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To: Australian Competition & Consumer Commission

By email: [platforminquiry@accc.gov.au](mailto:platforminquiry@accc.gov.au)

### **Digital Platforms Inquiry Submission**

Village Roadshow is a publicly listed all Australian company with 8,000 employees and we are in the business of cinema, film production and distribution and theme parks. Copyright protection is of the essence in making our film distribution and production activities profitable.

Accordingly, Village Roadshow welcomes the proposed measures to assist a more effective removal of copyright infringing material. We also encourage the ACCC to look at other measure to ensure that Google and Facebook take responsibility for keeping illegal content off their services. For example, Google's search results could easily remove links to websites blocked by Australian courts as well as clean up auto complete which is a fast track, easy way to piracy. Examples of how Google are complicit in enabling piracy are attached.

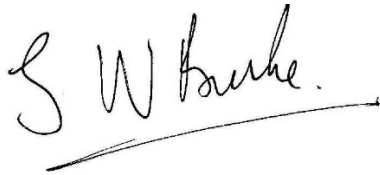
The only winners in the current climate are pirates who are criminals because their business model is totally dependent on scamming and robbing people. They attract people with the promise of free first run movies only then through a multitude of paths to scam and rob them. Whether it by misrepresentation obtaining their contact details or ransomware.

The losers are Australians employed in businesses reliant on copyright. In particular Australian film production and if piracy is not contained with a population of only 25 million our industry will inevitably grind to a halt because it's impossible to compete with stolen goods and free.

The Australian film industry is critical to what we are as Australians. My generation grew up with GALLIPOLI, BREAKER MORANT, NURIEL'S WEDDING and the current crew with RED DOG, HAPPY FEET, HEARTBREAK RIDGE, LADIES IN BLACK and LION. Wondrous Australian films are often more important in shaping our world than even people we meet.

To this end, Village Roadshow since the renaissance of our local industry has been involved in distributing or producing 80 Australian films.

Finally, digital platforms have been practically exempt from meaningful regulation worldwide for the last 20 years. This is no longer justified. Freedom of the internet is like freedom of the highways and just as it is reasonable to have restrictions on drink driving and speeding, the same is the case with copyright theft. Those who cry for freedom of the internet, this is maybe a worthy notion but completely impractical if it is to massively disrupt jobs, taxation and our Australian way of life.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "G W Burke". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

**Graham W Burke, AO**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

**Any reasonable  
person would say  
Google  
are actively**

**// Complicit //**

**"involved with  
others in activity  
that is unlawful"**


**// Enabling //**

**"giving someone  
the means to do  
something.  
Make it possible for"**

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proxybay.one has a list of **Pirate Bay Proxy** sites. You can use a proxy site to bypass any ISP block for The Pirate Bay.  
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Unblock Pirate Bay with a working **Pirate Bay proxy**. Bypass ISP blocks worldwide by using fast and secure **Pirate Bay proxies**. Pirate Proxy for full TPB access!

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Mar 30, 2014 - There have been long running blockades on the piratebay in many countries and schools. Many gylpe proxies allow you access the piratebay ...

**Pirate Bay proxies - Reddit**  
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Will list more proxies, unlike our sister sub [/r/proxybay](#) which will feature ads free proxies.  
<https://piratebayproxies.com>. created by xxxdeera community for 3 ...

**ProxyPortal: Unblock and Access Your Favourite Websites**  
<https://proxyportal.me/>  
ProxyPortal let you Unblock your favourite websites such as ThePirateBay, Kickass, EZTV, YTS, Primewire, ... [eu thepiratebay.unblocked.team](#), [TPB Proxy.eu](#) ...

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[www.piratebayproxylist.co/](http://www.piratebayproxylist.co/)  
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Aug 1, 2017 - IF YOU live in one of these Australian cities and downloaded Game of ... the Game of Thrones download capital of the world, closely followed ...

