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Dear Mr Gray

Third line forcing notification N95199 lodged by TAB Limited

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 25 November 2010. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

TAB Limited proposes to supply goods and services at a discount on condition that the customer acquires goods or services from Champion Thoroughbreds.

Legal immunity conferred by the notification commenced on 9 December 2010.

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.

This assessment has been made on the basis that TAB Limited will disclose all relevant terms and conditions to prospective clients.

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 Peter Eynaud on (03) 9290 6977.

Yours sincerely

Dr Richard Chadwick
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