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Dear Sir/Madam

Lottery Agents' Association of Tasmania application for authorisation A91309 - final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) has issued a determination in respect of the application for authorisation lodged by the Lottery Agents' Association of Tasmania Inc (LAAT) on 30 April 2012.

LAAT sought authorisation to collectively bargain on behalf of its members in respect of the terms and conditions of lottery distribution agent agreements with Tatts Group and Intralot Australia Pty Ltd (the targets).

A copy of the ACCC's determination is attached, including a summary of its reasons. For the reasons set out in its determination, the ACCC has decided to grant authorisation for five years.

Application for review

Pursuant to section 101 of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010*, a person dissatisfied with this determination may apply to the Australian Competition Tribunal for its review. An application for review must be made within 21 days of the date of this determination; that is, on or before 16 August 2012. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 17 August 2012.

An application for review of the ACCC's determination should be lodged directly with the Australian Competition Tribunal. The Australian Competition Tribunal is a separate body from the ACCC and is located within the Federal Court of Australia.

For further information about the process involved in reviewing decisions in the Australian Competition Tribunal please refer to the tribunal's website located at <http://www.competitiontribunal.gov.au/>.

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 Tanya Hobbs on 02 6243 1029.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized initial 'R' followed by a long horizontal line.

Dr Richard Chadwick
General Manager
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List of Interested Parties

Tatts Group Limited

Intralot Australia Pty Ltd

Tasmanian Gaming Commission

Tasmanian Small Business Council