

Radiocommunications (Digital Radio Channels — NSW/ACT) Plan Variation 2015 (No. 1)

Radiocommunications Act 1992

The AUSTRALIAN COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA AUTHORITY makes this Plan Variation under subsection 44A (6) of the *Radiocommunications Act 1992*.

Dated 5th May 2015

Chris Chapman [signed] Member

Richard Bean [signed] Member/General Manager

Australian Communications and Media Authority

1 Name of Plan Variation

This Plan Variation is the *Radiocommunications* (Digital Radio Channels – NSW/ACT) Plan Variation 2015 (No. 1).

2 Commencement

This Plan Variation commences on the day after it is registered.

Note All legislative instruments and compilations are registered on the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments kept under the *Legislative Instruments Act* 2003. See <u>http://www.comlaw.gov.au</u>.

3 Amendment of Radiocommunications (Digital Radio Channels — NSW/ACT) Plan 2007

Schedule 1 amends the *Radiocommunications (Digital Radio Channels – NSW/ACT) Plan 2007* [F2009C00073].

Schedule 1 Amendments

(section 3)

[1] After section 5

insert

6 Co-channel transmitters

The technical specifications for a co-channel transmitter licensed under a relevant digital radio multiplex transmitter licence are those determined by the technical planning guidelines.

Note As at the date of the commencement of this section, the technical specifications for a co-channel transmitter licensed under a relevant digital radio multiplex transmitter are set out in Division 8 of Part 8 of the *Broadcasting Services (Technical Planning) Guidelines* 2007.

[2] Schedule 1, after Attachment 1.3

insert

Attachment 1.4 Multiplex Penrith 1

Column 1 Technical specification	Column 2 Details		
Category	1		
General Area Served	Penrith		
Mode	DAB		
Specification number	TS1137041		
Transmitter Site			
Nominal Location	Broadcast Monopole Aust Radio Network Site 754-768 Hawkesbury Rd HAWKESBURY HEIGHTS		
Australian Map Grid Reference 1966	Zone	Easting	Northing
	56	281062	6272028
Site Tolerance	Refer to technical planning guidelines		
Emission			
Frequency Band	VHF		
Centre Frequency	202.928 MHz (Frequency Block 9A)		
Polarisation	Vertical		
Maximum antenna height	42 m		
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Output Radiation Pattern

Bearing or sector	Depression angle	Maximum ERP		
(clockwise direction)		At or above dividing line	Below dividing line	
0 °T – 220 °T	All angles	300 W	T	
220 °T – 260 °T	All angles	150 W	Τ	
260 °T – 320 °T	All angles	75 W		
320 °T – 360 °T	All angles	150 W	7	

Additional technical specification

The radiated signal characteristics of the transmitter must comply with the spectrum mask for VHF transmitters in critical areas for adjacent channel interference as specified in clause 15.4 of standard ETSI EN 300 401 V1.4.1, issued by the European Telecommunications Standard Institute.

Advisory Note

This technical specification has been included in this plan because the transmission site is outside the Sydney RA1 licence area.

Attachment 1.5 Multiplex Penrith 2

Column 1 Technical specification		Column 2 Details		
Category		1		
General Area Served		Penrith		
Mode		DAB		
Specification number		TS1137056		
Transmitter Site				
Nominal Location		Broadcast Monopole Aust Radio Network Site 754-768 Hawkesbury Rd HAWKESBURY HEIGHTS		
Australian Map Grid Re	ference 1966	Zone	Easting	Northing
		56 281062 627202		6272028
Site Tolerance		Refer to technical planning guidelines		
Emission				
Frequency Band		VHF		
Centre Frequency		204.640 MHz (Frequency Block 9B)		
Polarisation		Vertical		
Maximum antenna heigh	nt	42 m		
Bearing or sector Depression angle		Maximum ERP		
(clockwise direction)		At or abov	e dividing line	Below dividing line
0 °T – 220 °T	All angles		300 V	V
220 °T – 260 °T	All angles	150 W		
260 °T – 320 °T	All angles	75 W		
320 °T – 360 °T	All angles	150 W		

Additional technical specification

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Advisory Note

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Attachment 1.6 Multiplex Penrith 3

Column 1 Technical specification		Column 2 Details		
Category		3		
General Area Served		Penrith		
Mode		DAB		
Specification number		TS1137057		
Transmitter Site				
Nominal Location		Broadcast Monopole Aust Radio Network Site 754-768 Hawkesbury Rd HAWKESBURY HEIGHTS		
Australian Map Grid R	eference 1966	Zone	Easting	Northing
		56 281062 627		6272028
Site Tolerance		Refer to technical planning guidelines		
Emission				
Frequency Band		VHF		
Centre Frequency		206.352 MHz (Frequency Block 9C)		
Polarisation		Vertical		
Maximum antenna hei	ght	42 m		
Bearing or sector Depression angle		Maximum ERP		
(clockwise direction)		At or abov	ve dividing line	Below dividing line
0 °T – 220 °T	All angles		300 V	V
220 °T – 260 °T	All angles	150 W		
260 °T – 320 °T	All angles	75 W		
320 °T – 360 °T	All angles	150 W		

Additional technical specification

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