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**ELECTRONIC LODGEMENT**

Dear Sir or Madam

**Appendix 3X – Initial Director's Interest Notice**

In accordance with the listing rules I enclose an Appendix 3X - Initial Director's Interest Notice for Mr Russell Higgins and Mr Steve Vamos.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C Mulhern', followed by a long horizontal flourish.

**Carmel Mulhern**  
Company Secretary

# Appendix 3X

## Initial Director's Interest Notice

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Introduced 30/9/2001.

|                       |                                    |
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| <b>Name of entity</b> | <b>Telstra Corporation Limited</b> |
| <b>ABN</b>            | <b>33 051 775 556</b>              |

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.1 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

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|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Name of Director</b>    | Russell Allan HIGGINS |
| <b>Date of appointment</b> | 15 September 2009     |

### Part 1 - Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is the registered holder

*In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust*

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

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|-----------------------------------------|
| <b>Number &amp; class of securities</b> |
| 5,320 Fully Paid Ordinary Shares        |

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#### Part 2 – Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is not the registered holder

*In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust*

| <b>Name of holder &amp; nature of interest</b><br><small>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</small> | <b>Number &amp; class of Securities</b> |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Clarity Research Pty Ltd                                                                                                                          | 17,672 Fully Paid Ordinary Shares       |

#### Part 3 – Director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

|                                                              |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| <b>Detail of contract</b>                                    | NIL |
| <b>Nature of interest</b>                                    | NIL |
| <b>Name of registered holder (if issued securities)</b>      | NIL |
| <b>No. and class of securities to which interest relates</b> | NIL |

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|                            |                     |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Name of Director</b>    | Steven Martin VAMOS |
| <b>Date of appointment</b> | 15 September 2009   |

### **Part 1 - Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is the registered holder**

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| NIL                                     |

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Steve and Karen Vamos<br>ATF Vamos Retirement Fund<br><br>Macquarie Issued Telstra Self<br>Funding Instalment Warrants                            | 24,021                                  |

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