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Mr Michel Gray
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Dear Mr Gray and Ms Klamka

**Re Qantas Airways Limited and Air New Zealand Limited - Withdrawal of
Applications for Authorisation – A91001-A91003**

Thank you for your letter of 15 November 2006 confirming Air New Zealand Limited has withdrawn the above joint applications for authorisation.

I confirm that in light of the withdrawal the ACCC will not proceed with its consideration of these applications. Accordingly the ACCC will not hold a pre-decision conference or issue a final determination in relation to this matter.

Should you have any queries about this matter, please contact Gina D'Ettorre on 03 9290 1483 or Carl Toohey on 03 9290 1480.

Yours sincerely

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