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Vanessa Chapman General Counsel NPP Australia Limited

By email: vchapman@apca.com.au

Dear Ms Chapman

NPP Australia Limited applications for authorisation – A91560-A91562 – interested party consultation

I refer to the above mentioned applications for authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 18 October 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 <u>www.accc.gov.au/AuthorisationsRegister</u>. 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.

18 October 2016	Lodgement of applications and supporting submission
9 November 2016	Public consultation process begins
25 November 2016	Closing date for submissions
December 2016	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process
December/January 2016	Draft determination
January 2016	Public consultation on draft determination including

	any conference if called
February 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@accc.gov.au

Yours sincerely

Gavin Jones Director Adjudication