

28th July, 2015

Australian Competition & Consumer Commission
Attention: Mr Hubert Wu
PGO Box 3131
Canberra ACT 2601

Dear Mr Wu

The Master Painters Australia Limited, the peak industry body for the painting and decorating industry supports the introduction of the National Paint Stewardship Scheme across Australia.

We acknowledge that all those involved in the production, retailing and application of paint use and disposal of paint have a shared responsibility to manage the environmental impacts of these products.

The introduction of the proposed levy of 15 cents per litre will assist the industry in meeting its environmental obligations and we believe the levy will be supported by environmental groups and the general communities across Australia.

Master Painters Australia agrees that the communication and process is clear from the outset and be encompassed by all participants in the industry.

Please do not hesitate to call if I can be of further assistance.

Yours Sincerely

Mark Amos JP
Chief Executive Officer
Master Painters Association
Victoria /Tasmania