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Dear Mr Lange

**Regulation Impact Statement (RIS) – Reducing the Impact of Scam Calls –
Second pass final assessment**

As an authorised officer for the Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA), I submit the attached RIS on options to reduce the impact of scam calls to the Office of Best Practice Regulation for second pass final assessment.

The revised RIS addresses the feedback provided in your letter of 28 October 2020. Specifically, we have made the following amendments:

- > provided further clarity on the impacts specific to business from reported scams
- > provided appendices outlining the gross costs and benefits associated with each option as well as the working details and assumptions behind each of the key calculations
- > updated the options to reflect the working assumptions.

Accordingly, I am satisfied that the RIS is now consistent with the six principles for Australian Government policy makers as specified in the *Australian Government Guide to Regulatory Impact Analysis*.

I thank your office for working with the ACMA throughout this process.

Yours sincerely



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