Commonwealth of Australia

Telecommunications Act 1997

Carrier Licence Conditions (Telstra Corporation Limited) Declaration 1997 (Amendment No. 2 of 1999)

I, RICHARD KENNETH ROBERT ALSTON, Minister for Communications, Information Technology and the Arts, make the following Declaration under subsection 63(5) of the Telecommunications Act 1997.

Dated 2 December 1999.

RICHARD ALSTON
Minister for Communications, Information Technology and the Arts

Commencement
1. This Declaration commences on gazettal.

Variation
2. The Carrier Licence Conditions (Telstra Corporation Limited) Declaration 1997 is varied as set out in this Declaration.

Note: The Carrier Licence Conditions (Telstra Corporation Limited) Declaration 1997 was published in the Gazette on 30 June 1997. It has since been varied by the following Declarations:

Clause 3 (Definitions)

3.1 After the definition of “AMPS”, insert:

“‘AMPS site’ means:

(a) a metropolitan AMPS site; or

(b) a non-metropolitan AMPS site;”.

3.2 After the definition of “designated basic rate ISDN service”, insert:

“‘emergency call service’ has the meaning given by section 7 of the Act;”.

3.3 In the definition of “licensee”, omit “566”, substitute “556”.

Clause 15 (Replacement of AMPS network)

4.1 Subparagraph 15(1)(b)(ii):

Omit “by 31 December 1999”, substitute “subject to subclause (13), by 31 December 1999”.

4.2 Subclause 15(4):

Omit “the licensee must”, substitute “the licensee must, subject to subclause (13),”.

4.3 At the end, insert:

“(13) After 31 December 1999, the licensee may operate an AMPS site referred to in subparagraph 15(1)(b)(ii) or subclause 15(4) for the following periods and purposes only:
(a) from midnight on 31 December 1999 until midnight on 1 January 2000:

   (i) for any purpose referred to in paragraph (b); or

   (ii) to continue the carriage of calls in progress at midnight on 31 December 1999; and

(b) from midnight on 1 January 2000 until midnight on 7 January 2000:

   (i) to provide an emergency call service; or

   (ii) to present the recorded voice announcement set out in Schedule 1.”.

**AMPS network closed announcement (new Schedule 1)**

5 At the end, insert:

“SCHEDULE 1 (AMPS NETWORK CLOSED ANNOUNCEMENT)

*Note: See subparagraph 15(13)(b)(ii)*

The analogue AMPS network in this area is now closed. To use alternative mobile services in this area please contact a mobile phone carrier or service provider.”.