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From: Bray, Steve
Sent: Tuesday, 24 May 2011 1:14 PM
To: Pomery, Simon
Subject: RE: Letter to Clubs Australia [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Thanks Simon,

Good letter - Two suggestions in markup. One is a format issue re the date and the other is whether we say ACL or Act.....

Steve

From: Pomery, Simon
Sent: Tuesday, 24 May 2011 12:57 PM
To: Bray, Steve
Subject: Letter to Clubs Australia [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Steve,

Let me know if you have any comments.

The original letter is at D11/1472616

Cheers

Simon

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Mr Brian Cassidy,
Chief Executive Officer,
The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission,
GPO Box 3131,
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CONSUMER COMMISSION
CANBERRA

19 MAY 2011

Dear Mr Cassidy,

On 12 April this year, Senator Nick Xenophon issued a media release stating that he had lodged a complaint with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) regarding an advertisement placed by ClubsAustralia in several metropolitan newspapers on 11 April.

I understand Mr Xenophon has provided the ACCC with what he considers to be misleading comments in the advertisement as well as statements as to why they are inaccurate.

Given Member for Denison Andrew Wilkie has now released his gambling report confirming the need for Australians to register for a gambling card, is the ACCC in a position to rule on Mr Xenophon's claim?

I am willing to provide any information required to assist the ACCC in making this determination.

ClubsAustralia is keen to have the matter resolved given the claim of misleading behaviour alleged by Senator Xenophon.

Yours sincerely,

Anthony Ball,
Executive Director

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