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OSA Risk Assessment for BATC

Kind of priority illegal content	Risk level for illegal content	Risk factors considered	Additional characteristics considered	Existing controls considered	Evidence
Terrorism	Low	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to promulgate illegal material or be used to incite offences. Experience is that this has never occurred and if it did, users would spot it immediately.	The BATC members and other users of its online services are mostly holders of amateur radio licences, a predominantly older group at lower risk of online harm than the general population	Users of the Forum, Wiki and streaming services are registered. Chat service users can be anonymous.	There have been no instances of *any* illegal use of BATC online services. Over the last 10 years, there was one instance of 'Spam' posting and about three instances of unpleasant messages being sent on the chat facility. All of this was dealt with promptly.
Child sexual exploitation and abuse	Low	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Experience is that this has never occurred and if it did, users would spot it immediately.	As above	As above	There have been no instances of *any* illegal use of BATC online services.

Image based child sexual abuse material	Low	As above	As above	As above	As above
Child sexual abuse material URLs	Low	The Forum and Wiki could be used to post URLs of abuse material.	As above	As above	As above
Grooming (child sexual abuse and exploitation)	Negligible	Given the BATC user demographic and the very open nature of the BATC services, it is extremely unlikely that anyone would attempt child grooming	As above	As above	As above
Hate	Low	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Experience is that this has never occurred and if it did, users would spot it immediately.	As above	As above	As above
Harassment, stalking, threats and abuse	Low	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences.	As above	As above	Over the last 10 years, there were about three instances of unpleasant (not illegal) messages being sent on the chat facility. All of this was dealt with promptly.
Controlling or coercive behaviour	Negligible	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Given the BATC user demographic and the very open nature of the BATC services, it is extremely unlikely that anyone would attempt to do this.	As above	As above	There have been no instances of *any* illegal use of BATC online services.

Intimate image abuse	Negligible	As above	As above	As above	As above
Extreme pornography	Negligible	As above	As above	As above	As above
Sexual exploitation of adults	Negligible	As above	As above	As above	As above
Human trafficking	Negligible	As above	As above	As above	As above
Unlawful immigration	Negligible	As above	As above	As above	As above
Fraud and financial services offences	Low	The Forum, could be used to facilitate offences as items can be offered for sale. There is little use of this facility. Items sold are technical equipment.	As above	As above	As above
Proceeds of crime	Low	As above	As above	As above	As above
Drugs and psychoactive substances	Low	As above	As above	As above	As above
Firearms, knives and other weapons	Low	As above	As above	As above	As above
Encouraging or assisting suicide	Negligible	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Given the technical nature of BATC material, this content would be entirely out of place and users would spot it immediately	As above	As above	As above

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Foreign interference offence	Negligible	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Experience is that this has never occurred and if it did, users would spot it immediately.	As above	As above	As above
Animal cruelty	Negligible	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Given the technical nature of BATC material, this content would be entirely out of place and users would spot it immediately	As above	As above	As above
Other illegal content	Low	The Forum, Wiki, online streaming and chat services could all be used to facilitate offences. Experience is that this has never occurred and if it did, users would spot it immediately.	As above	As above	As above

Throughout this risk assessment, it has been noted that the DXSot.TV service is very specific in the nature of content that can be posted and thus represents negligible risk for the promulgation of any form of illegal content.

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