



Telecommunications (Telstra successor company and designated Telstra successor company) (Intercity) Instrument 2026

I, Anika Wells, Minister for Communications, make the following instrument.

Dated

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Minister Wells

Minister for Communications

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Telecommunications (Telstra successor company and designated Telstra successor company) (Intercity) Instrument 2026*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
Sections 5 and 6, and anything in Instrument not elsewhere covered by this table	The day after this instrument is registered.	
Section 7	Immediately after section 6 commences.	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsections 577ACA(2), 577BEA(2), 581F(3) and 581G(3) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*.

4 Definitions

Note: A number of expressions used in this instrument are defined in section 7 of the Act, including the following:

- a) designated Telstra successor company; and
- b) Telstra successor company.

In this instrument:

Act means the *Telecommunications Act 1997*.

Intercity means Intercity Assets Pty Ltd (ACN 691 468 292), as the company exists from time to time (even if its name is later changed).

prescribed telecommunications law: see section 581E of the Act.

telecommunications law: see section 581D of the Act.

5 Declaration of a Telstra successor company- subsection 581F(3)

Intercity is declared to be a Telstra successor company for the purposes of each prescribed telecommunications law.

6 Declaration of a designated Telstra successor company - subsection 581G(3)

Intercity is declared to be a designated Telstra successor company for the purposes of each telecommunications law.

Note: Refer to section 5 of this instrument for the declaration of Intercity to be a *Telstra successor company* for the purposes of each prescribed telecommunications law.

7 Specifications

- (1) For the purposes of subparagraphs 577ACA(1)(a)(iii) and 577ACA(1)(b)(iii) of the Act, Intercity is specified.
- (2) For the purposes of subparagraphs 577BEA(1)(a)(iii) and 577BEA(1)(b)(iii) of the Act, Intercity is specified.

Note: Refer to section 6 of this instrument for the declaration of Intercity to be a *designated Telstra successor company* for the purposes of each telecommunications law.