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Mr Matthew Schroder  
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Australian Competition and Consumer Commission  
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Dear Mr Schroder

**Hunter Valley Coal Network Access Undertaking (HVAU)  
Revenue allocation review  
ARTC Submission to ACCC Discussion Paper**

ARTC welcomes the opportunity to provide a public submission in response to your Discussion Paper.

ARTC's submission accompanies this letter, and seeks to provide a more comprehensive explanation of the application of the Floor and Ceiling Revenue Limits under the HVAU and resulting revenue and cost recovery impacts. ARTC has also sought to provide information in relation to transparency on this matter during earlier consultation on the HVAU and associated Pricing Principles as well as its views in relation to extent of transparency, compliance with the HVAU, efficiency and equity considerations and other impacts relevant to this Review.

Please note that ARTC has also forwarded a copy of its submission to relevant Hunter Valley stakeholders in order to further inform this review.

If you have any queries in relation to this submission, please contact me directly on (08) 8217 4314 or Kylie Gallasch, General Manager Commercial on 08 82174239.

Yours sincerely

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