Our ref: AA1000414
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Dear Mr Wright

Council Solutions application for authorisation AA1000414 (Kerbside Collection) — Pre-Decision Conference

A number of parties have requested that the Australian Competition & Consumer Commission (the **ACCC**) convene a conference in relation to the draft determination issued by the ACCC on 20 July 2018 proposing to grant authorisation AA1000414.

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 on **Monday 27 August 2018** at the **Cliftons Adelaide, (**Level 1, 80 King William St, Adelaide). The conference will commence at **10am.** Commissioner Sarah Court will chair the conference.

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 Council Solutions representatives who will be attending and their position titles, and indicate who will be Council Solutions' chief spokesperson. Please provide this information by email to adjudication@accc.gov.au by **COB 20 August 2018.**

Please note that while conference participants may bring outside legal or other professional advisers to assist them, the Act prohibits these advisers from participating in conference discussions.

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

A copy of this letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you require any further information in regard to the conference, please do not hesitate to contact Tessa Cramond on 03 9658 6516.

Yours sincerely

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