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Dear Mr Taylor

Third line forcing notification N97319 lodged by Australian National Memorial Theatre

I refer to the above third line forcing notification lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 14 March 2014. The notification has been placed on the ACCC's public register.

By email received by the ACCC on 21 March 2014, you advise that the Australian National Memorial Theatre seeks to withdraw the notification. Section 93(7B) of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* provides that the legal protection conferred by the lodging of a third line forcing notification does not come into force where the notification is withdrawn before such protection would come into force, in this instance, before 28 March 2014.

Accordingly, the ACCC will not proceed with its assessment of the notification and has closed the matter.

I apologise for the delay in providing you with confirmation of the withdrawal of the notification. The delay was the result of an administrative error.

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 Gavin Jones on 03 9290 1475.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'R Chadwick', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Dr Richard Chadwick
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