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Dianne O'Hara Company Secretary TransACT Capital Communications Pty Ltd PO Box 1006 Civic Square ACT 2608

Dear Ms O'Hara

Notification of proposed third line forcing conduct by TransACT Capital Communications Pty Ltd (N92693)

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged by TransACT Capital Communications Pty Ltd (TransACT) with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 13 November 2006. This notification has been placed on the public register. I note that related notifications were lodged by AGL ACT Retail Investments Pty Limited and ACTEW Retail Limited (hereinafter ActewAGL) on the same date.

This notification lodged by TransACT details a proposed arrangement whereby various rebates and/or benefits will be offered to consumers within the greater Jerrabomberra and Queanbeyan regions of New South Wales who acquire certain services from TransACT (telephony or ISP), on condition that they also acquire certain gas and electricity services from ActewAGL. To become eligible for the rebate, customers are required to enter into a 24-month contract with each of the parties. I note that the specific details of the notified arrangement are set out at item 4 of the submission provided by the notifying parties.

The legal immunity provided by the notification commenced on 27 November 2006.

On the basis of the information that you have provided, it is not intended that further action will be taken in respect of the notification 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 of notifications. Should you have any queries in relation to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Kristy Randall on (02) 6243 1061.

Yours sincerely

Scott Gregson General Manager

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