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Ms Danielle Staltari
Adjudication Branch
Australian Competition & Consumer Commission
PO Box 1199
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Dear Ms Staltari,

Application for Authorisation A90872 lodged by the Australian Stock Exchange in relation to Section 2 of the ASX Business Rules

I refer to the Commission's letter of 18 June 2003 from Mr Tim Grimwade in connection with the above application for authorisation.

I would like to register the Bank's interest in being consulted on the public benefits and detriments likely to result from section 2 of the ASX Business Rules. Please copy any subsequent notification from the Commission on this matter to Mr Richard Flynn at the Bank.

I also note that section 13 of the ASX Business Rules sets out procedures affording natural justice to Participating Organisations, Affiliates and Responsible Executives at first instance and on appeal. A similar process could be applied in relation to Rule 2.2.9.

Yours sincerely

Allan Moss

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