

Appendix B

**Digital Television in Canberra, ACT
Broadcaster Features and Enhancements**

April 2005

Channel	Widescreen programming	*High Definition	Extra Channels	Digital Enhancements
Prime	Yes including news	HD channel test pattern Anticipated start in June 2005 of both prime time and day time programs	No	Yes – for digital enhancements (sports programs where broadcast) Now and Next
WIN	Yes except local news	4 week -day programs per day (non prime time) Sunday Business/Sunday Looking at adding a prime time program	No	Sports Active available from 9 Network (however need HTML on DSTB) Now and Next
Southern Cross Ten	Yes including news	Where HD program is available, will screen in prime time. Proposing to increase program screenings in near future	No	Now and Next Proposing to develop EPG
ABC	Yes including news (news/current affairs from February 2005)	Yes – up converted SD	Yes	Now and Next
SBS	Yes including news	Yes - up converted SD	Yes	Now and Next

* dedicated HD channels - Win, Southern Cross program screenings commenced in April 2005. Commercial broadcasters also screen HD programs on SD; National broadcasters up convert SD on their HD channels (ACTIM: April 2005)

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