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Sent via email: matthew.bull@freehills.com

Dear Mr Bull

Application for authorisation A91278 lodged by various Dudgeon Point Coal Export Terminal Producers - interested party consultation

I refer to the above mentioned application for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 28 September 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.

28 September 2011	Lodgement of application and supporting submission.
5 October 2011	Public consultation process begins.

3 November 2011	Closing date for submissions from interested parties.
November 2011	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.
December 2011	Draft determination.
December 2011 / January 2012	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
February / March 2012	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 Pamela Cue on 02 6243 1066.

Yours sincerely

Sue Philp

A/g General Manager Adjudication Branch