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Dear Tania

Aurizon Network Pty Ltd – Draft Amending Access Undertaking to extend the term of the 2010 Access Undertaking

As you are aware, Aurizon Network's 2010 Access Undertaking (2010AU) will expire on 30 June 2015. It is unlikely that Aurizon Network's proposed 2014 Draft Access Undertaking (2014DAU) will be finalised on or before this date.

Aurizon Network understands, and appreciates, that stakeholders (and Aurizon Network) are seeking certainty around the process for finalising Reference Tariffs for the 2015 financial year (FY2015) and setting transitional Reference Tariffs for FY2016.

Aurizon Network therefore submits for approval by the QCA a Draft Amending Access Undertaking (DAAU), under section 142 of the Queensland Competition Authority Act 1997 (Qld), to extend the term of the 2010AU to 30 November 2015, to confirm Reference Tariffs for FY2015 and to provide transitional Reference Tariffs for FY2016.

This submission comprises an explanatory memorandum, clean and mark-up versions of the DAAU and a soft copy of the pricing model supporting the FY2016 Transitional Tariffs. Consistent with past submissions, Aurizon Network requests that the pricing model is not published as it contains information on specific Train Services.

Should you have any queries in relation to this draft amending access undertaking, please do not hesitate to contact Michael Bray on (07) 3019 1077 or michael.bray@aurizon.com.au.

Yours sincerely,



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