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Dear Ms Hawke,

Thank you for your email.

We will certainly complete and forward the applications to you by the requested time.

In the meantime may I enquire as to the nature of the “cooperative activities / arrangements by some of the licensees in Windsor” ?

Which organisations have entered into these ‘activities/arrangements’ and what is the nature of their agreements?

This will help us fill in any blanks that we have and to keep a up to date understanding of what is going on with licence holders which do not communicate to us.

It may also assist in expanding on existing activities/arrangements if we knew who they were between and what they consisted of.

Thanking you.

Kind regards  
Ralph Heness OAM



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**To:** CAMSradio@optusnet.com.au  
**Cc:** Community Broadcasting  
**Subject:** Application for TCBL in Windsor RA1 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

Dear Mr Heness,

I am writing about the temporary community broadcasting licence (TCBL) in the Windsor RA1 licence area held by Consortium of Australian Media Services (CAMS) which expires on 5 December 2020.

The ACMA continues to consider the long term future of this frequency. As a result, any continued community service or services will need to be licenced on a temporary basis.

### **Collaborative arrangements and joint or merged applications**

The ACMA encourages collaborative arrangements between the existing four TCBL holders, including applications for a TCBL from a merged entity or entities. As noted in the ACMA's letter to you of 9 June 2020, the ACMA's preference for the future of the frequency is one which is responsive to audience needs, reflects cooperation between interested parties and encourages community participation in the services.

The ACMA is pleased to see that co-operative activities have been initiated by some licensees in Windsor. It considers that cooperative arrangements present more coherent services for Windsor audiences, and demonstrates that a licensee is seeking to serve its community.

### **Timing conditions**

The ACMA has recently reviewed the timing conditions in Windsor and will communicate its decision about timing conditions once it has received applications. The ACMA encourages the four current TCBL holders to agree on time-sharing and to notify the ACMA of any such an agreement or agreements. If aspirant groups are able to agree on time-sharing, the ACMA generally determines timing conditions that reflect their time-sharing agreement.

### **Application process**

If CAMS wishes to apply for a subsequent TCBL, please lodge the following forms **by 5pm, 14 October 2020**:

1. ACMA B42 – application for a temporary community radio broadcasting licence
2. ACMA B12 – application for an apparatus licence.

The application forms are available on the [ACMA website](#).

Kind regards,

**Ainsleigh Hawke**

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