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Dear Ms Haddock

Australasian Performing Right Association Ltd application for revocation of authorisations A91367 – A91375 and substitution of new authorisation AA1000433— Pre-decision conference

The Council of Small Business Organisations Australia (COSBOA) has requested that the ACCC convene a conference in relation to the draft determination issued by the ACCC on 5 June proposing to grant re-authorisation to APRA, subject to conditions.

A pre-decision conference provides an opportunity for applicants and interested parties to make oral submissions to the ACCC about its draft determination.

The ACCC will hold the conference in the morning of **19 July 2019**. ACCC Commissioner Sarah Court will chair the conference. The ACCC will provide further details about the venue and start time closer to the date.

Under the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* (the Act), the applicant and other interested parties may attend the conference. Please advise the ACCC of the names of APRA's representatives who will be attending and their position titles, and indicate who will be APRA's chief spokesperson. Please provide this information by email to adjudication@acc.gov.au by **5.00pm on 8 July 2019**.

Please note that while conference participants may bring outside legal or other professional advisers to assist them, under the Act these advisers are not entitled to participate in conference discussions.

Attached for your information are procedures usually followed at pre-decision conferences.

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Tessa Cramond on 03 9658 6516 or adjudication@acc.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "DChanning". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

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