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Dear Robert

## REQUEST FOR MARKET INFORMATION — PUBLIC

Thank you for your letter of 9 October requesting additional information regarding the level of competition in the 16 exempted Telstra Exchange Service Areas (ESAs).

Please find below Optus' response to the letter. **[CiC]**

### ULL Services

**[CiC]**

### Resale Services

**[CiC]**

### Fibre Services

**[CiC]**

### Non-price issues

Optus notes that the ACCC pose several questions relating to non-price issues, including whether providers place conditions on the minimum number of lines per premises, or minimum service requirements.

Optus refers the ACCC to Optus' previous submission in June 2011 in response to the ACCC's Discussion Paper on the fixed-line services Final Access Determinations.<sup>1</sup> Optus provided confidential information in relation to its relevant fixed services in section 4 of the submission. **[CiC]**

The information and conclusions in the 2011 submission remain relevant to the current inquiry.

<sup>1</sup> Optus, 2011, Submission in response to the ACCC's discussion paper in the public inquiry to make final access determinations for the declared fixed line services: Confidential Version.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or wish to discuss further.

Yours Sincerely

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