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Via email: clifford@tyrestewardship.org.au

Dear Mr Spear

**Tyre Stewardship Australia – compliance with Australian Tyre Industry Council
authorisation A91336-A91337 – request for extension**

Thank you for your letter of 11 October 2016 requesting an extension to the compliance reporting requirements of the conditional authorisation granted to Tyre Stewardship Australia's (TSA) Tyre Product Stewardship Scheme (the Scheme). The ACCC will place your letter on the public register for this matter.

Broadly, condition C1 requires the TSA to publish an annual report, which includes specific reporting obligations on the operation of the Scheme, to be published on its website by 30 September.

TSA requests an extension to publish its annual report on the operation of the Scheme during the week commencing 14 November 2016. I note TSA's advice that it was unable to comply with the 30 September deadline due to a late change of auditors.

Given the length of the extension sought and the reasons provided, the ACCC agrees to TSA's request for an extension. We therefore look forward to receiving the annual report by 18 November 2016, in accordance with condition C1.

I understand that TSA is currently working towards the November 2016 deadline to commence the independent review of the Scheme (under condition C2). The ACCC would be grateful to receive an update about the commencement of the review in due course.

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter, please contact Jaime Martin on (03) 9290 1477 (or at jaime.martin@accc.gov.au) or David Hatfield on (02) 6243 1266 (or at david.hatfield@accc.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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