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The Hon Paul Fletcher MP

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House of Representatives

Parliament House

Canberra ACT 2600

## **CHRIS (BRENDON) AGPASA SUBMISSION TO THE 2021-22 PRE-BUDGET SUBMISSIONS**

Dear Minister Fletcher,

I write to request assistance had appropriate for media diversity to support digital radio and TV rollouts will continue in the federal funding, Brendon Agpasa was a student, radio listener and TV viewer.

Paul Fletcher MP and the Morrison Government is supporting the media diversity including digital radio rollout, transition of community television to an online operating model, digital TV rollout, radio and TV services through regional media and subscription TV rollout we're rolled out for new media landscape and it's yours to towards a digital future of radio and TV broadcasting.

We looking up for an expansion of digital radio rollout has been given consideration, the new digital spectrum to test a trial DRM30 and DRM+ with existing analogue (AM/FM) radio services, shortwave radio and end of spectrum (VHF NAS licences) will be adopted Digital Radio Mondiale services in Australia for the future plans. The radio stations Sydney's 2GB, Melbourne's 3AW, Brisbane's Nova 106.9, Adelaide's Mix 102.3, Perth's Nova 93.7, Hit FM and Triple M ranks number 1 at ratings survey 8 in December 2020.

Recently in December 2020, Nova Entertainment had launched it's new DAB+ stations in each market, such as Nova Throwbacks, Nova 90s, Nova Noughties, Nova 10s, Smooth 80s and Smooth 90s to bring you the freshest hits, throwbacks and old classics all day everyday at Nova and Smooth FM.

The full DRM standard in the AM and FM bands, too was adopted in exported to Australia and in line with the digital radio broadcasting capabilities that come from each broadcaster to listener.

The sub-metropolitan licences of community radio stations in all capital cities will be expanding to digital radio rollout, which includes the Melbourne sub-metropolitan community stations is based in Victoria.

The ABC International has been improved digital radio broadcasting capabilities to some of the regions across the Pacific and Asia, currently relying on 24-hour FM stations, local relay stations and live satellite.

It denotes an ABC News programs such as radio news bulletins, *AM*, *PM* and *The World Today*, as well as an ABC Radio programs from another networks are broadcast on ABC Radio Australia is relaying to Indo Pacific region.

The Seven Network and Prime Media Group have renewed their affiliation agreement which will see Prime7 and GWN7 will remain affiliated to Seven extends the multi-year deal for next few years in additional funding of regional TV affiliation arrangements.

Seven Network for Seven West Media and Southern Cross Austereo have also extended their regional TV affiliation agreement for Tasmania, Darwin, Spencer Gulf, Broken Hill, Central & Eastern Australia and Mt Isa for extended multi-year deal in another next few years across additional funding costs.

As a result of the 2021 extended affiliate changes, WIN will continue to broadcast Network 10 programming across regional areas, in addition to it's high definition simulcast will show WIN HD which broadcasts the simulcast of Network 10 programming in HD, such as Formula 1 Australian Grand Prix.

WIN Television Griffith is continues to have relayed programming mainly from Network 10 through the WIN Network in southern NSW, WIN Griffith's supplementary licence had carrying generally a feed from Prime7 Orange including Prime7 News Central West, WIN Griffith's another supplementary station had also broadcasts Nine programming.

WIN Griffith is a relay of Network 10 Sydney combined with WIN Television Wagga Wagga, as well as WIN's Seven Griffith relays Seven Network Sydney combined with direct feed of Prime Television Orange and WIN's Nine Griffith relays Nine Network Sydney. WIN Griffith will carry new multi-channels 7flix, 9Life, 9Rush and 10 Shake began broadcast into the area for the first time in TV history.

The Telstra cable network, satellite and Optus cable network delivers Foxtel's TV signal with any subscription, which includes the satellite technology installed combined with access to cable network for use of cable connections we're connected to satellite delivery of pay TV services.

If you're live in Australia & we have received free-to-air channels through digital TV services, the VHF and UHF antennas is pointed to TV transmitters, you can get a good signals of crystal clear reception.

