



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

TO: iiNet Limited (ACN 068 628 937)

OF: 65 Waterloo Road
Macquarie Park NSW 2113

The Australian Communications and Media Authority (the **ACMA**) is satisfied that iiNet Limited (ACN 068 628 937) (**iiNet**) has contravened the *Telecommunications (Consumer Complaints Handling) Industry Standard 2018* (the **Complaints Standard**) as described below; and

HEREBY issues a formal warning to iiNet 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 iiNet'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, iiNet 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, iiNet's CHP did not comply with:
 - a. paragraph 8(1)(b);
 - b. paragraph 8(1)(f);
 - c. paragraph 8(1)(i);
 - d. paragraph 8(1)(k);
 - e. section 9;
 - f. paragraph 10(f); and
 - g. paragraph 10(g);of the Complaints Standard.
4. Accordingly, the ACMA finds that iiNet 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

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Signature of Chair

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Signature of Member

Nerida O'Loughlin

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Chris Jose

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