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Ms Lindsay Kyle  
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Dear Ms Kyle

**Third line forcing notification – Robert Half International Inc. (N93290)**

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) on 6 February 2008. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

You have described the conduct as follows:

*Robert Half proposes to supply certain types of rights or interests in the common stock of Robert Half International Inc. to eligible Australian-resident employees of Robert Half or its Australian subsidiary, Robert Half Australia Pty Ltd on condition that the employees, in order to receive the rights or interests and vested shares in electronic format, acquire services of a third party supplier of electronic share trading services, namely E\*Trade.*

Legal immunity conferred by this notification commences on 20 February 2008.

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 Rohan Connor on (02) 6243 1354.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David Hatfield', is enclosed in a light grey rectangular box.

David Hatfield  
A/g General Manager  
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