Then, tune your Television to ABC, SBS, Seven, Nine, 10, and community TV by going to any channel on your TV, you will need a new digital TV with VHF and UHF reception, but it can be connected into the same coaxial cable that goes into digital TV, it also can be received direct-to-home satellite where the free-to-air TV channels is carried on the VAST platform.

Pay TV's video on demand content which includes movies, pay-per-view events, adult entertainment and more, as well as expanded range of international and Christian channels delivered via satellite feeds.

Internationally, the major initiative of Australian digital TV rollout to boost for audiences in around the world.

The Indo-Pacific region will have access to more Australian news and sport content is delivered by Australian News Channel Pty Ltd to carry Sky News Australia content on Australia Channel News and Fox Sports News content on Australia Channel Sport would join the TV rebroadcasters and live satellite footprint was relaying to Asia and the Pacific. Australia Channel will be an amalgamation of content from Sky News, Sky News Weather, Sky News Extra, and Fox Sports News.

Foxtel plans to added 9Rush and 10 Shake to satellite and cable subscribers in the future.

ABC Australia TV had multi-genre programming is sourced from ABC, SBS, other TV networks and through co-production acquisition, alongside PacificAusTV will deliver the sourced content from Australian commercial TV networks and other content providers.

Live sports which are encrypted through Australian TV content across overseas, as well as satellite feeds relays news aired by overseas broadcasters on the free-to-air and pay TV services.

Pay TV will carry streaming services BINGE, Kayo, Disney+, Amazon Prime Video, hayu, Paramount+ (formerly 10 All Access), Netflix, Stan, Optus Sport, BritBox, ABC iview, SBS on Demand, 7plus, 9Now and 10 Play we're expands to satellite, cable and IPTV customers.

Examples of few things to include range of channels in TV services is at **Attachment numbers**.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to see listen to radio, watch TV and secure the future of digital radio and TV rollouts you may be able to offer.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brendon Agpasa". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Chris (Brendon) Agpasa

Expanded Pay TV channels through Foxtel

DIGITAL	+2	DIGITAL	+2	DIGITAL	+2	DIGITAL	+2		
A&E*	131	231	Daystar	185	FOX SPORTS NEWS	500/602	MTV Classic	804	
Al Jazeera English	651	Discovery Channel*	133	233	FOX SPORTS Ultra HD	508	MTV HITS	801	
Animal Planet*	141	Discovery Turbo*	143	243	foxtel arts*	129/806	National Geographic*	139	
Antenna	941	EI*	121	221	Foxtel Movies Action	405	239	Nat Geo WILD*	140
Aurora	173	ESPN	509	422	Foxtel Movies Comedy	406	NHK World	656	
Australian Christian Channel	182	ESPN2	510	423	Foxtel Movies Drama	409	Nickelodeon	701	
belIN SPORTS 1	513	EXPO	177	423	Foxtel Movies Family	403	Nick Jr.	703	
belIN SPORTS 2	514	FOX8	108	208*	Foxtel Movies Greats	410	Nick Music	802	
belIN SPORTS 3	515	FOX ARENA*	111	211	Foxtel Movies Hits	402	RAI International	942	
BBC First*	119	FOX Classics*	117	217	Foxtel Movies Kids	404	Russia Today	658	
BBC Earth*	134	FOX COMEDY*	115	215	Foxtel Movies Premiere	401	421	Sky News Extra*	603
BBC World News*	606	FOX CRICKET	501	421	Foxtel Movies Romance	408	Sky News	103/600	
Bloomberg Television*	621	FOX CRIME*	113	213	Foxtel Movies Thriller	407	Sky News UK*	604	
Boomerang	715	FOX FOOTY	504	214	Foxtel Movies Ultra HD	400	Sky News Weather*	601	
BoxSets*	150	FOX Funny*	114	214	HISTORY*	130	Sky Racing 1	526	
Cartoon Network	713	FOX LEAGUE	502	218	Hillsong Channel	183	Sky Racing 2	527	
CBeebies	705	FOX News*	608	201*	Investigation Discovery (ID)*	136	Sky Thoroughbred Central	528	
CGTN	653	FOX ONE	101	216	LifeStyle	106	206*	SonLife Broadcasting Network	186
CGTN Documentary	654	FOX Sci Fi*	116	212	LifeStyle Food*	125	225	TLC*	123
Club MTV	803	FOX SHOWCASE*	112	212	LifeStyle Home*	126	223	TRT World	652
CMT	805	FOX Sleuth*	118	218	LMN – Lifetime Movie Network	411	TVSN	176	
CNBC*	620	FOX SPORTS 503	503	218	MAIN EVENT	521	UKTV	105	
CNN*	609	FOX SPORTS 505	505	218	MTV*	122	205*	Universal TV*	120
Crime + Investigation*	135	FOX SPORTS 506	506	218					
		FOX SPORTS MORE	507	218					

