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Dear JS

Acknowledgment of request for access under the *Freedom of Information Act* 1982 (Cth)

The Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) acknowledges receipt of your email of 7 September 2017 requesting, under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (Cth), to the following:

'a copy of the initiating documents in Australian Competition and Consumer Commission v JJ Richards & Sons Pty Ltd (JJ Richards)'

As you have lodged your application via the Right to Know website, we have treated your application as an FOI request.

If you wish to request access outside the FOI Act to ACCC initiating documents filed in a court or tribunal, you can do so by contacting the FOI team directly on 02 6243 1244 or at *foi@accc.gov.au*.

Alternatively, if you are a journalist or a media representative, as set out in the Media Code of Conduct which you quoted from, you can contact the ACCC's media unit directly on 1300 138 917 or at **media@accc.gov.au**.

Timeframe for processing your request

The ACCC has 30 days to process your request, beginning 7 September 2017. This timeframe may be extended by the ACCC where:

- (a) charges are applied, and/or
- (b) consultation with third parties is necessary.

Charges

There are no charges payable in respect of this request.

Decision

A decision maker will assess the documents (if any) to decide if we can release them, or if they are exempt from release. We will send you the decision and notify you of your review rights.

If we cannot locate any documents that are covered by the scope of your request, we will advise you of this and your review rights.

Publication of documents released under FOI

Material released under FOI may be published on our website unless we consider it unreasonable to do so.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact me on (02) 6243 1244.

Yours sincerely

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FOI Administration Assistant ACCC Legal Group

Sent by email 14/09/2017