

**Before the  
Australian Communications and Media Authority  
Australia**

In the Matter of	)	
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The October 2019 Update to the Foreign	)	Consultation No. 34/2019
Space Objects Determination	)	

**LETTER OF  
KEPLER COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

On behalf of the Kepler team, I wish to thank the Australian Communications and Media Authority for its timely consideration of the addition of *Kepler Communications Inc.* to the Radiocommunications (Foreign Space Objects) Determination 2019. Kepler is developing a diverse set of low-cost connectivity solutions for remote assets by deploying a 140-satellite network into low-Earth orbit. It has already begun delivering commercial service with its first two prototype satellites, KIPP and CASE. Over the next year, Kepler will launch 8 times as many satellites in orbit – each significantly more powerful than its early models. The network will support two distinct services: a bargain pipeline for moving large quantities of data through VSAT terminals, and a ‘check-up’ connectivity service for small low-throughput devices.

Kepler is excited to explore how its product can help Australians meet their contemporary challenges in agriculture, science, logistics, and the environment. Its inclusion to Schedule 1 of the Foreign Space Objects Determination will facilitate the broad delivery of these services throughout Australia. With this consultation, we look forward to opening the door to bring more of our expertise and passion to the Australian market.



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