

# BUILDING FIBRE HOW HARD COULD IT BE?

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# WHY BUILD ANOTHER FIBRE NETWORK?

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# TPG MOBILE NETWORK

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# PAPERWORK

Carrier License  
Legal Intercept  
TIO

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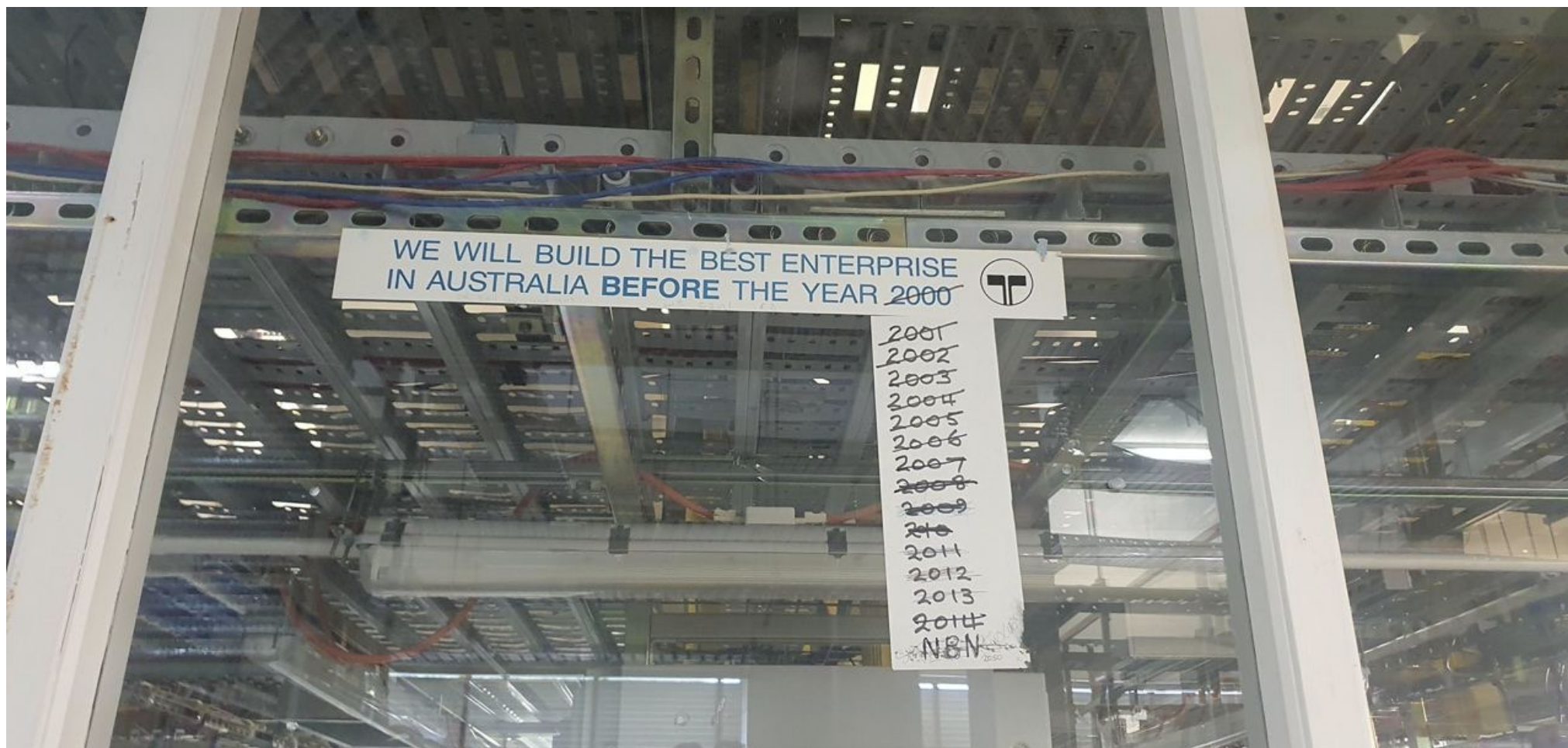
# WHERE ARE WE PUTTING THE CABLE?

