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Dear Mr Cameron

The Recruitment, Consulting & Staffing Association Limited (RCSA) application for revocation of authorisation A91388 and substitution of new authorisation AA1000435 – interested party consultation

I refer to the above mentioned application for re-authorisation lodged with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) on 6 February 2019.

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>. 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 application.

Timetable

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

6 February 2019	Lodgement of application and supporting submission, including request for interim authorisation.
13 February 2019	Public consultation process begins.
19 February 2019	Closing date for submissions on interim authorisation.
21 February 2019	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process on interim authorisation.
February/March 2019	ACCC decision regarding interim authorisation.
13 March 2019	Closing date for submissions from interested parties on the substantive application for authorisation.
20 March 2019	Applicant responds to issues raised in the public consultation process.

April 2019	Draft determination.
April/May 2019	Public consultation on draft determination including any conference if called.
June/July 2019	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 Simon Bell on 02 6243 1232 or Alex Reed on 02 6243 1364.

Yours sincerely

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