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The National ICT Act 2009

NOTICE OF MAKING OF REGULATORY INSTRUMENTS UNDER THE NATIONAL ICT ACT 2009

I, Charles S. Punaha, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the National Information and Communications Technology Authority (also referred to as NICTA), by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 213 and 218 of the *National ICT Act 2009 (the Act)* and all other powers enabling me, hereby give notice to the making of the following regulatory instruments; ICT Cabling Guidelines, Type Approval Guidelines and Radio Dealers Licence Guidelines produced by NICTA pursuant to the Act.

1. **Regulatory Instruments:—**

a) ICT Cabling Guidelines

The purpose of the ICT Cabling Guideline is to provide regulatory and technical guidance which Cabling Licensees can comply with when carrying out ICT Cabling works. The objective of this guideline is to ensure a high level of cabling standard and quality is maintained, that complies and/or conforms to all applicable regulatory requirements and international best practices.

b) Type Approval Guidelines

This Guideline is aimed at promoting device compliance to the applicable NICTA-recognised standards and provides relevant requirements and procedures vital for importing or bringing ICT equipment into the country.

The Guideline sets out the definitive statement of the roles and responsibilities of NICTA and the important procedures for ICT equipment registration with NICTA. It also provides guidance to certified importers on how to legally import ICT equipment into PNG.

c) Radio Dealers Licence Guidelines

A Radio Dealers Licence is a radio communication licence which authorises a radio dealer to repair or adjust, let for hire, sell or offer or possess for sale any regulated ICT apparatus in PNG.

This Guideline sets out the practical procedures and guidelines for importers, distributors and retailers including radio communications operators intending to import or currently importing any regulated ICT apparatus.

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2. Commencement

These regulatory instruments take effect from the date published herein.

Dated this 19th day of November, 2015.

C. S. PUNAHA,
Chief Executive Officer, NICTA.