

# COMPETITION AND CONSUMER ACT 2010

## Competition and Consumer (FOAS Declaration) Extension 2018

1. Pursuant to section 152ALA(4) of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* (the Act), the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission extends the expiry date for the Fixed Originating Access Service (FOAS) declaration to 30 June 2024.

Note: the previous expiry date was 31 July 2019.

2. The FOAS is described in Annexure 1 to this instrument.

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Rodney Graham Sims

Chair

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission

Dated: 23 November 2018

### Annexure 1: Service Description for the FOAS

#### Service description

An access service for the carriage of telephone calls (i.e. voice, data over the voice band) to a POI from end-customers assigned numbers from the geographic number ranges of the Australian Numbering Plan and directly connected to the access provider's network.

For the avoidance of doubt, the service also includes a service for the carriage of telephone calls from customer equipment at an end-user's premises to a POI, or potential POI, located at or associated with a local switch (being the switch closest to the end-user making the telephone call) and located on the outgoing trunk side of the switch.