Underwater  
Build Duct  
Power Poles  
Telstra Duct  
NBNCo Duct

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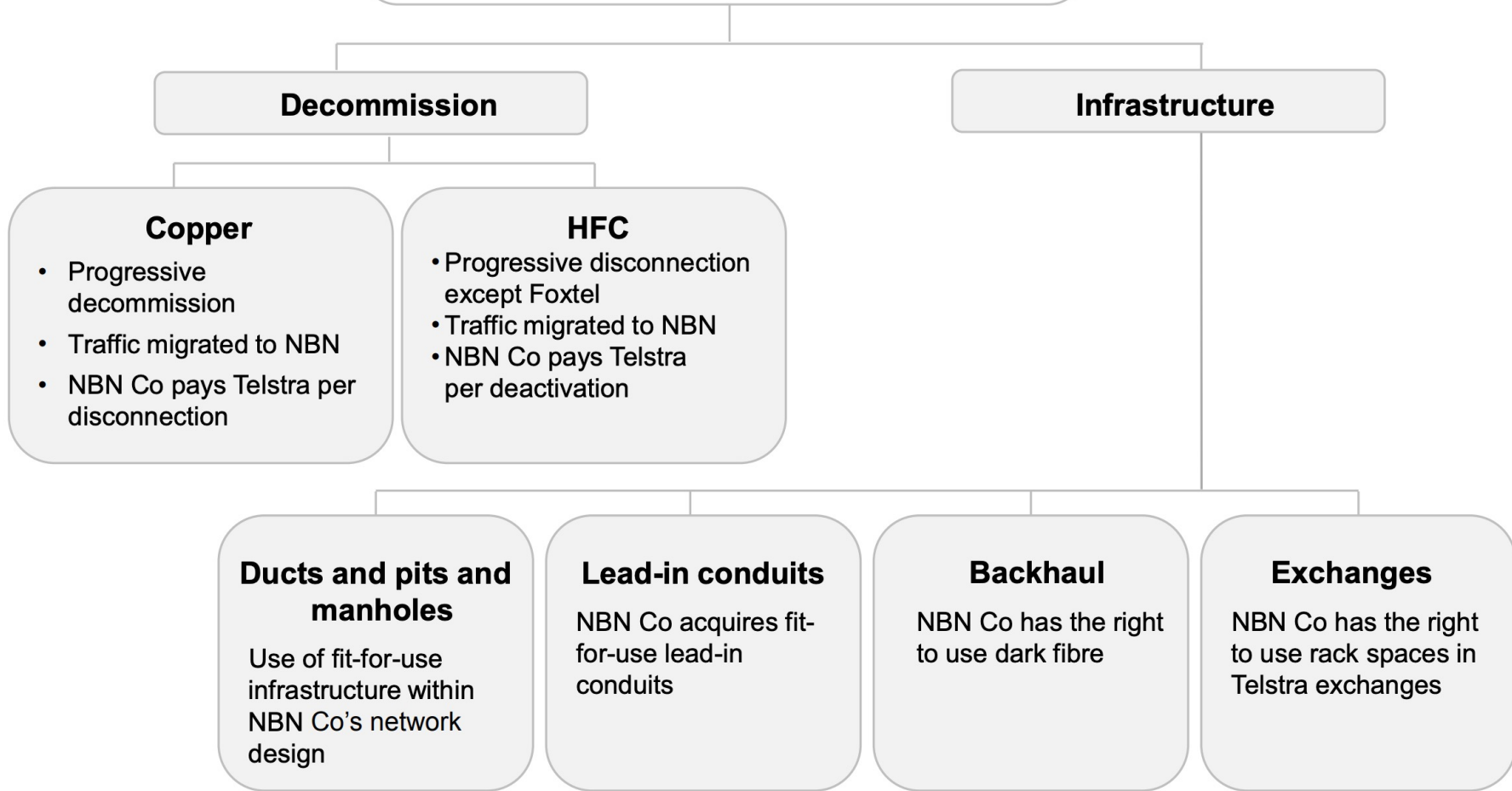


# TELSTRA AND NBN





JUN 2011



# VOCUS FEARS TELSTRA DUCT EVICTION

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## **New space race is underground.**

Vocus Fibre has raised concerns that it and other lessees of Telstra duct space could be forcibly evicted to make way for NBN Co.

