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### AUSTRALIAN COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA AUTHORITY

#### **Radiocommunications Act 1992**

Notice under section 136 of the Radiocommunications Act 1992

NOTIFICATION OF THE DRAFT RADIOCOMMUNICATIONS (LOW INTERFERENCE POTENTIAL DEVICES) CLASS LICENCE VARIATION 2020 (NO.1)

Notice is given under section 136 of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992* (the Act) of the draft *Radiocommunications (Low Interference Potential Devices) Class Licence Variation 2020 (No.1)* (the draft Variation) proposed to be made by the Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) under section 132 of the Act. The draft Variation proposes to amend existing arrangements and to add new arrangements for a number of short range low power radiocommunications devices by varying the *Radiocommunications (Low Interference Potential Devices) Class Licence 2015* (the LIPD Class Licence).

# **Proposed changes**

The LIPD Class Licence contains the licence conditions, operational requirements and technical parameters associated with a wide range of low power radiocommunications devices operating in various segments of the radiofrequency spectrum.

The draft Variation proposes to amend the LIPD Class Licence by:

- inserting new frequency bands for data communication transmitters;
- inserting new frequency bands for telecommand or telemetry transmitters; and
- inserting and updating referenced standards.

Copies of the LIPD Class Licence, the draft Variation, and the consultation paper explaining the above amendments in more detail are available on the ACMA's website (<a href="www.acma.gov.au">www.acma.gov.au</a>) and hard copies may be obtained from the ACMA by contacting:

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## **Comments**

Under section 136 of the Act, the ACMA is seeking representations about the draft Variation. Interested persons are invited to make representations about the proposed variation no later than 26 October 2020. Representations should be in writing and should be addressed to:

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