## Game of Thrones season 7: Illegal download warnings on the way

[www.news.com.au/...to-game-of-thrones.../29e1394efdfd7c9278f65a62d877860](http://www.news.com.au/...to-game-of-thrones.../29e1394efdfd7c9278f65a62d877860)

Jul 26, 2017 - HBO's anti-piracy partner sends warning to Game of Thrones pirates. ... IF YOU decided to illegally download this week's season premiere of Game of Thrones, you might soon be receiving a letter in the post from HBO's anti-piracy partner. ... As such, HBO's anti-piracy partner IP ...

## How To Watch Game Of Thrones Season 7 In Australia (Legally ...

<https://www.kotaku.com.au/.../how-to-watch-game-of-thrones-season-7-in-australia-lega...>

Jul 4, 2017 - In Australia, the only "official" way to watch Game Of Thrones at the same .... to wait till the end of the season till you can download any episode.

## Watch Game of Thrones Season 7: How to stream in Australia for free

<https://www.finder.com.au/InternetTV>

Aug 28, 2017 - Now that Season 7 has wrapped, you can download Game of Thrones through all the usual avenues, like iTunes, Google Play, Microsoft ...

## Game of Thrones: one third of Australian fans planning to pirate ...

[www.smh.com.au/...Tech/News](http://www.smh.com.au/...Tech/News)

Jun 29, 2017 - With a new season of Game of Thrones less than three weeks away, Australians ... Game of Thrones: one third of Australian fans planning to pirate season 7 .... In the past Australians have explained their illicit downloading by ...

## A third of Aussies plan to illegally download latest Game of Thrones ...

<https://finance.nine.com.au/PersonalFinance>

Jun 30, 2017 - A third of Aussies plan to illegally download latest Game of Thrones ... finder.com. au has revealed that 30 percent of Australian fans plan to ...

## Game of Thrones fans report Foxtel streaming services down as new ...

[www.abc.net.au/news/2017-07-17/foxtel-down-as...game-of-thrones.../8717762](http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-07-17/foxtel-down-as...game-of-thrones.../8717762)

Jul 17, 2017 - Related Story: Fan offers HBO \$10 for each Game of Thrones download - Map: Australia. Foxtel's online streaming services have crashed on ...

## 3 ways to legally watch Game of Thrones season 7 in Australia ...

<https://www.whistleout.com.au/.../Guides/how-to-watch-game-of-thrones-season-seve...>

Jul 25, 2017 - Game of Thrones is almost back, and we're dying to find out who dies next. If you're in the same boat, we've covered all the ways you can ...

## Bad news for those who illegally download Game of Thrones episodes ...

<https://www.smooth.com.au/.../clone-bad-news-those-who-illegally-download-game-t...>

Jul 21, 2017 - HBO has wasted no time this year in its attempt to crack down on the illegal download of its smash-hit series, Game of Thrones. Less than a ...

## Illegal downloading, piracy: Telstra, Optus forced to block The Pirate ...

[www.perthnow.com.au/...australia/...downloading...australia/.../6df5328d1246d665e1ae...](http://www.perthnow.com.au/...australia/...downloading...australia/.../6df5328d1246d665e1ae...)

Aug 17, 2017 - AUSTRALIAN telco companies have been ordered to block piracy sites. ... Game Of Thrones is reportedly the most illegally download program ...



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Jul 26, 2016 - mad max fury road full movie - watch this video, or you can download it here.

**Mad Max Fury Road 2015 Full Movie Download Bluray 720p - YouTube**

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLWr4oo1Pqb9EiawR8TZz2nUDP4O3tr91e>

Jun 3, 2016 - Mad Max: Fury Road Full Movie Watch Online.Mad Max: Fury Road Full Movie Free 720p HD Bluray,Mad Max: Fury Road Full Movie Download ...

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**Best Free Movies on YouTube - YouTube**



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aqrNCCA2BFI>

Nov 17, 2015 - Uploaded by Digital Trends

YouTube has a pretty sizable list of movies you can stream for free, but truth be told, not many are worth ...

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