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Mr Justin Mannolini
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Dear Mr Mannolini

Third line forcing notification N92741 lodged by Quickstop Pty Ltd

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged with the Australian Competition & Consumer Commission (ACCC) on 21 December 2006. This notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

You have described the conduct as follows:

The proposed conduct relates to the giving or offering to give a discount in relation to the supply or proposed supply of petrol and other motor fuels by Quickstop to consumers purchasing petrol or other motor fuels at participating service stations in Western Australia, on condition that the consumer has purchased products of not less than a nominated value from participating supermarkets owned by IGA Distribution (WA) Pty Limited (ACN 008 667 650) in Western Australia.

Legal immunity conferred by the notification commenced on 5 January 2007.

The ACCC has considered the above notification in light of submissions previously put to it by interested parties in relation to similar notifications and its own investigations. Based on previous consideration and the information you have provided to support the notification, the ACCC does not intend to take any further action at this stage.

Please note, as with any notification, the ACCC may act to remove the immunity afforded by this notification at a later stage if it becomes satisfied that the likely benefit to the public from the conduct will not outweigh the likely detriment to the public from the conduct.

I also note that in promoting the offer consumers should be made aware of any exclusions or conditions that may apply.



This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Hew Atkin on (02) 6243 1235.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott Gregson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Scott Gregson
General Manager
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