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Dear Mr Gay

Third line forcing notifications N95753-N95758 lodged by Tabcorp Holdings Limited, Tabcorp Manager Pty Ltd, Tabcorp Wagering (Vic) Pty Ltd, Tabcorp Wagering Manager (Vic) Pty Ltd, TAB Limited and Luxbet (collectively the Tabcorp Group)

I refer to the above third line forcing notifications lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 9 March 2012. These notifications have been placed on the ACCC's public register.

The conduct is broadly described in the notifications as the Tabcorp Group proposing to give or allow or offer to give or allow a discount, allowance, rebate or credit in relation to the supply or proposed supply of Tabcorp Group goods and services on condition that the customer also acquires sporting services from a particular sporting venue.

Tabcorp Group goods and services may include: wagering services and services ancillary to wagering services; promotional goods and services such as prizes and sporting memorabilia; and opportunities to participate in competitions, lotteries or draws to win prizes.

Legal immunity conferred by the notifications commenced on 23 March 2012.

On the basis of the information 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 these notifications 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 the Tabcorp Group will disclose all relevant terms and conditions to all participating consumers.

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 Gina D'Ettorre on 03 9290 1483.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'R Chadwick', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dr Richard Chadwick
General Manager
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