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From: Peter Davenport [mailto: **PUBLIC REGISTER**]

Sent: Tuesday, 24 June 2008 6:08 PM

To: Infocentre

Subject: RE: Complaint to ACCC re: eBay notification [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Dear Patricia

Thanks kindly for your email notice regard my eBay complaint: further outlines to this complaint as follows;

On the 20/5/2008 I was endeavoring to relist items on eBay (i.e.) unsold items from 1st May to 20th May 2008 But eBay blocked me from relisting my 38 unsold items over this period because I refused to use there exaggerated expensive PayPal system

Not selling any of the 38 items in this period I found very strange? when sales were 10 to 15 sales per week before the PayPal issue started

I have since paid a Webpage Builder to program my own Website and it's in operation now to sell my products on Charleville's Record Floods caused thousands of \$\$\$ damage to my mint stamps I have been recovering losses using them for postage

EBay/PayPal arrangement with Australia Post regards the PayPal exaggerated Satchel SHAM is not in the best interest of the Community

EBay/PayPal by arrangements with Australia Post to supply a PayPal Satchel ;> you have to purchase at a **(small cost?)** plus postage
PayPal is making **exaggerated** statement how you will have better protection with the PayPal Satchel that is misleading in it's self

I have sent items Registered Post for over 55 years trough the once PMG Department and recent years trough Australia Post and never lost one item it is a sham for PayPal to claim better protection over Australia Post as the later carry's out the hard work and delivers the items safely

I have spoken to the Charleville Post Officer Manager on this issue recently the outcome was I would be very disadvantage by not being able to use **(my own flood damaged stamps for postage)** to recover some of my losses from the Charleville Floods PayPal's arrangement would disadvantage other Stamp Dealers with over stocks or damaged Stamps they could be denied of using for postage

It is a general feeling of disgust with eBay Buyers and Sellers; being told you have to use PayPal for all your transactions at extra cost you don't need; **every person should have a choice of Bank arrangements in my case the one I have used for 60 years cost me nil to transfer money in Australia.**

Kind Regards Peter Davenport

Volunteer Member of Crime Stoppers in Charleville

Attached is a reply sent to one eBay member and a real gentleman

Dear peterrandrews,

Hi Peter

A well put together page mate regards PayPal. My stint with eBay/PayPal will finish in approx 48hrs they have blocked me from relisting and submitting new items because I would not bow to there demands. My seller intensions in the first instance was to get rid of initially from the 1991 Charleville Flood \$24000.00 worth of flood damaged Mint stamps I have still approx \$15000.00 Damaged Mint stamps left to use for postage and it is a big job melting sheets apart and removing them from Post Office Packs to place on my sold items. The

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Pay/Pal satchel you have to pay for won't help me get rid of my stamps even the local Post Master told me this. I would like to thank you for your help when I first started back in November 2007. I have most of all the variety's but at 74 I get a bit confused and forgetful in putting them in there correct prospective and of course makes me wonder if I have got my listing 100% correct. Thanks again for your help...Kind Regards Peter

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