

4 November 2014



Mr Hien Le
A/g Senior Project Officer | Adjudication
Australian Competition & Consumer Commission
23 Marcus Clarke Street
Canberra ACT 2601

Dear Mr Le,

I refer to the application **A91453** made by Communications Alliance Ltd to the ACCC on 8 September for authorisation under the exclusionary provisions and associated cartel provisions of subsection(s) 88 (1A)/88 (1) of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010*, in relation to a planned "follow-the-money" arrangement designed to combat online copyright infringement.

Communications Alliance values the engagement we have had with the ACCC on this issue to date and the advice you have provided about the additional detail that the Commission will need to see in order to be able to make a thorough assessment of the application.

We are working to provide this additional material, but in light of the statutory time constraints on the Commission, we believe it would be prudent to withdraw our application until such time as we have completed the additional work, with a view to then re-submitting the application.

I would be grateful for your confirmation that our application has been withdrawn and look forward to discussing the issue further with the Commission in the near future.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Stanton'.

John Stanton
Chief Executive Officer