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Mr Simon McRae National Manager Ethical Clothing Australia

By email: Simon@ethicalclothingaustralia.org.au

Dear Mr McRae

Homeworker Code Committee application for interim authorisation – interested party consultation

I refer to the above mentioned application for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 21 February 2013.

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 in relation to the Homeworker Code Committee's request for urgent interim authorisation.

At the end of the consultation period the ACCC will discuss with you all publicly available submissions received in relation to the application in order to provide you with an opportunity to respond.

Further consultations and next steps

The ACCC proposes to conduct further consultation in relation to the Homeworker Code Committee's overall application for authorisation and will provide an indicative timetable in relation to the matter at that time.

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 or tanya.hobbs@accc.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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