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Telstra's October 2007 application for LCS and WLR exemptions

AAPT Limited and PowerTel Ltd (together, **AAPT**) refer to Telstra's 12 October 2007 application for an exemption from the standard access obligations in relation to the supply of the LCS and the WLR service in relation to 16 specified exchange service areas (**the October 2007 exemption applications**).

AAPT notes that the submission relied on by Telstra in support of the October 2007 exemption applications is substantively identical to the submission made by Telstra in the context of its July 2007 LCS and WLR service exemption applications (affecting 371 exchange service areas).

In these circumstances, AAPT requests that the Commission treat the submission made by AAPT on 1 November 2007 (in response to the July 2007 exemption applications) as responding to both the July 2007 LCS and WLR exemption applications and the October 2007 exemption applications.

Yours singerely,

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