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Dear Mr Worsnop

**Third line forcing notification no. N40915 lodged by Bob Jane Corporation Pty Ltd**

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged by Bob Jane Corporation Pty Ltd (BJC) with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) on 31 August 2005. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

You describe the conduct as a requirement for franchisees to purchase goods from the franchisor or approved suppliers, other than in specific exceptional circumstances.

Legal immunity provided by the notification will commence on 13 September 2005.

On the basis of the information you have provided, it is not intended that further action be taken in this matter at the 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 public benefit to the public from the conduct will not outweigh the likely detriment to the public from this conduct.

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please contact Paul Jones on (07) 3835 4666.

Yours sincerely

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