



News Update

C and P programs

Programs granted C and P classification between 23 March and 22 May 2002. Producers interested in submitting programs for classification should contact the ABA's Children's Television section on (02) 9334 7700.

Program title	Origin	Class	New/renewal	Decision dated	Applicant
GUINEVERE JONES (EPISODES 1 TO 13)	Australia	CD	new	3/5/2002	Crawford Productions Pty Ltd
HILDEGARDE	Australia	CD	new	26/4/2002	Nice Pictures
WORST BEST FRIENDS	Australia	CD	new	4/4/2002	CoxKnight Productions Pty Ltd

C – children's program, CD – C Australian drama program, P – preschool program, Class. – Classification

To date, the ABA has issued over 170 licences for the retransmission of services and in excess of 200 licences under the replacement of obsolete equipment aspect of the program.

Finally, areas where no analog retransmission solution is available are considered to fall within the scope of the alternative technical solutions initiative, which was announced as an election commitment in *Broadcasting for the 21st Century* and formalised in the Budget for 2002 - 2003. In

excess of 30 EOIs are considered to fall within this category.

The map below identifies the areas of Australia from where applications were lodged for either new services or the replacement of obsolete equipment under the TVBSP.

