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From: Lois Biles [redacted]
Sent: Monday, 21 April 2008 7:02 PM
To: Adjudication
Subject: Re: eBay International AG exclusive dealing notification N93365,-interested party consultation [SEC UNCLASSIFIED]

Dear Sir / Madam,

Please accept my submission opposing eBay International AG's intended restriction of acceptable payment methods.

The move to having PayPal, which by the way is owned by eBay, as the **ONLY** means of payment offered by eBay sellers is monopolistic, un Australian, anti choice and akin to a Westfield shopping centre forcing the proprietors of all stores within the centre to accept only a Westfield credit card as payment.

The "cash on pick up" option is not applicable given that most eBay transactions are conducted on an interstate basis. Those in remote areas will also be placed at a disadvantage having even less choice than others.

There is no benefit to the eBay buyer by allowing this change. There are no benefits for eBay sellers by allowing this change. The only entity that will benefit is eBay.

I offer PayPal as one of many methods of payment to my buyers because I believe they should be afforded just that, a choice.

Yours Sincerely,

Lois Biles.

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