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Attorney-General's Department

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The Clerk of the Senate
Suite SG25
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Attention: Assistant Legislation Officer (Clerk's documents)

Dear Assistant Liaison Officer

Copyright Amendment Regulations (No 1), Select Legislative Instrument 2011 No 149

On 15 September 2011, the Chair of the Senate Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances wrote to the Attorney-General concerning the Copyright Amendment Regulations (No 1), Select Legislative Instrument 2011 No 149. The Committee considered that the Explanatory Statement did not give sufficient detail to show that appropriate consultation had been conducted with respect to the instrument.

The Attorney-General has approved tabling of an amended Explanatory Statement that addresses the Committee's concern.

The Explanatory Statement is to be tabled in accordance with section 39 of the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*.

I have enclosed two copies of the Explanatory Statement and I would be grateful if you would arrange tabling in the Senate on the next available sitting day.

Yours sincerely

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