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Mr Chris Jose
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Dear Mr Jose

Notification of third line forcing lodged by MYOB Pty Ltd (N91311)

I refer to the third line forcing notification lodged by MYOB Pty Ltd with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission on 1 December 2003.

The notification details a proposed arrangement whereby MYOB proposes to offer the M-Powered Banking Services (MPBS) on the condition that the customer maintains a bank account and enters into an agreement with a financial institution with whom MYOB has an arrangement with respect to MPBS.

Legal immunity provided by the notification commenced on 15 December 2003.

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 likely benefit to the public from the conduct will not outweigh the likely detriment to the public from the conduct.



This letter has been placed on the Commission's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Susan Sullivan on 02 6243 1354.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T Grimwade', written in a cursive style.

Tim Grimwade
General Manager
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