



Broadcasting Act 1996

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PART I

DIGITAL TERRESTRIAL TELEVISION BROADCASTING

Multiplex services

9 Power to require two or more multiplex licences to be granted to one person

- (1) The Commission may, before publishing a notice under section 7(1), determine that two or more multiplex licences are on that occasion to be granted to one person.
- (2) Where the Commission have so determined, they shall publish a single notice under section 7(1) in relation to the licences.
- (3) In relation to any application made in pursuance of such a notice—
 - (a) references in section 7(4) to the proposed service shall have effect as references to each of the proposed services,
 - (b) the reference in section 8(1) to the multiplex licence shall have effect as a reference to all the licences concerned,
 - (c) in section 8(2), the reference in paragraph (d) to the proposed service shall have effect as a reference to all the proposed services considered together, and other references to the proposed service shall have effect as references either to each of the proposed services or to all of them considered together, as the Commission consider appropriate.
- (4) Nothing in this section applies in relation to the renewal of a multiplex licence.