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Dear Interested Party

Re: Tyre Stewardship Australia Ltd application for revocation of authorisation AA1000409 and substitution of AA1000655 – final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the **ACCC**) has issued a determination in respect of the application for authorisation lodged Tyre Stewardship Australia Ltd (TSA) on 4 December 2023 (revocation and substitution). TSA sought authorisation to allow for the continuation of the national Tyre Product Stewardship Scheme, pursuant to the Guidelines for the Scheme. The Scheme is a voluntary, industry-led program with the primary aim of increasing the recycling rate of end-of-life tyres.

A copy of the ACCC's determination is attached, including a summary of its reasons. For the reasons set out in its determination, the ACCC has decided to grant authorisation for 3 years with a condition. The ACCC's assessment is set out in Chapter 4 of its determination.

Application for review

Pursuant to section 101 of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* (Cth), 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 23 September 2024. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 24 September 2024.

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 have any questions or wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Ben Janover on 03 9290 1813 or exemptions@accc.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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