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Dear Mr Brajkovich

**Western Australian Broiler Growers Association Inc application for authorisation
AA91262 - interested party consultation**

I refer to the above mentioned application for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 8 February 2011.

Please find enclosed, for your information, a copy of the letter the ACCC sent today to potentially interested parties as part of its public consultation process.

All publicly available submissions will be posted on the ACCC internet site at www.accc.gov.au/AuthorisationsRegister. Alternatively, at the end of the consultation period the ACCC can arrange for you to receive a copy of all publicly available submissions received in relation to the application.

Timetable

The ACCC will progress its assessment of the application in a timely manner. An indicative timetable is set out below for your information.

8 February 2011	Lodgement of application and supporting submission.
9 February 2011	Public consultation process begins.
17 February 2011	Closing date for submissions on interim authorisation.

February 2011	ACCC decision regarding interim authorisation.
3 March 2011	Closing date for submissions from interested parties.
March 2011	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.
April 2011	Draft determination.
April/May 2011	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
May 2011	Final determination.

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



Gavin Jones
Director
Adjudication Branch