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Mr Alex Kummant  
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Dear Mr Kummant

**Approval: Draft Amending Access Undertaking to extend the term of the 2010 Access Undertaking**

In accordance with section 142(2) of the *Queensland Competition Authority Act 1997* (the QCA Act), the Queensland Competition Authority (QCA) has approved Aurizon Network's draft amending access undertaking (the May 2016 Extension DAAU) to extend the term of the 2010 access undertaking until the earlier of 30 September 2016 or the date a QCA-approved replacement undertaking takes effect.

The QCA approval was made on 23 June 2016, following consideration of submissions made by stakeholders.

Consistent with our previous extension decisions:

- (a) the final true-up of revenues will be dealt with in the approval of the replacement undertaking
- (b) our decision relates to the 2010 AU and does not limit our consideration of matters in the approval of the replacement undertaking.

We will publish this letter on the QCA website for stakeholders' information.

Should you require further information please contact Ms Pag Arao-Arao on (07) 3222 0560.

Yours sincerely



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cc: Ms Donna Bowman, Network Regulation Manager, Aurizon Network