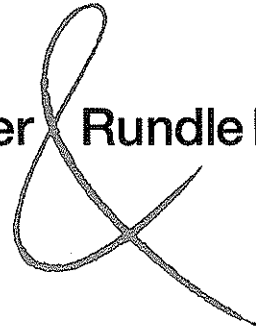


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Dear Ms Russell

Re: Draft Part XIC Procedural Rules 2008

We act on behalf of Chime Communications Pty Ltd (**Chime**).

Chime has been involved in several access disputes arbitrated by the Commission. These disputes have frequently been subject to unfortunate and costly delays that have negatively affected Chime's ability to compete in telecommunications markets and to provide services to end-users on reasonable terms.

Chime considers that the *Draft Part XIC Procedural Rules 2008* are a practical and positive step forward in providing the Commission with methods and processes to prevent the use of gaming techniques in access disputes and undertakings, which should speed up the determination process.

Chime supports the *Draft Part XIC Procedural Rules 2008*.

Yours faithfully 
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