ITNEWS SEP 2011

<https://www.itnews.com.au/news/vocus-fears-telstra-duct-eviction-275026>

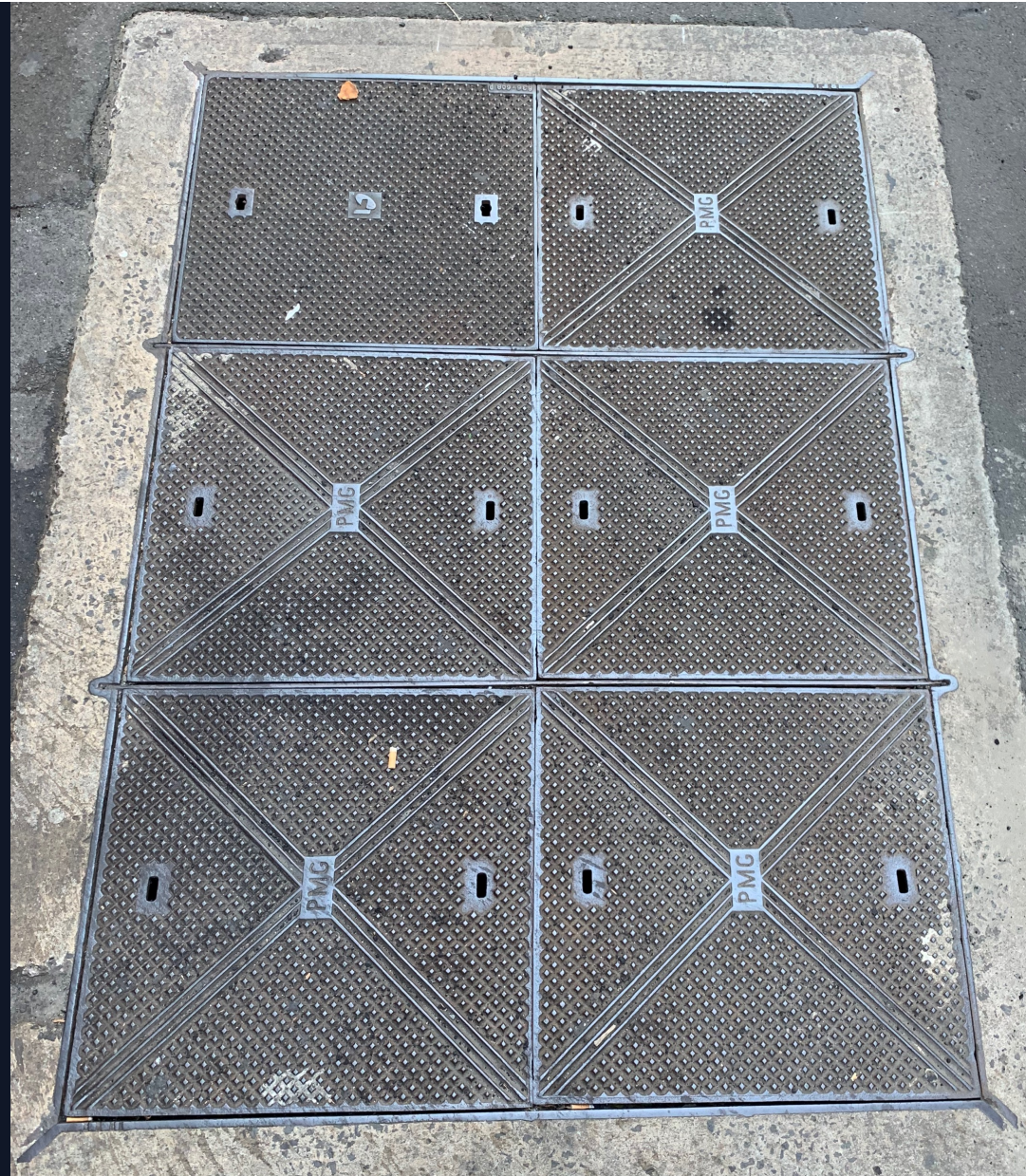


# GREEN SPAGHETTI MONSTER



# TELSTRA DUCTS AND TUNNELS 370,000 KM

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# TELSTRA TUNNELS

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G.P.O.  
1890



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1452. GEORGE ST. SYDNEY FROM MARTIN PLACE LOOKING S. (H King Syd)

