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**To:** Basile, Mark; Hartcher-O'Brien, Imogen; Dr Vince See Eng Teong  
**Cc:** Jones, David  
**Subject:** RE: ACCC consultation: aviation industry [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED] - Etihad & Air Berlin

Dear Mark Basile

Thank you for your e-mail.

Malaysia Airlines (MAS) would like to state that MAS have no objection to the application of Etihad and Air Berlin so long as the ACCC is of the view that the application should in the interests of the market and consumers be authorised and that all players should be granted an equal playing field at all times.

Thank you

With best regards  
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**To:** Hartcher-O'Brien, Imogen  
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**Subject:** ACCC consultation: aviation industry [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Dear Sir/Madam

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) has received two applications for authorisation in relation to the aviation industry. These relate to:

- cooperation between Emirates and Flydubai; and separately
- cooperation between Etihad and Air Berlin

As a potentially interested party, the ACCC invites you to make a submission in relation to either or both these applications for authorisation, including the urgent requests for interim authorisation of the proposed arrangements.

Please refer to the two attached letters from the ACCC and a summary of the authorisation process for further information.

Kinds regards

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