



# Communications Act 2003

## 2003 CHAPTER 21

### PART 3

#### TELEVISION AND RADIO SERVICES

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#### REGULATORY STRUCTURE FOR INDEPENDENT RADIO SERVICES

##### *Radio licensable content services*

#### **247 Meaning of “radio licensable content services”**

- (1) In this Part “radio licensable content service” means (subject to section 248) any service falling within subsection (2) in so far as it is provided with a view to its availability for reception by members of the public being secured by one or both of the following means—
  - (a) the broadcasting of the service (whether by the person providing it or by another) from a satellite; or
  - (b) the distribution of the service (whether by that person or by another) by any means involving the use of an electronic communications network.
- (2) A service falls within this subsection if it—
  - (a) consists of sound programmes; and
  - (b) is provided (whether in digital or in analogue form) as a service that is to be made available for reception by members of the public.