# THE TELEPHONE TUNNELS

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1892	G.P.O. to Moore St, Pitt St to Castlereagh St	700ft (200m)	£3,330
1895	Moore St to Exchange in Bridge St	1478ft (450m)	£4,444
-	Moore St to York St and on to Clarence St	1530ft (466m)	£3,413
1896	G.P.O. to Park St, Park St to Goulburn St, Goulburn St to the Railway Station	6977ft (2126m)	£17,974
	Castlereagh St to King St near St James Church	1128ft (343m)	£2,804
	Clarence, Kent and Liverpool St	3920ft (1194m)	£9,456
			£41,421
		4579m	\$6,694,097.79
			<b>\$1,462 per metre</b>

PITT ST TUNNEL  
1897

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**A GOVERNMENT  
BUNGLE.**

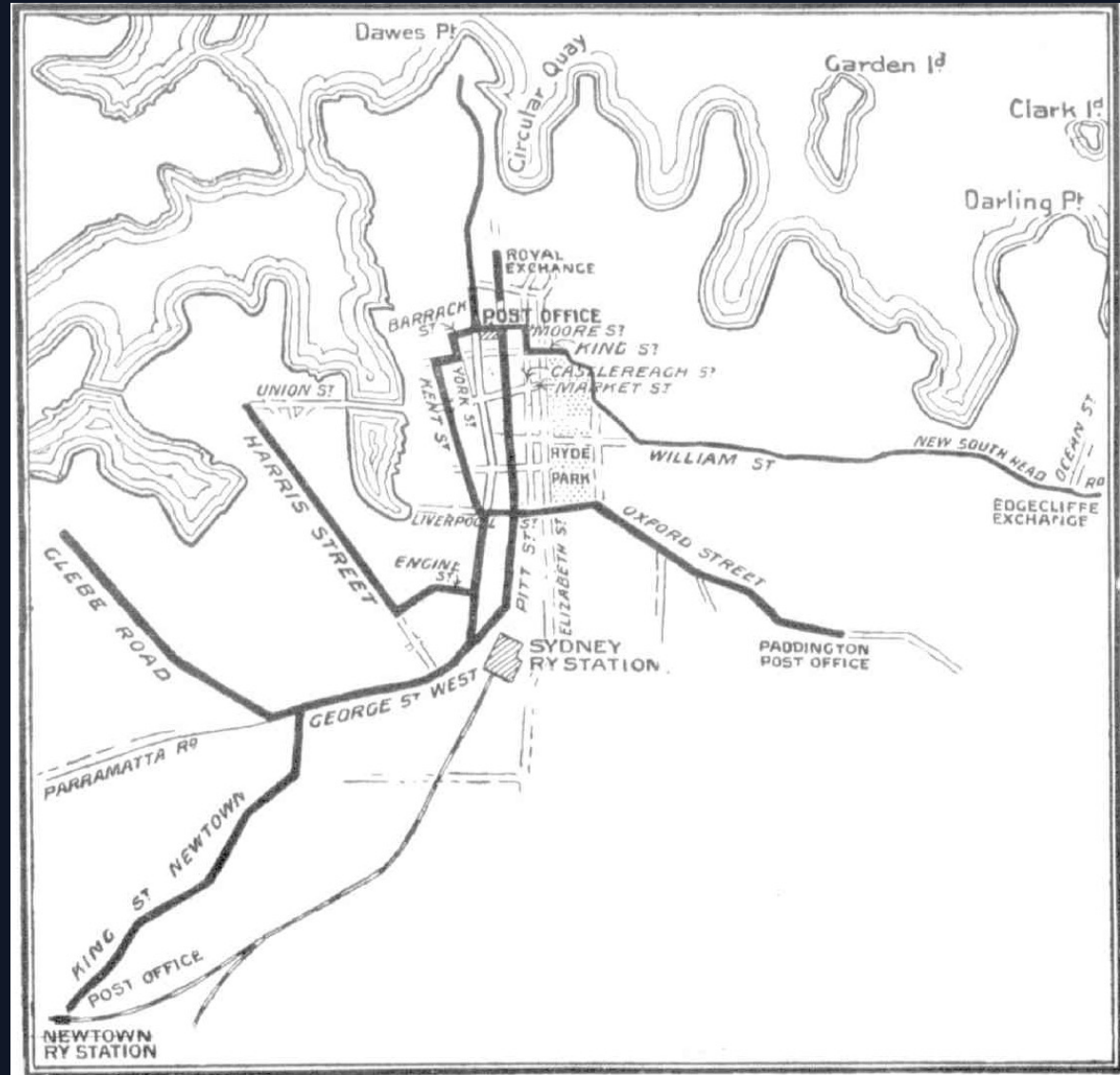
**THE TELEPHONE TUNNEL.**

**PITT-STREET FOOTPATH SUP-  
PORTED BY ROTTEN TIMBER.**

**DANGER OF A COLLAPSE.**

**Will Cost Thousands to Rectify.**

# TUNNEL MAP 1911



1920



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<https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-163027274/view>



1960



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<https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-163027274/view>

TELSTRA DUCTS  
WHERE ARE THEY?  
MODERN API



Source: LinkedIn

# MICROSOFT WORD + EMAIL

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## Forms

- [Duct Access Application Form TP\\_ADR\\_C0\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 3MB\)](#)
- [Duct Access-study-request C0\\_D0\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 137KB\)](#)
- [Completion Inspection form\\_JCI\\_ICI\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 114KB\)](#)
- [DCP\\_Design Construction\\_proposal\\_M0\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 126KB\)](#)
- [CFD\\_Form\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 105KB\)](#)
- [Joint field-inspection request F0 June 2021 \(DOC, 98KB\)](#)
