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Mr. Anthony Wing  
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Copy to: Mr. Simon Ormsby, General Manager Commercial, ARTC

Dear Anthony

**Re: ARTC Hunter Valley Network Access Undertaking**

Please find attached Xstrata Coal's submission made in response to the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission's (ACCC's) Consultation Paper of 16<sup>th</sup> September 2010 in relation to the ARTC Hunter Valley Access Undertaking.

Finalising the Access Undertaking is an urgent and important initiative towards concluding the commercial reforms governing access to rail and port infrastructure in the Hunter Valley. Xstrata welcomes the opportunity to provide this submission and looks forward to concluding the proposed access arrangements with ARTC and the Hunter Valley coal industry in a timely fashion.

Please do not hesitate to contact me on 0419 447 020 with any queries in relation to this submission.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anthony Pitt', written in a cursive style.

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