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Dear Peter

RE: Radiocommunications Charges Determination Amendment consultation

The Communications Alliance Satellite Services Working Group (SSWG) welcomes the opportunity to comment on the ACMA's *Radiocommunications Charges Determination Amendment* consultation.

The SSWG recognises that due to changes introduced by the *Radiocommunications Legislation Amendment (Reform and Modernisation) Act 2020* to the accredited persons (AP) scheme, the ACMA needs to amend the *Radiocommunications (Charges) Determination 2017* to ensure current charges related to the AP scheme continue to apply.

Following our response supporting the recent ACMA's Accredited Persons Scheme consultation, the SSWG concurs with the proposed updates to the listed definitions below and the update to Schedule 2 of the *Radiocommunications (Charges) Determination 2017*:

- Accreditation Rules
- Accredited Person
- Frequency Assignment Certificate
- General Licensing Accreditation

If you have any questions with respect to this submission, please contact Mike Johns at Communications Alliance on 0414 898 841.

Yours sincerely,



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About Communications Alliance

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