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Dear Ms Gilhome

Statement of differences—Wholesale Broadband Agreement

As of 14 May 2012, 40 access seekers had entered into access agreements based on the Wholesale Broadband Agreement (**WBA**). At that time, the WBA was available on NBN Co's website as a standard form of access agreement (**SFAA**).

On 14 May 2012, NBN Co issued a notification to all 40 access seekers on access agreements based on the WBA that the terms of their access agreements would be changing via notice under the change management provisions set out in that agreement. The names of these access seekers are provided at **Attachment A** to this letter.

NBN Co is providing this statement of differences in the form specified in the *Part XIC non-discrimination guidelines* published by the ACCC in April 2012.

These access agreements are different from the SFAA in place on 14 May 2012 in the following respects:

1. The introduction of an updated WBA Operations Manual (effective 26 June 2012);
2. The introduction of an updated NBN Co Access Service Product Technical Specification (effective 26 June 2012); and
3. The introduction of the first version of several B2B Specifications (effective 26 June 2012).

Enclosed are marked-up copies of the WBA Operations Manual and NBN Co Access Service Product Technical Specification, and clean copies of the B2B Specifications, for the purpose of specifying how the access agreements entered into by the customers listed in Attachment A on 14 May 2012 differ from the relevant SFAA published as at that date.

Any terms not defined in this letter should be read as defined in copies of the relevant parts of these access agreements provided with this letter.

NBN Co provides this statement of differences having regard to section 152BEBA of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010*. As of the effective date of these changes, the SFAA was updated to reflect the differences set out in the attached document. The difference in question arises solely due to the timing of when the SFAA was updated by NBN Co.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,



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Attachment A

Wholesale Broadband Agreement customers as at 14 May 2012

1. AAPT Limited
2. AARNet Pty Ltd
3. Adam Internet Pty Ltd
4. Amcom Pty Ltd
5. Anittel Communications Pty Ltd
6. Aurora Energy Pty Ltd
7. Aussie Broadband Pty Ltd
8. Australian Nomad Technologies Pty Ltd (now Australian National Telecom Pty Ltd)
9. Australian Private Networks Pty Ltd
10. BlueMaxx Communications Pty Ltd
11. Broadband MultiNet Pty Ltd
12. Broadband Solutions Pty Ltd
13. Clear Networks Pty Ltd
14. Community Telco Australia Pty Ltd
15. Comscentre Networks Pty Ltd
16. EveryNet Pty Ltd
17. Exetel Pty Ltd
18. Golden IT Pty Ltd
19. Harbour IT Pty Ltd
20. iiNet Limited
21. Internode Pty Ltd
22. ispONE Pty Ltd
23. iTalk (Australia) Pty Ltd
24. iTelecom Wholesale Pty Ltd
25. Macquarie Telecom Pty Ltd
26. NEC Australia Pty Ltd
27. Nextgen Networks Pty Ltd
28. On Q Network Operations Pty Ltd
29. Optus Networks Pty Ltd
30. Orion Satellite Systems Pty Ltd
31. Platform Networks Pty Ltd (now Eftel Pty Ltd)
32. Primus Telecommunications Pty Ltd
33. SkyMesh Pty Ltd
34. Symbio Wholesale Pty Limited
35. Telco In a Box Pty Ltd
36. Telstra Corporation Limited
37. TPG Internet Pty Ltd
38. TransACT Capital Communications Pty Ltd
39. Vocus Pty Ltd
40. Vodafone Hutchison Australia Pty Ltd