

Commonwealth of Australia

Radiocommunications Act 1992

Spectrum Re-allocation Declaration No. 4 of 1997

I, RICHARD KENNETH ROBERT ALSTON, Minister for Communications and the Arts, having had regard to a recommendation given to me by the Spectrum Management Agency under section 153F of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992* in relation to particular parts of the spectrum, make the following Declaration under subsection 153B (1) of that Act.

Dated 15 July 1997.

Minister for Communications and the Arts

Citation

1. This Declaration may be cited as the Spectrum Re-allocation Declaration No. 4 of 1997.

[*Note:* This Declaration commences on gazettal: see *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*, ss. 46A and 48.]

Interpretation

2. In this Declaration:

the Act means the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*.

Spectrum re-allocation

3. (1) The following parts of the spectrum are subject to re-allocation under Part 3.6 of the Act in relation to the re-allocation period:

- (a) 1710 MHz to 1725 MHz;
- (b) 1805 MHz to 1820 MHz.

(2) For each part of the spectrum mentioned in subsection (1), this Declaration applies for the designated areas described in the Schedule to the extent that the areas are within the territorial limits of Australia.

(3) For subsection (1), the re-allocation period:

- (a) begins on 21 July 1997; and
- (b) ends on 31 December 2000.

(4) For subsection 153B (5) of the Act, the re-allocation deadline for this Declaration is 30 December 1998.

(5) Each part of the spectrum mentioned in subsection (1) may be re-allocated only by issuing spectrum licences under Subdivision B of Division 1 of Part 3.2 of the Act.

(6) In subsection (1), each frequency band includes all frequencies that are greater than the lower frequency, up to and including the higher frequency.

SCHEDULE

Subsection 3 (2)

1.8 GHZ BANDS DESIGNATED AREAS

Description of designated areas: The designated areas comprise each area described in a table below, bounded by a line starting at the intersection of the first map grid co-ordinates listed in the table in relation to the area and passing sequentially through the intersection of each set of co-ordinates shown in the table to the point of commencement, excluding:

- (a) from Area A in Table 1—designated areas described in the Schedule to Spectrum Re-allocation Declaration No. 3 of 1997, being Area D (Adelaide), Area E (Brisbane), Area F (Melbourne) and Area H (Sydney), identified on the indicative map accompanying this Schedule; and
- (b) from Area B in Table 2—the designated area described in the Schedule to Spectrum Re-allocation Declaration No. 3 of 1997, being Area G (Perth), identified on the indicative map accompanying this Schedule.

SCHEDULE—continued**TABLE 1****AREA A—EASTERN COAST**

(Excluding Areas D (Adelaide), E (Brisbane), F (Melbourne) & H (Sydney))

° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South
149 00 0	44 00 0	141 00 0	32 00 0	149 00 0	20 00 0
145 00 0	44 00 0	141 00 0	35 00 0	150 00 0	20 00 0
145 00 0	42 00 0	146 00 0	35 00 0	150 00 0	21 00 0
144 00 0	42 00 0	146 00 0	34 00 0	151 00 0	21 00 0
144 00 0	41 00 0	147 00 0	34 00 0	151 00 0	23 00 0
143 00 0	41 00 0	147 00 0	33 00 0	152 00 0	23 00 0
143 00 0	39 00 0	148 00 0	33 00 0	152 00 0	24 00 0
140 00 0	39 00 0	148 00 0	32 00 0	154 00 0	24 00 0
140 00 0	38 00 0	149 00 0	32 00 0	154 00 0	32 00 0
139 00 0	38 00 0	149 00 0	29 00 0	153 00 0	32 00 0
139 00 0	37 00 0	150 00 0	29 00 0	153 00 0	33 00 0
136 00 0	37 00 0	150 00 0	25 00 0	152 00 0	33 00 0
136 00 0	36 00 0	149 00 0	25 00 0	152 00 0	35 00 0
135 00 0	36 00 0	149 00 0	24 00 0	151 00 0	35 00 0
135 00 0	34 00 0	148 00 0	24 00 0	151 00 0	38 00 0
134 00 0	34 00 0	148 00 0	21 00 0	149 00 0	38 00 0
134 00 0	33 00 0	146 00 0	21 00 0	149 00 0	44 00 0
132 00 0	33 00 0	146 00 0	19 00 0		
132 00 0	32 00 0	145 00 0	19 00 0		
130 00 0	32 00 0	145 00 0	16 00 0		
130 00 0	31 00 0	147 00 0	16 00 0		
135 00 0	31 00 0	147 00 0	19 00 0		
135 00 0	32 00 0	149 00 0	19 00 0		

SCHEDULE—continued**TABLE 2****AREA B—WESTERN AUSTRALIA RURAL**

(Excluding Area G (Perth))

° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South
114 00 0	30 00 0	116 00 0	35 00 0	116 30 0	31 25 0
118 00 0	30 00 0	114 00 0	35 00 0	115 00 0	31 25 0
118 00 0	32 00 0	114 00 0	33 00 0	115 00 0	31 00 0
119 00 0	32 00 0	115 00 0	33 00 0	114 00 0	31 00 0
119 00 0	36 00 0	115 00 0	32 50 0	114 00 0	30 00 0
116 00 0	36 00 0	116 30 0	32 50 0		

TABLE 3**AREA I—DARWIN**

° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South	° ' " East	° ' " South
130 30 0	12 00 0	131 15 0	12 45 0	130 30 0	12 00 0
131 15 0	12 00 0	130 30 0	12 45 0		

[Note: For a visual presentation of each Area mentioned above, see the indicative map accompanying this Schedule.]

