

## **Proposal to allow the Radiocommunications (27 MHz Handphone Stations) Class Licence 2015 to sunset**

### **Consultation paper**

I fail to see why a particular usage scenario should be outlawed. Who cares if the station is a base station, vehicle mobile or handheld? Either the spectrum is available for such use, or it is not. CB 27MHz is a good backup in emergency situations, because of its potentially long range, unlike UHF. Handhelds may be uncommon, but why ban them? They can work well. Any communication is a good communication in an emergency.

I am a rural UHF and 27MHz CB user and I recognise the benefits that these modalities can give in emergency situations, say when a mobile tower goes down in a fire.

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