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Dear Mr Cosgrave,

## **Consultation on the Replacement of Required Measure 1**

I refer to the conversation on 28 October 2015 between Sean Riordan of your office and Chris Williams of Telstra.

In accordance with clause 5.2 of the Varied Migration Plan accepted by the ACCC on 26 June 2015, we are writing to notify you that Telstra is now commencing consultation on the proposed varied Required Measure 1 to reflect the changes necessitated by the MTM Variations to the Migration Plan. A copy of the proposed varied Required Measure is attached for your attention.

The MTM Variations have required only a few revisions to this Required Measure. Essentially, the processes and the scope of the consents, releases and undertakings have remained the same, with the following exceptions:

- Pull Through Activities may now impact Wholesale Customers by NBN Co physically removing an existing Copper or HFC Line to pull through not only their fibre lines, but also NBN Co's Copper or HFC Lines as required (unless the lead in conduit is not suitable for Pull Through Activities);
- we have made some minor changes to align terminology with that now used in the Varied Migration Plan and to reflect name changes in roles within Telstra; and
- while we are not proposing to change the substance of our reporting obligations, we
  will consolidate all reporting obligations under the Varied Migration Plan (including
  under the Required Measures) in clause 26 of the Varied Migration Plan in due
  course. The reporting obligations will therefore be captured in this central position
  once the Required Measures are accepted.



We are currently advising Wholesale Customers and NBN Co of the consultation on this Required Measure. As we are also required to consult with the ACCC, could you please provide your feedback on the varied Required Measure by 11 December 2015.

Please do not hesitate to contact Chris Williams on (07) 3455 3112 if you have any comments in the meantime.

Yours sincerely

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