Draft Variation to Hobart LAP
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Technical Planning and Evaluation Branch
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By email:

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Dear Sir/Madam

Draft Variation to Licence Area Plan – Hobart Radio – No.1 of 2011

We write in relation to the draft variation to the Licence Area Plan for Hobart

United Christian Broadcasters Australia Ltd support the proposal to make available FM frequency 94.9 MHz, with a maximum ERP of 1.5 kW, for a new open narrowcasting radio service at Hobart.

Vision Radio Network would be interested in obtaining this licence to further our network, currently we are servicing the Hobart region with 9 LPON’s in the proposed ‘coverage area’. As there is no tenure in the future of the LPON spectrum after the 31/12/2013 we would be looking at securing the licence to take over this inadequate network with a higher powered licence.

United Christian Broadcasters Australia Ltd is a not for profit organisation which runs the Vision Radio Network and is a recognised open narrowcast radio service provider which would bring the same programming and content to 94.9 in Hobart if successful in securing our bid.

Yours Sincerely

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