

ACMA Consultation 01/2021: "Review of non-assigned amateur and outpost regulatory arrangements"

Dear ACMA

I am writing in relation to the above review.

I am an accredited Radio amateur; callsign VK5JB

I am a member of the Adelaide Hills Amateur Radio Society and the WIA.

I support the WIA position that:

".... future amateur licensing "is not reduced or downgraded from the current principles embodied in Apparatus licensing".

And the WIA view that the WIA review *"does not presume that the only possible outcome is an Apparatus Licence, but it does mean that the values and utility that Apparatus licensing brings to the amateur service are not lost."*

I understand that the WIA proposes to further liaise with ACMA.

However, I wish to impress upon ACMA that my view is that Option A is the only reasonable option at this point, as option B is quite unclear, and option C is completely unacceptable.

Accordingly, my submission is that option A be confirmed and options B and C be rejected.

Yours Sincerely

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