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Matthew Schroder
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Australian Competition and Consumer Commission
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Dear Mr Schroder

Consultation on the proposed extension and variation to the Australian Rail Track Corporation (ARTC) 2008 Interstate Access Undertaking

Pacific National welcomes and supports the ARTC's application to vary and extend the termination date of its 2008 Interstate Access Undertaking to 21 December 2018.

It is our understanding that ARTC has now filed its detailed information response to the ACCC's notice issued pursuant to subsection 44ZZBCA(1) of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010*. Given the lack of detailed information provided by ARTC to date, Pacific National requests the ACCC provide stakeholders with access to ARTC's information response. Only then will stakeholders be able to provide the ACCC with detailed and meaningful comments on the 2018 IAU.

As identified in an earlier submission, Pacific National reserves its right to make further submissions on the 2018 IAU.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this submission.

Yours sincerely

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