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From: Lois Biles [mailto:
Sent: Monday, 16 June 2008 9:41 PM
To: Adjudication
Subject: In Support of ACCC proposition to revoke immunity for eBay's PayPal only policy (Notified Conduct).

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have read the eBay notification and their submissions to the ACCC about exclusive dealing. I have also read many submissions against the proposed conduct and the ACCC's draft notice of revocation.

I agree with the ACCC's draft notice as I believe eBay's proposed conduct would decrease competition and not have an overall public benefit.

As a buyer since 2001 and a seller since 2004, I totally support your proposal to Revoke the immunity provided by the exclusive dealing notification N93365 lodged by Ebay International AG.

I abhor being dictated to and forced to accept the restrictive one and only payment method of how I **MUST** pay a seller or receive a payment from a buyer, i.e.. PayPal. As a buyer I've always used direct bank deposit to pay for my items and as a seller I've always accepted the same method of payment from my buyers and I have **NEVER** encountered a problem in seven years. I will only continue to sell on eBay on the condition that I do **NOT** have to offer Paypal as the **ONLY** payment option.

Lastly, I would like to express my disgust at eBays underhanded tactics. They are trying to implement the policy by stealth, by purposely not informing sellers of the ACCC's decision. The only apparent notification is on one of the discussion boards, which is seen by less than 3% of members.

I would appreciate you taking into account my additional comments in this email and thank you for your valued consideration of the matter and eventually to revoke immunity for eBay's PayPal only

policy and as stated allow direct deposit only as a payment option if a seller chooses this option.

I commend you for the detailed work which has gone into this difficult case, and appreciate the efforts to keep our wonderful country a role model of democratic dealing and a place where the consumer is defended in his rights.

Yours Sincerely,
nett_nanny.
eBay Seller User ID.

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