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Foxtel Group
Via email: [redacted]@foxtel.com.au

Dear [redacted]

Re: Request for exemption under section 121FZD of the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*

Thank you for your letter of 23 February 2026 addressed to Authority Member Carolyn Lidgerwood in which you requested that the ACMA provide a class exemption under section 121FZD of the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992* (BSA) to exempt Foxtel subscription television services from the obligations under Part 8C of the BSA.

The ACMA has carefully considered this request and has formed the view that it is not necessary to make a Determination on the basis that the content expenditure obligations under Part 8C do not apply to Foxtel subscription television services. [redacted] s 47, s 47G

I note that components of the service provided as Foxtel subscription television services likely meet the definition of a SVOD service under the BSA. [redacted] s 47, s 47G [redacted] s 47, s 47G [redacted] Should circumstances change and it becomes likely that the content obligations under Part 8C would apply to Foxtel subscription television services, we will consider further if any exemption is required.

The contact for further information about this matter is [redacted], Executive Manager, Content Safeguards Branch (via [redacted]@acma.gov.au or [redacted])

Yours sincerely

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