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Rose Owen  
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News Limited

By email: [owenr@newsLtd.com.au](mailto:owenr@newsLtd.com.au)

Dear Ms Owen

**Third line forcing notifications N96805 - N96819 lodged by News Limited entities**

I refer to the above third line forcing notifications lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 26 June 2013. The notifications have been placed on the ACCC's public register.

News Limited proposes to supply recruitment advertising services or benefits in relation to such services on condition that the person to whom the services are supplied acquires services from CareerOne.com.au Pty Ltd (CareerOne.com.au). The relevant News Limited entities involved are:

- Advertiser Newspapers Pty Ltd (ACN 007 872 997);
- Advertiser News Weekend Publishing Company Pty Ltd (ACN 007 562 950);
- Davies Brothers Pty Limited (ACN 009 475 754);
- Gold Coast Publications Pty Ltd (ACN 009 696 511);
- Leader Associated Newspapers Pty Ltd (ACN 004 337 446);
- Messenger Press Pty Ltd (ACN 007 563 439);
- Nationwide News Pty Ltd (ACN 008 438 828);
- News Digital Media Pty Ltd (ACN 000 529 457);
- News Life Media Pty Ltd (ACN 008 923 906);
- News Limited (ACN 007 871 178);
- Queensland Newspapers Pty Ltd (ACN 009 661 778);
- The Cairns Post Pty Limited (ACN 009 655 752);
- The Geelong Advertiser Pty Ltd (ACN 004 090 055);
- The Herald & Weekly Times Pty Limited (ACN 004 113 937); and
- The North Queensland Newspaper Company Pty Ltd (ACN 009 655 690).

Legal protection conferred by the notifications will commence on 10 July 2013. On the basis of the information that 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 legal protection provided by the 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 CareerOne.com.au and the News Limited entities will disclose all relevant terms and conditions to prospective customers.

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 Tanya Hobbs on 02 6243 1029.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D. Hatfield', is positioned above the typed name.

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