

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Radiocommunications (Spectrum Designated Primarily for Broadcasting Purposes) Notice 2014

I, MALCOLM BLIGH TURNBULL, Minister for Communications, having consulted with the Australian Communications and Media Authority, make the following Notice under subsection 31(1) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*.

Dated: 22.12.14



MALCOLM BLIGH TURNBULL
Minister for Communications

1 Name of Notice

This Notice is the *Radiocommunications (Spectrum Designated Primarily for Broadcasting Purposes) Notice 2014*.

2 Commencement

This Notice commences on 1 January 2015.

3 Definitions

In this Notice:

Act means the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*.

Former Broadcasting Services Bands Designation Notice means the notice titled 'Assignment of Part of the Spectrum to the Australian Broadcasting Authority for Planning' dated 5 October 1992 originally made under subsection 18(3) of the former *Radiocommunications Act 1983*.

Note: The Broadcasting Services Bands Designation Notice is taken to have been made under subsection 31(1) of the Act as a result of the provisions in section 4 of the *Radiocommunications (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Act 1992* and section 8 of Schedule 4 to the *Australian Communications and Media Authority (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Act 2005*.

4 Revocation of Former Broadcasting Bands Designation Notice

The Former Broadcasting Services Bands Designation Notice is revoked.

5 Designation of Spectrum for Broadcasting

(1) The parts of the spectrum identified in the Schedule are:

- (a) designated as being primarily for broadcasting purposes; and
- (b) referred to the Australian Communications and Media Authority for planning under Part 3 of *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

(2) In this Notice, the range of numbers that identifies a frequency band includes the higher but not the lower number.

Schedule

Broadcasting Services Bands

526.5 to 1606.5 kHz

45 to 52 MHz

56 to 70 MHz

85 to 108 MHz

137 to 144 MHz

174 to 230 MHz

520 to 694 MHz