

# BSA DECISIONS ISSUED SUMMARY for the Quarter January to March 2008

Upheld							
No.	Complainant	Broadcaster	Programme	Nature of the complaint	Standards	Finding	Order
2007-093	Price	TVNZ	<i>One News</i>	Item misrepresented the Electoral Finance Bill	Accuracy	Upheld	No Order
2007-094	Price	TVWorks	<i>3 News</i>	Item misrepresented the Electoral Finance Bill	Accuracy	Upheld	No Order
2007-056	Wellington City council	RNZ	<i>Morning Report</i>	Item discussing proposal by WCC to scrap free weekend parking allegedly unbalanced, inaccurate, unfair	Balance, accuracy, fairness	Upheld (accuracy, fairness)	Broadcast of a statement
2007-087	RT	TVNZ	<i>Sunday</i>	Current affairs item unfair, unbalanced, inaccurate, and in breach of privacy and programme information standards	Privacy, balance, accuracy, fairness, programme information	Upheld (accuracy and fairness, majority)	No Order
2007-102	Shieffelbien	RadioWorks	The Edge	Prank call to National Poisons Centre allegedly socially irresponsible	Social responsibility	Upheld	Broadcast of a statement
2007-092	Livesey	TelstraClear Ltd	<i>9 Songs</i>	Movie contained explicit unsimulated sex. Allegedly in breach of programme classification and good taste and decency	Standard P1 (content classification, warning and filtering) and Standard P2 (good taste and decency)	Upheld	No Order

Not Upheld							
No.	Complainant	Broadcaster	Programme	Nature of the complaint	Standards	Finding	
2007-112	Whaanga-Kipa	Maori Television	<i>Native Affairs</i>	Item on Trust's work with people with alcohol/drug issues inaccurate and unfair	Accuracy, fairness	Not upheld	
2007-118A	Watson	RNZ	<i>Ideas: Cut or UnCut</i>	Item about proposed government funding of male circumcision unbalanced	Balance	Not upheld	
2007-118B	Young	RNZ	<i>Ideas: Cut or UnCut</i>	Item about proposed government funding of male circumcision unbalanced	Balance	Not upheld	
2007-096	Cleave	TVNZ	<i>Nailed, Sorted, Exposed</i>	Item on man's attempt to get camera repaired unbalanced, inaccurate and unfair	Balance, accuracy, fairness	Not upheld	
2007-103	Peapell	TVNZ	<i>Fair Go</i>	Item on real estate contract allegedly unfair, unbalanced, inaccurate	Balance, accuracy, fairness	Not upheld	
2007-110	Truong	TVNZ	<i>Fair Go</i>	Item on elderly woman's purchase of expensive vacuum cleaner allegedly unbalanced, unfair and inaccurate	Balance, Fairness Accuracy	Not upheld	
2007-109	Lewis	TVNZ	<i>Coastwatch</i>	Episode featured man caught with undersized paua, allegedly unfair and breach of privacy	Fairness, privacy	Not upheld	
2007-142	Smith	TVNZ	<i>Facelift</i>	Skit featuring "Ray", stingray that killed Steve Irwin, allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld	
2007-121	Smith	TVNZ	<i>Facelift</i>	Skit featuring person acting as Camilla Parker Bowles allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld	
2007-100	Guard	RNZ	<i>Nine to Noon</i>	Book reading contained language of a sexual nature	Good taste and decency	Not upheld	
2007-129A	McCoskrie	TVWorks	<i>Californication</i>	Fictional series contained swear words, sex scenes and implied drug use. Allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld	
2007-129B	Baker	TVWorks	<i>Californication</i>	Fictional series contained swear words, sex scenes and implied drug use. Allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld	

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2007-129C	Taylor	TVWorks	<i>Californication</i>	Fictional series contained swear words, sex scenes and implied drug use. Allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2007-129D	Kinney	TVWorks	<i>Californication</i>	Fictional series contained swear words, sex scenes and implied drug use. Allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2007-129E	O'Leary	TVWorks	<i>Californication</i>	Fictional series contained swear words, sex scenes and implied drug use. Allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2007-136	Kuehn	TVNZ	<i>One News</i>	Item allegedly showed man's testicles	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2008-006	Goldingham	TVNZ	<i>What Now?</i>	"Grossology" episode allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2007-132	Lawrence	TVNZ	<i>Benidorm</i>	Character's comment about his wife's vagina allegedly in breach of good taste and decency	Good taste and decency	Not upheld
2007-101	Seymour	TVNZ	<i>Breakfast</i>	Interviewee made remarks about Maori and child abuse	Good taste and decency, balance, accuracy	Not upheld
2007-122	Henderson	TVNZ	<i>How to Look Good Naked</i>	Footage of women with bare breasts and in their underwear allegedly in breach of good taste and decency and children's interests standards	Good taste and decency, children's interests	Not upheld
2007-116	Cheyne	TVNZ	<i>How to Look Good Naked</i>	Footage of women with bare breasts and naked allegedly in breach of good taste and decency and children's interests standards	Good taste and decency, children's interests	Not upheld
2007-117	McArthur	TVNZ	<i>How to Look Good Naked</i>	Footage of women with bare breasts and naked allegedly in breach of good taste and decency and children's interests standards	Good taste and decency, fairness, programme information, children's interests	Not upheld
2007-137	McClean	TVWorks	<i>3 News</i>	Re-enactment of crime was violent	Good taste and decency, law and order, children's interests, violence, programme information	Not upheld
2007-113	Harvey	RadioWorks	<i>Radio Live</i>	Host likened appearance of talent show contestant to person with disability	Good taste and decency, social responsibility	Not upheld
2007-141	PB	TVWorks	<i>South Park</i>	Prank involving cartoon character trying to put his penis in other character's mouth	Good taste and decency, violence	Not upheld
2007-127	Stranaghan	TVNZ	<i>Benidorm</i> promo	Promo showed man being slapped in the face by two women. Allegedly in breach of law and order, children's interests and violence standards	Law and order, children's interests, violence	Not upheld
2007-090	Peapell	TVNZ	<i>Fair Go</i>	Item on real estate contract allegedly unfair, unbalanced, inaccurate, and in breach of privacy and programme information standards	Privacy, balance, accuracy, fairness, programme information	Not upheld
2007-111	Kiro	TVNZ	<i>One News</i>	News item showing autopsy photos of dead child allegedly in breach of good taste and decency, fairness, privacy, programme classification, children's interests and violence standards	Privacy, fairness, programme classification, children's interests, good taste and decency, violence	Not upheld
2007-115	Roberts	TVNZ	<i>The Tudors</i> promo	Sexual content of promo allegedly in breach of programme classification and children's interests standard	Programme classification, children's interests	Not upheld
2007-139	Botur	TRN	Radio Hauraki	Skit used the word "faggot", allegedly denigratory	Social responsibility	Not upheld