

Broadcasting Services (Service-Deficient Area – Mildura/Sunraysia) Declaration 2025

The Australian Communications and Media Authority makes the following declaration under subsection 130ZH(1) of the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*.

Dated: 3 April 2025

Adam Suckling [signed] Member

Michael Brealey [signed] General Manager

Australian Communications and Media Authority

1 Name

This is the *Broadcasting Services (Service-Deficient Area – Mildura/Sunraysia) Declaration 2025.*

2 Commencement

This instrument commences at the start of the day after the day it is registered on the Federal Register of Legislation.

Note: This instrument is available, free of charge, from the Federal Register of Legislation at www.legislation.gov.au.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 130ZH(1) of the Act.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

Act means the Broadcasting Services Act 1992.

Mildura/Sunraysia TV1 licence area has the meaning given to "Mildura/Sunraysia TV1 licence area" in the *Television Licence Area Plan (Mildura/Sunraysia) 2012*.

- Note 1: The *Television Licence Area Plan (Mildura/Sunraysia) 2012* is available, free of charge, from the Federal Register of Legislation at www.legislation.gov.au.
- Note 2: A number of other expressions used in this instrument are defined in the Act, including "ACMA".

5 References to other instruments

In this instrument, unless the contrary intention appears:

- (a) a reference to any other legislative instrument is a reference to that other legislative instrument as in force from time to time; and
- (b) a reference to any other kind of instrument or writing is a reference to that other instrument or writing as in force, or existing, at the commencement of this instrument.
- Note 1: For references to Commonwealth Acts, see section 10 of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*; and see also subsection 13(1) of the *Legislation Act 2003* for the application of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* to legislative instruments.
- Note 2: All Commonwealth Acts and legislative instruments are registered on the Federal Register of Legislation.

6 Declaration of declared service-deficient area

Being satisfied of the matters set out in paragraphs 130ZH(1)(a), (b) and (c) of the Act, the ACMA declares that the Mildura/Sunraysia TV1 licence area is a *declared service-deficient area*.