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TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT 2009

TELECOMMUNICATIONS (CLASS LICENCE AMENDMENT) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2013

(TCSI Order No.02 of 2013)

Explanatory note

(This note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general effect)

This administrative order of the Telecommunications Commission amends the conditions of the telecommunications services class licence which came into force on 11 September 2011.

The amendment makes it a condition of the class licence, that a class licensee does not acquire control of any other licensee.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon it by subsections (3)(a) of section 38 of the Telecommunications Act 2009 the Telecommunications Commission makes the following administrative order:

1. CITATION AND COMMENCEMENT

- 1.1 This Order may be cited as the Telecommunications (Class Licence Amendment) Administrative Order 2013 (TCSI Order No.02 of 2013).
- 1.2 This Order commences on the date it is published in the *Gazette*, and the terms and conditions, and other provisions for the class licence which it relates to, remain in full force and effect until the date appointed for their amendment or revocation, in a subsequent order issued by the Commision.

2. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

2.1 In this Order:

"Principal Order" means the Telcommunications (Class Licence) Administrative Order 2011 made on 11 September 2011, (TCSI Order No.01 of 2011). 2.2 Subject to subsection (1), words and expressions which appear in this amendment order, and which also appear in the Principal Order, have the meaning ascribed to them pursuant to the Principal Order.

3. AMENDMENT TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS CLASS LICENCE

3.1 Further to section 38(3)(a) of the Act, clause 3(2) of the Principal Order is amended by adding the following paragraph:

"(c) the condition that the Class Licensee does not acquire control of any other telecommunications services licensee."

MADE AT HONIARA this thirtieth day of May, 2013.

Bernard M Hill Telecommunications Commissioner

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