Channels in **ORANGE** (above) are available in High Definition for subscribers to the relevant channel and the HD pack with an HD Foxtel set-top box.  
Channel+2 Timeshift – Programs aired two hours after listing. \*Guide reflects channel number changes effective as of October 13.

CHANNEL 7, 9, 10, ABC, SBS AND MULTI-CHANNELS

ABC	102	10 HD	210	9Gem HD*	264	ABC News	642
ABC HD	202	SBS	104	9Go!*	162	NITV*	172
Channel 7	107	SBS HD*	204	9Life*	163	SBS Food*	171
7HD	207	7flix*	158	10 Bold*	166	SBS Viceland*	170
Channel 9	100	7mate*	157	10 Peach*	167	SBS VICELAND HD*	270
9HD	209	7TWO*	156	ABC Kids/Comedy*	152	SBS World Movies HD	432
Channel 10	110	9Gem*	164	ABC Me	723	SBS World Movies	433

Please note: Free-to-air channels will vary based on location and not all channels are available in all areas. Some channels require connection to a free-to-air aerial.  
Channels in **ORANGE** (above) available for subscribers with an HD Foxtel set-top box. \*Guide reflects channel number changes effective as of October 13.



# FOXTEL

FOX8

FOX6

BBC  
uktv

FOX  
ARENA

MTV

UNIVERSAL

FOX  
CRIME

FOX  
SHOW  
CASE

FOXONE

BBC  
FIRST

FOX  
SLEUTH

TLC

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FOX  
CLASSICS

FOXFUNNY

Life  
Style.

Discovery

NATIONAL  
GEOGRAPHIC

BBC  
earth

nickjr

BOOMERANG

animal planet

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hits

MTV  
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NEWS

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CENTRAL

sky news

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EXTRA

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WEATHER

sky news UK

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CNN

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CHINA GLOBAL  
TELEVISION NETWORK

CGTN  
DOCUMENTARY

NHK WORLD

Aurora

Bloomberg  
TELEVISION

CNBC

ALJAZEERA

DAYSTAR

SBN

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Ultra HD

iQ4 only. Requires  
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**ABC News Radio**

Continuous news as it happens.



**ABC Radio National**

Explore a world of ideas.



**ABC Metro Radio**

The world from your backyard. Metropolitan radio.



**ABC Regional Radio**

The world from your backyard. Regional radio.



**ABC Classic**

Come alive with the classics.



**Triple J**

Enemy of Average. Youth radio.



**Triple J Unearthed**

Discover new Australian music.



**SBS Radio 1**

Multicultural and multilingual radio.



**SBS Radio 2**

Multicultural and multilingual radio.



**SBS Radio 3**

Multicultural and multilingual radio.



**SBS Arabic24**

Arabic-language radio.



**SBS PopDesi**

The latest Desi pop and it's all non-stop!



**SBS Chill**

Multicultural and multilingual radio.



**SBS PopAsia**

Non-stop Asian pop.



**Double J**

Music with depth.



**ABC Jazz**

Jazz music with depth.



**ABC Kids Listen**

Dedicated radio station for preschoolers.



**ABC Country**

Country music radio.



**BBC World**

BBC International News. (Audio Only).



**Antenna Radio**

Greek. Radio from Greece.



**RAI Radio**

Italian. Radio from Italy.

