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*By email only*

Dear Sir/Madam

**Virgin Australia and Virgin Atlantic application for authorisation AA1000443 – Final determination**

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the **ACCC**) has issued a determination in respect of the application for authorisation lodged by Virgin Australia and Virgin Atlantic on 3 June 2019.

The ACCC's determination grants authorisation for the applicants to cooperate in relation to services between Australia and the UK/Ireland via a mutual mid-point for a period of five years, until 30 November 2024.

A copy of the ACCC's draft determination and summary of its reasons is available on the ACCC's [public register](#).

**Application for review**

Pursuant to section 101 of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010, a person dissatisfied with this determination may apply to the Australian Competition Tribunal for its review. An application for review must be made within 21 days of the date of this determination; that is, on or before 29 November 2019. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 30 November 2019.

An application for review of the ACCC's determination should be lodged directly with the Australian Competition Tribunal. The Australian Competition Tribunal is a separate body from the ACCC and is located within the Federal Court of Australia.

For further information about the process involved in reviewing decisions in the Australian Competition Tribunal please refer to the tribunal's website located at <http://www.competitiontribunal.gov.au/>.

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter please do not hesitate to contact Kobi Maybury on 02 6243 1222.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "DChanning". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping loop at the end of the name.

Darrell Channing  
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