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Dr William J Ardrey
Laser Sight Centres Australasia Pty Ltd
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Dear Dr Ardrey,

Laser Sight Centres Australasia Pty Ltd – Notification N92747

I refer to the above exclusive dealing notification lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 22 December 2006. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

BUPA Australia Australia Health Pty Ltd on behalf of Laser Sight Centres Australasia, has described the conduct as:

BUPA members will be entitled to receive a \$250 discount per eye on the cost of laser correction surgery. This offer is not available to members on Ultimate Health Cover.

Legal immunity for the conduct commenced on 6 January 2007.

On the basis of the information that you have provided, it is not intended that further action be taken in this matter at this stage.

As with any notification, please note that the ACCC may act to remove the immunity afforded by the 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.

A copy of this letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please feel free to contact Sheridan de Kruiff on 02 6243 1236.

Yours sincerely

Scott Gregson
General Manager
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Cc: Emma Zipper, BUPA Australia.

