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Kerrie Luscombe
Officeworks Superstores Pty Ltd
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Dear Ms Luscombe

**Re: Third line forcing notification No. N40911
lodged by Officeworks Superstores Pty Ltd**

I refer to the above third line forcing notifications lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 23 August 2005. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

Officeworks Superstores Pty Ltd has described the conduct as being:

"All Officeworks stores will provide to a customer the goods (being Vodaphone mobile network cards) at a price discounted by \$250 on the condition that they buy a notebook computer and also acquire the network services of Vodaphone Australia for a minimum period of one month. This promotion takes place over approximately 2 weeks from the 8th September 2005 to the 22nd September 2005."

Legal immunity conferred by the notification will come into force on 6 September 2005.

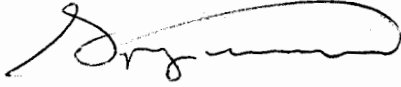
On the basis of the information that you have provided, it is not intended that further action be taken in this matter at this stage.

As with any notification, please note that the ACCC 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 ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Kerry Leigh Taylor on (02) 6243 1175.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott Gregson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Scott Gregson
A/g General Manager
Adjudication Branch