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N93064

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Ms Sarah Whitaker Corporate Counsel Hill's Pet Nutrition Pty Limited C/- Colgate-Palmolive Pty Ltd Level 14, 345 George Street Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Ms Whitaker

Hills Pet Nutrition Notification – N93064

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 13 July 2007. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

Hill's Pet Nutrition Pty Limited proposes to supply or offer to supply discount vouchers to consumers on condition that the consumer purchases a quantity of Hill's pet food to a specified minimum monetary value, from a particular retailer of Hill's pet food nominated by the consumer.

Legal immunity conferred by the notification will come into force on 27 July 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 from the conduct.

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 do not hesitate to contact David Hatfield on 02 6243 1266

Yours sincerely

Scott Gregson General Manager Adjudication Branch