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Foxtel Group statement on comments by Group CEO Patrick Delany

The Foxtel Group released the following statement regarding comments made by Patrick Delany, Group Chief Executive Officer, at the Australian premiere of *House of the Dragon*.

“Mr Delany’s welcome remarks at the *House of the Dragon* premiere were intended to be self-deprecating and light-hearted.

“The aim was to convey that for him, *Game of Thrones* had been something very different for television in 2011 and that Emilia Clarke went from relatively unknown to one of the most recognised and most-loved actors in television and film.

“On behalf of Mr Delany, the Foxtel Group apologises if his remarks were misunderstood and caused any offence.”