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Commonwealth of Australia

Telecommunications Act 1997

Telecommunications (Network Exemption—TransACT Very Small Scale Networks) Instrument 2012 (Amendment No.1 of 2022)

I, PAUL FLETCHER, Minister for Communications, Urban Infrastructure, Cities and the Arts make the following Instrument under subitem 27(1) of Schedule 1 to the *Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Competition and Consumer) Act 2020* and subsection 144(1) and (8) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*.

Dated 2022.

[DRAFT – NOT FOR SIGNATURE] PAUL FLETCHER

Minister for Communications, Urban Infrastructure, Cities and the Arts

1 Name of Exemption Instrument

This Instrument is the *Telecommunications (Network Exemption—TransACT Very Small Scale Networks) Instrument 2012 (Amendment No.1 of 2022).*

2 Commencement

This Instrument commences on the day it is signed.

3 Amendment

The *Telecommunications* (*Network Exemption—TransACT Very Small Scale Networks*) *Instrument 2012* is amended as set out in the Schedule to this Instrument.

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Schedule—Amendments

Telecommunications (Network Exemption—TransACT Very Small Scale Networks) Instrument 2012

1 Clause 2 (Cessation, paragraph (b))

Omit the paragraph, substitute:

(b) at the end of 25 May 2023.

2 Clause 4 (Exemptions)

Omit "141A and" (wherever occurring).

3 Clause 4 (Exemptions)

Omit "141 and" (wherever occurring).

4 At the end of Clause 5 (Note 1)

Omit the Note.