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## By email

Dear Sir/Madam

## National Retail Association application for authorisation AA1000512 — final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (**ACCC**) has granted authorisation until 1 September 2021 to allow the applicants and their tenant members to collectively negotiate and share non sensitive information when negotiating rent relief in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Applicants' landlord members can share information and enter agreements with other landlords in order to facilitate rent relief.

A copy of the ACCC's final determination is attached and is also available on the <u>ACCC's</u> <u>public register</u>.

This letter has also been placed on the ACCC's public register.

## Next steps

The final determination was made on 6 August 2020. If no application for review of the determination is made to the Australian Competition Tribunal, the authorisation will come into force on 28 August 2020.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Sam Strudwick-Day on (02) 9230 9159.

Yours sincerely

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