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Dear Mr Corrigan

**The Association of Superannuation Funds of Australia applications for authorisation
A91548 & A91549 – interested party consultation**

I refer to the above mentioned applications for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 29 July 2016.

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 applications.

Timetable

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

29 July 2016	Lodgement of applications and supporting submission.
3 August 2016	Public consultation process begins.
12 August 2016	Closing date for submissions on interim authorisation.
26 August 2016	Closing date for submissions from interested parties.
August 2016	ACCC decision regarding interim authorisation.

September 2016	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.
October 2016	Draft determination.
October/November 2016	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
December 2016	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 Saraj Bhullar on 03 9290 1941 or adjudication@acc.gov.au

Yours sincerely



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