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Mr Derek Armstrong
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By email: darmstrong@cuscal.com.au

Dear Mr Armstrong

Cuscal Limited - applications for revocation of authorisation A91175-A91177 and substitution of new authorisations A91450 – A91452 – interested party consultation

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the **ACCC**) is currently conducting a consultation process on the application for re-authorisation (application for revocation and substitution) received from Cuscal Limited (**Cuscal**) on 2 September 2014.

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.

All publicly available submissions will be posted on the ACCC internet site at www.accc.gov.au/AuthorisationsRegister. Alternatively, at the end of the consultation period the ACCC can arrange for you to receive a copy of all publicly available submissions received in relation to the application.

Timetable

The ACCC will progress its assessment of the application in a timely manner. An indicative timetable is set out below for your information.

| Indicative date | Stage in assessment process |
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| 2 September 2014 | Lodgement of application and supporting submission. |
| 10 September 2014 | Public consultation process begins. |

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| 26 September 2014 | Closing date for submissions from interested parties. |
| October 2014 | Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process. |
| October / November 2014 | Draft determination. |
| November / December 2014 | Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called. |
| January/ February 2015 | Final determination. |

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 Natalie Plumridge on (03) 9290 6523.

Yours sincerely



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