NOMINATED CARRIER DECLARATION

I, Dr Roslyn Kelleher, delegate of the Australian Communications Authority acting under subsection 81(1) of the Telecommunications Act 1997 (‘the Act’) being satisfied that:

(a) if Optus Networks Pty Limited (ACN 008 570 330) is 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 carrier in its capacity as the nominated carrier in relation to the unit or units; and

(b) making of the declaration will not impede the efficient administration of the Act;

declare that Optus Networks Pty Limited is the nominated carrier for satellite-based facilities, consisting of 24 Ku band transponders and located on the Optus C1 geostationary satellite which is located 156 degrees East longitude and 0 degrees latitude, owned by Cable & Wireless Optus Satellites Pty Limited (ACN 087 587 504).

Dated the 13th day of June 2003

Signed

Delegate of the Australian Communications Authority