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Communications  
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SPECTRUM COMMITTEE

Meeting date: 10 October 2025

Agenda number: 2a

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DRAFT CONSULTATION PAPER: ESL STAGE 4 PREFERRED VIEWS

Executive Summary

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11. A summary of the preliminary and preferred views, as well as key differences, follows:

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<sup>2</sup> Radiocommunications (Ministerial Policy Statement – Expiring Spectrum Licences) Instrument 2024

## Sensitivities

### *Additional consultation on pricing*

12. MNOs and NBN Co are likely to welcome further opportunities to engage with the ACMA on pricing, while also expressing concerns that the ACMA is still refining its views close to June 2026 (commencement of the renewal application window for 850 MHz and 1800 MHz licences).
13. We intend to release the Stage 4 pack in early December, with submissions due in February. Stakeholders typically convey dissatisfaction with consultations that run over the holiday period.

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