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Nucleus Connect Pte Ltd 3 Tai Seng Drive, #04-00 Da Vinci Building Singapore 535216

Attention:

Mr David Storrie

Chief Executive Officer

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Dear Sirs

SUBMISSION OF MODEL CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT ("MCA")

- 1. Please refer to Nucleus Connect Pte Ltd's ("Nucleus Connect") proposed MCA submitted on 17 August 2009.
- 2. In compliance with the requirements under the Next Generation National Broadband Network Operating Company for Proposal (Part B Volume 4 (OpCo Regulatory Documents)) ("RFP"), Nucleus Connect submitted a proposed MCA to IDA, for IDA's approval. The proposed MCA regulates the disclosure of information between Nucleus Connect and any party requesting Nucleus Connect's services, and governs the preservation of commercially-sensitive information that may be disclosed between the parties during negotiations for such services.
- 3. Pursuant to the RFP requirements, IDA conducted a consultation on 18 August 2009 to elicit comments in connection with the proposed MCA. At the close of the consultation for the proposed MCA on 28 August 2009, IDA received comments from two respondents.
- 4. Having carefully reviewed the proposed MCA and taking into consideration the comments received from the respondents, IDA requires Nucleus Connect to revise certain terms of the proposed MCA before IDA grants approval.

- 5. Accordingly, IDA hereby requires Nucleus Connect to comply with the following:
 - (a) Pursuant to the RFP requirements, Nucleus Connect must within seven (7) days of the date of this notification, submit to IDA for review and approval, its proposed modifications to give effect to IDA's required modifications to Recital B as well as Clauses 9, 10, 22, 23, 24 and 29 of the proposed MCA. For the avoidance of doubt, to the extent that any ancillary or consequential modification to any provision in the proposed MCA is necessary in order to give effect to IDA's required modifications, IDA further requires Nucleus Connect to propose such modification(s) for IDA's review and approval; and
 - (b) In proposing modifications to the proposed MCA, IDA reminds Nucleus Connect that:
 - (i) to the extent that any of Nucleus Connect's proposed modifications fail to effectively implement IDA's required modifications or, in IDA's view, are not acceptable, IDA will require Nucleus Connect to incorporate specific language for the MCA; and
 - (ii) IDA will reject any proposed modification by Nucleus Connect that are not for the purpose of giving effect to IDA's required modifications as set out in this notification and accompanying explanatory memorandum.
- 6. Any clarification to this notification must be made in writing and marked for the attention of the undersigned and faxed to +65 6211-2116.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Haire

Deputy Director-General (Telecoms & Post)