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**From:** Ayres Lisa  
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**Subject:** Application for authorisation of Joint Marketing by PNG Gas Producers  
**Importance:** High

'Marjory Morris'; 'McCleary, Bruce (QNI-Yabulu)'; 'Michael WILTON'; 'Gibson, Belinda'; 'Jacqueline A Pittman'; 'White, Bruce'; 'andy.carroll@interoil.com.au'; 'hbrady@mosaicoil.com'; 'indermaurc@qal.com.au'; 'r.oharra@dme.qld.gov.au'I refer to previous correspondence dated 12 September 2000 relating to an application for authorisation of joint marketing by PNG gas producers.

The applicants have provided a further statement in support of their application - a description of Santos' involvement in the PNG Gas Project.

This paper sets out the various Santos business units throughout Australia and South East Asia and describes the ring fencing procedures in place to restrict the flow of confidential information between them.

Given that a number of the submissions received by the Commission raised the need for ring fencing provisions, I attach the statement provided by the Applicants for your comment.

As most interested parties have encouraged the Commission to consider this matter as expeditiously as possible, I seek your comments on the proposed ring fencing arrangements by no later than midday on Tuesday 3 October 2000. Depending on the nature of any issues raised in these submissions, the Commission intends to formally consider this application for interim authorisation on Wednesday 4 October 2000.

It would greatly assist the Commission if you could e-mail submissions to [lisa.ayres@acc.gov.au](mailto:lisa.ayres@acc.gov.au) and provide a signed hard copy in the mail. The Commission will place all submissions on the public register unless confidentiality is requested. If making a claim for confidentiality, please provide both a public version and a confidential version of your submission (with the confidential sections clearly marked).

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