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ABC TV CONGRATULATES WINNERS OF TODAY'S AACTA AWARDS

ABC talent shone today at the 6th AACTA Awards ceremony presented at the Industry Luncheon. ABC TV wishes to congratulate all the nominees and winners whose vision and talents make up an extraordinarily strong TV industry in Australia.

Richard Finlayson, ABC Director of Television, said: "The AACTA Awards are Australia's highest industry honour and today's successes are a testament to the rich and diverse range of content we offer our audience.

"These awards reinforce the importance of ABC's role in commissioning quality Australian stories. I'm happy to say that we are confident 2017's programming slate is every bit as great!"

The ABC TV winners were:

AACTA AWARD FOR BEST GUEST OR SUPPORTING ACTRESS IN A TELEVISION DRAMA

Celia Pacquola *THE BEAUTIFUL LIE Episode 3* – ABC

AACTA AWARD FOR BEST DIRECTION IN A TELEVISION DRAMA OR COMEDY

RAKE Episode 8 Peter Duncan ADG – ABC

AACTA AWARD FOR BEST SOUND IN TELEVISION

RAKE Episode 7 Guntis Sics ASSG, Michol Marsh, Peter Hall, Olivia Monteith – ABC

AACTA AWARD FOR BEST DOCUMENTARY TELEVISION PROGRAM

HITTING HOME Nial Fulton, Sarah Ferguson, Ivan O'Mahoney – ABC

AACTA AWARD FOR BEST HAIR AND MAKEUP

CLEVERMAN Kath Brown, Simon Joseph, Troy Follington – ABC

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