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Dear Mr Greenwood

**Re: Notification No N50144, Rugby World Cup Ltd**

The above notification was received by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the Commission) on 27 September 2002, and has been placed on the Commission's public register.

Immunity for the notified conduct commenced on 11 October 2002.

You have described the notified conduct as supplying the opportunity and granting a licence to provide hospitality services in connection with Rugby World Cup 2003 (RWC 2003) on the condition that:

- the products of official sponsors and partners of or official suppliers to and official licensees in relation to RWC 2003 approved by Rugby World Cup Limited (RWCL) in particular product categories be used and/or promoted exclusively by the appointed hospitality services provider and caterers which it engages in providing the relevant services; and
- the appointed hospitality services provider utilise such caterers as RWCL may direct in relation to the provision of relevant services within the environs of stadia at which RWC 2003 matches will be held;

and the giving effect to each of the obligations referred to above.

On the basis of the information that you have provided, it is not intended that further action be taken in this matter at this stage.



As with any notification, please note that the Commission may act to remove the immunity afforded by this notification at a later stage if it is satisfied that the public benefit arising from the notified conduct does not outweigh the public detriment arising from the conduct.

This letter has been placed on the Commission's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter further, please contact Gavin Jones on (02) 6243 1107.

Yours sincerely

Handwritten signature of Tim Grimwade, consisting of a stylized 'T' and 'G' followed by a cursive 'e'.

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