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## By email

Dear Mr Stanton

### **Communications Alliance Ltd application for authorisation A91453 - interested party consultation**

I refer to the above mentioned application for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 8 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](http://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.

<b>8 September 2014</b>	Lodgement of application.
<b>12 September 2014</b>	Applicant provides further information in response to ACCC request.
<b>16 September</b>	Public consultation process begins.
<b>13 October 2014</b>	Closing date for submissions from interested parties.

<b>October 2014</b>	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.
<b>December 2014</b>	Draft determination.
<b>Dec/Jan 2015</b>	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
<b>Feb/March 2015</b>	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 Hannah Ransom on (02) 6243 1255 or [adjudication@acc.gov.au](mailto:adjudication@acc.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



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