- [Duct\\_cancellation\\_request\\_CA\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 113KB\)](#)
- [Duct cancellation-compliance-inspection-form\\_CCI\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 136KB\)](#)
- [Manhole and Pit Layout Template \(DOC, 249KB\)](#)
- [Carrier\\_Evidence\\_Request\\_Form\\_June 2021 \(DOC, 37KB\)](#)
- [EIC Study Request Form \(DOC, 28KB\)](#)

# FIRST NEXTHOP DUCT STUDY

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Ducts Available	107 (m)
Ducts Unavailable	1,314 (m)
Bare Fibre	208 (m)

# CALL THE LANDLORD



# STUFF

Cable, Tags & Tape,  
Joints, Pit Lids, Wall  
Boxes, Panels

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# CTRL-C / CTRL-V



# CABLE

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CORES	DIAMETER	MAX DRUM
12 sm@rt	10mm	12km
12 MLT	6.3mm	12km
72 sm@rt	10.7mm	12km
72 MLT	6.3mm	12km
144 MLT	13.5mm	12km
144 sm@rt	8.4mm	12km
312 sm@rt	16.5mm	10km
360 FLEX	13.5mm	5km
720 FLEX	16.5mm	5km
1728 FLEX	28mm	5km





# MONETISE THE RISERS / TIO

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Common Overseas

Telecommunications Act –  
Low Impact Facility / IBSCE

License Agreements

PIPE Networks Pty Ltd v  
Commonwealth  
Superannuation  
Corporation



# HAND DIGGING



# RESTORATION COST

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BLUE STONE                      \$1000/m<sup>2</sup>

NORTH SYDNEY  
SANDSTONE                      \$3000/m<sup>2</sup>

PERTH                              \$4000/m<sup>2</sup>



# GOOD NEWS / BAD NEWS



# PAVERS BEFORE / AFTER



# BROKEN PIT LIDS



# MORE BROKEN PIT LIDS



# OBSTRUCTION





# RISERS



# DATACENTRES

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May 2018 – Google Street View

# ALEXANDRIA



# NIMBY



THANK YOU

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