

## Formal Warning under subsection 129(2) of the Telecommunications Act 1997

- TO: Vividwireless Pty Ltd (ACN 137 696 461)
- OF: Optus Mobile Pty Ltd 1-7 Lyonpark Road Macquarie Park, NSW 2113

The Australian Communications and Media Authority (the **ACMA**) is satisfied that Vividwireless Pty Ltd (ACN 137 696 461) (**Vividwireless**) has contravened the *Telecommunications (Consumer Complaints Handling) Industry Standard 2018* (the **Complaints Standard**) as described below; and

HEREBY issues a formal warning to Vividwireless under subsection 129(2) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997* (the **Act**) for contravening paragraph 7(1)(a) of the Complaints Standard.

## Details of the contravention

- 1. The ACMA has investigated whether Vividwireless's complaints handling process (CHP) complied with the minimum requirements for consumer complaints handling set out in sections 8, 9 and 10 of the Complaints Standard.
- 2. As a carriage service provider, Vividwireless is a participant in the section of the telecommunications industry to which the Complaints Standard applies and is required to comply with the Complaints Standard under subsection 128(1) of the Act.
- 3. After completing its investigation, the ACMA is satisfied that as at 30 July 2018 Vividwireless's CHP did not comply with:
  - a. paragraph 8(1)(b);
  - b. paragraph 8(1)(d);
  - c. paragraph 8(1)(k);
  - d. paragraph 8(1)(m);
  - e. section 9;
  - f. paragraph 10(c);
  - g. paragraph 10(f); and
  - h. paragraph 10(g)

of the Complaints Standard.

4. Accordingly, the ACMA finds that Vividwireless contravened paragraph 7(1)(a) of the Complaints Standard on 30 July 2018, by not establishing a CHP that includes the minimum requirements for consumer complaints handling.

Dated this 4th day of December 2018

Signature of Chair

Signature of Member

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