mailto:andrew.verdon@communications.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stephen Arnott', written over a horizontal line.

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