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Dear Sir/Madam

Cities of Wanneroo, Joondalup and Swan - application for authorisation A91431 – final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) has issued a determination respect of the application for authorisation lodged by the Cities of Wanneroo, Joondalup and Swan (the Applicants) on 22 May 2014.

The Applicants seek authorisation to jointly procure, negotiate and contract services for the processing of dry commingled recyclables collected by them through their yellow lid recycling bin domestic kerbside collection service.

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, until 28 August 2020.

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 27 August 2014. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on **28 August 2014**.

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 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 Sam Campbell on (03) 9290 1870.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "DChanning". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping loop at the end of the name.

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Interested parties list

All Earth Group
Perthwaste
South Metropolitan Regional Council
Poly Trade
Recycling Design & Technologies (Aust)
Transpacific Cleanaway