VAST TV channels

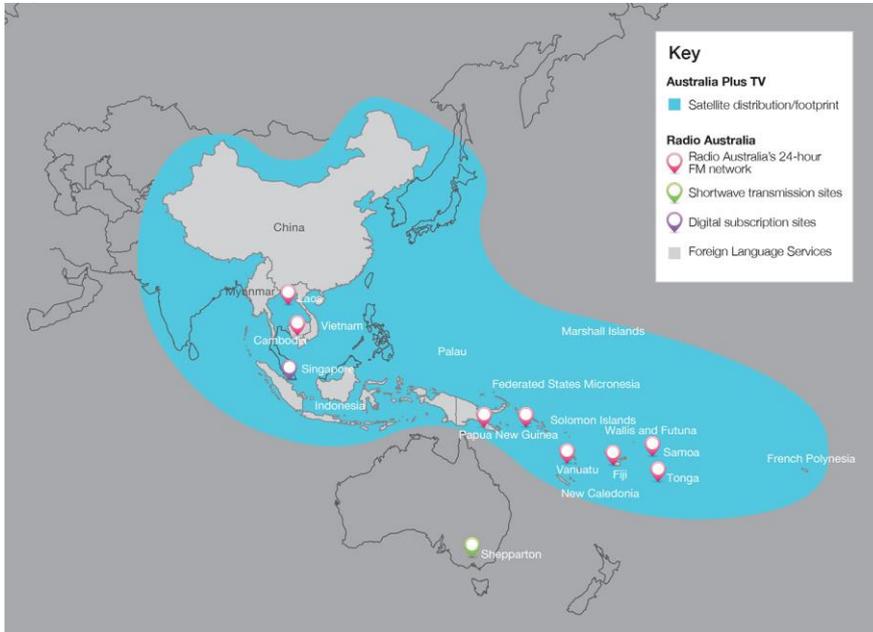
 NSW   Ch 2 & 21 HD	 SE   Ch 22	 SE   Ch 23	 Ch 24	 WA   Ch 2 & 21 HD	 WA   Ch 22	 WA   Ch 23	 Ch 24
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 Ch 34	 Ch 601	 Ch 603	 Ch 33	 Ch 34	 Ch 601	 Ch 603	 Ch 603
 South   Ch 7	 Ch 70 HD	 South   Ch 72	 Ch 33	 South   Ch 7	 Ch 70 HD	 South   Ch 72	 Ch 603
 South   Ch 9 & 91	 Ch 90 HD	 South   Ch 99	 Ch 33	 South   Ch 9 & 91	 Ch 90 HD	 South   Ch 99	 Ch 603
 South   Ch 10	 Ch 1 HD	 South   Ch 11	 Ch 33	 South   Ch 10	 Ch 1 HD	 South   Ch 11	 Ch 603
				 WA   Ch 80 HD	 WA   Ch 82	 WA   Ch 83	 Ch 85
				 Ch 85	 Ch 88		 Ch 84

 Cairns/Towns. Ch 401	 Rockhampton Ch 402	 S. Cst/Toow. Ch 403	 Wgong/Canberra Ch 405
 Gippsland Ch 406	 Bendigo/Shepp. Ch 407	 Ballarat Ch 408	 Tas./Dar. Ch 409
 Vic./NSW/ACT/Qld Ch 404	 Qld/NT/NSW/Vic. Ch 410	 Tas./SA/V.Hill Ch 411	
 Cairns/Towns. Ch 412	 Mackay/Rock. Ch 413	 Wide Bay/S. Cst/Toow. Ch 414	
 Gold Cst/Lismore Ch 415	 Coffs Hbr/Tamw. Ch 416	 Newestl./Cent Cst Ch 417	
 Coffs Hbr/Tamw. Ch 418	 NSW/Vic. Ch 419	 Orange/Wagga Ch 420	



Foxtel retransmits free-to-air TV channels


Australia's international TV broadcasters via satellite footprint



Christian TV channels



WIN Television channels Griffith/MIA



Free-to-air services of International TV channels via satellite

INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE TV

