

Letter sent to  
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List attached.

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23 November 2005

Dear ,

**Re: Proposed amendments to Council of Camden, Campbelltown City Council,  
Wollondilly Shire Council and Wingecarribee Shire Council Authorisation A90886  
- determination**

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) has issued a determination granting the application for a minor variation to the above authorisation.

Authorisation A90886 was originally granted by the ACCC on 16 December 2004. On 29 September 2005, the ACCC received an application for minor variation of authorisation A90886 from Council of Camden, Campbelltown City Council, Wollondilly Shire Council and Wingecarribee Shire Council (the Councils). The minor variation proposed by the Councils involves a variation to the period allowed in which the collective tender process is to be completed. The application seeks to vary this period from 12 to 18 months (to 7 July 2006).

Having considered the application and submissions from the Councils and interested parties, the ACCC has decided to grant the application for minor variation.

The ACCC is of the view that the variation would not result, or be likely not to result, in a reduction in the extent to which the benefit to the public of the authorisation outweighs any detriment to the public flowing from the authorisation.

*Application for review*

Pursuant to section 101 of the Trade Practices Act 1974, a person dissatisfied with this determination may apply to the Australian Competition Tribunal for its review. An application for review must be made within 21 days of the date of this determination; that is, on or before 14 December 2005. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 15 December 2005.

A copy of the determination is available on the ACCC's website at [www.accc.gov.au](http://www.accc.gov.au).

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter or would like a copy of the determination sent to you, please do not hesitate to contact Kerry Leigh Taylor on (02) 6243 1175.

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