

Mr Anthony Wing  
General Manager  
ACCC

Dear Mr Wing,

I am writing on behalf of the Lymphoedema Association of Queensland Inc (LAQ). We are a non-profit organisation that serves over 300 members in Queensland. There are equivalent organizations in the other states. All committee members and helpers are volunteers.

Our members struggle with swelling limbs, arms or legs, due to birth defects, cancer or other operations and injuries to the lymph system. Many cannot get around as easily as they would like to due to problems with their limbs. Some are elderly.

They need encouragement and support. They receive this through our quarterly newsletters and other regular mailings. If you increase the cost of postage it makes it difficult for organizations like ours to continue our service to these people.

There must be many other non-profit NGOs in the same situation who face rising costs for all our activities. Postage takes a big slice of our expenses.

Please consider us in your review of the proposed postal costs increase, and keep the present price structure.

Yours sincerely,

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