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Dear Mr Wright

Authorisation AA1000414 and AA100020 submitted by Council Solutions & Ors – request for material to be excluded from the public register

I refer to Council Solutions' response to a submission regarding the above listed applications for authorisation (the compostable bags submission), provided to the ACCC on 24 July 2018.

I have considered your request that the confidential version of your submission be excluded from the ACCC's public register.

As you are aware, the ACCC is generally required under section 89 of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* (the **Act**) to place documents provided to it in relation to an application for authorisation on the ACCC's public register. The Act provides that a person submitting a document in relation to an authorisation application may request that the document or parts thereof be excluded from the public register by reason of the nature of certain information contained in the document.

As a person authorised to make a decision for and on behalf of the ACCC in relation to such a request, I advise that the confidential version of your submission will not be placed on the public register.

I note that you have also provided a public register version of your submission. The public register version of your submission will be placed on the public register in the form it was provided to the ACCC.

A copy of this letter will also be placed on the 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 via email (adjudication@acc.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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