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Dear Sir / Madam

Queensland Cane Growers Organisation Ltd (Canegrowers) – application for authorisation A91558 — final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) has issued a determination in respect of Canegrowers' application for authorisation lodged on 23 September 2016.

Canegrowers sought authorisation for collective bargaining of cane supply and related agreements between growers, mill owners and sugar marketers.

A copy of the ACCC's determination is attached, including a summary of its reasons.

For the reasons set out in its determination, the ACCC has decided to grant authorisation for ten years. The scope of the ACCC's authorisation is outlined in the Determination section of the decision.

Application for review

Pursuant to section 101 of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010*, a person dissatisfied with this determination may apply to the Australian Competition Tribunal for its review. An application for review must be made within 21 days of the date of this determination; that is, on or before 4 May 2017. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 5 May 2017.

An application for review of the ACCC's determination should be lodged directly with the Australian Competition Tribunal. The Australian Competition Tribunal is a separate body from the ACCC and is located within the Federal Court of Australia.

For further information about the process involved in reviewing decisions in the Australian Competition Tribunal please refer to the tribunal's website located at <http://www.competitiontribunal.gov.au/>.

This letter has been placed on the ACCC's public register. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this matter please contact Ms Jaime Martin on (03) 9290 1477.

Yours sincerely

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