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Dear Interested Party

Qantas and Emirates application for revocation and substitution – AA1000625 – Final determination

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (the ACCC) has issued a determination in respect of the application for re-authorisation lodged by Qantas Airways Limited and Emirates (together, the **Applicants**) on 7 November 2022 (revocation and substitution).

The Applicants sought re-authorisation to enable them and their related bodies corporate to continue to coordinate their operations by giving effect to a Restated Master Coordination Agreement for a further 5 years until 2028.

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 re-authorisation until 8 September 2028 with a condition. The ACCC's assessment is set out in Chapter 4 of its determination.

Application for review

Pursuant to section 101 of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* (Cth), 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 7 September 2023. If no application to review is lodged by this date, the ACCC's determination will come into force on 8 September 2023.

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 do not hesitate to contact Jack Foley on (07) 3811 9294 or by email exemptions@acc.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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