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To whom t may concern,

The extended warrant terms being suggested by Mitsubishi will cause considerable loss to all private mechanical service providers due to the anti-competitive nature of the proposal.

I believe it also contravenes the third party forcing ruling of the ACCC from some years ago as the warranty is conditional on the manufacturer "forcing" the purchaser to deal with a third party, being the dealer / franchisee, in order for the warranty to stay on foot. It is my belief that this is an attempt to undermine the operations of non-manufacturer aligned workshops, thereby setting up a monopoly situation for the manufacturers and dealers.

Kind regards,

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