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Dear Mr Mantell

Applications for authorisation A91009 and A91010 – Pre-Decision Conference

I refer to the above applications for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) on 25 August 2006.

For your records, please find attached the minutes of the pre-decision conference held in Brisbane on 27 November 2006.

A copy of this letter and pre-decision conference minutes have been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Sarah Chubb on (02) 6243 1088.

Yours sincerely

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