

AUSTRALIAN COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA AUTHORITY

Telecommunications Act 1997

Subsection 81(1)

NOMINATED CARRIER DECLARATION

After considering an application dated 29 March 2016 made to the Australian Communications and Media Authority (**ACMA**) under section 77 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997* by Telstra Corporation Limited (the **applicant**) in relation to network unit or units (the **network unit or units**) owned by Chevron Australia Pty Limited, I, Peter Sutton, delegate of the ACMA, acting under subsection 81(1) of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*, being satisfied that:

- (a) if the applicant were declared to be the nominated carrier in relation to the network unit or units, it would be in a position to comply with all of the obligations imposed on the applicant in the applicant's capacity as the nominated carrier in relation to the network unit or units; and
- (b) the making of the declaration will not impede the efficient administration of:
 - (i) the *Telecommunications Act 1997*; or
 - (ii) the *Telecommunications (Consumer Protection and Service Standards) Act 1999* and regulations under that Act;

declare that Telstra Corporation Limited is the nominated carrier in relation to the cores of the fibre optic cable or cables, owned by Chevron Australia Pty Limited ('**Chevron**') and located in the Pilbara region, Western Australia, running between Telstra's core network and any site within the Pilbara region, Western Australia in which Chevron or a related body corporate ('RBC') has an ownership interest or for which Chevron or a RBC is the operator.

Dated the 22nd day of April 2016

Signed



Delegate of the Australian Communications and Media Authority