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Bruce Papps
Chair
AgStewardship Australia Limited
By email: admin@agstewardshipaustralia.org.au

Dear Mr Papps

AgStewardship Australia Limited application for re-authorisation AA1000429 - interested party consultation

I refer to the above mentioned application for re-authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 21 August 2018.

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 in the <u>Authorisations Register</u>.

Timetable

The ACCC will progress its assessment of the application in a timely manner. An indicative timetable is set out below for your information.

November/December 2018	Final determination.
October/November 2018	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
October 2018	Draft determination.
September 2018	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.
7 September 2018	Closing date for submissions from interested parties.
24 August 2018	Public consultation process begins.
21 August 2018	Lodgement of application and supporting submission.

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 Hannah Ransom on (02) 6243 1255.

Yours sincerely

David Hatfield Director

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