

APPENDIX 3

Network compliance with the Australian Content Standard 1996 and 1997										
	Transmission Quota %		Australian Drama				Australian Documentary		Australian C Drama	
			total annual		total hours score in points		total hours of 1st release		total hours of 1st release	
Minimum annual requirement	50%		225		hours		10hrs		24hrs	28hrs
Station	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997
7 Network										
ATN	56.4	52.7	335.69	263.93	25.3	188.17	20	34	24	27.5
HSV	57.35	56.01	334.63	259.93	244.9	186.17	20	42	24	27.5
BTQ	57.61	53.86	331.69	268.43	251	189.95	19	32.5	24	27.5
SAS	60.98	61.08	324.29	261.48	233.25	186.68	17	34.5	24	27.5
TVW	60.54	58.95	327.69	267.82	245.15	190.13	19	35	24	27.5
9 Network										
TCN	60.6	62.9	268.7	272	149.6	124.8	19.5	24	24	28
GTV	59.1	60.0	271.7	269.6	149.9	124	19.5	23	24	28
QTQ	62.5	63.5	270.8	270.8	148.8	124.2	19.5	27	24	28
10 Network										
TEN	51.32	50.9	248.4	266.5	183	189.5	10	10.5	24.25	28
ATV	51.32	50.9	248.4	266.5	183	189.5	10	10.5	24.25	28
TVQ	51.32	50.9	248.4	266.5	183	189.5	10	10.5	24.25	28
ADS	51.32	50.9	248.4	266.5	183	189.5	10	10.5	24.25	28
NEW	51.32	50.9	248.4	266.5	183	189.5	10	10.5	24.25	28

Source: ABA Discussion Paper: Review of the Australian Content Standard. July 1998 Attachment C

NOTE: In 1997, the Seven Network and regional station STQ failed to comply with the minimum annual quota for the broadcast of first release Australian C drama and repeat C drama programs. The licensee's have undertaken to commission and broadcast additional programs to compensate for the shortfalls.