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Mr Mark Gray  
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Dear Mr Gray

## **WEST MORETON REFERENCE TARIFF**

I refer to a letter from Mr Malcolm Roberts, Chairman of the Queensland Competition Authority (QCA) dated 3 July 2013 relating to *Queensland Rail's Draft Access Undertaking 1 (AU1)*.

*QR Network's Access Undertaking (2008) June 2010 (2008AU)*, which applies to Queensland Rail Limited (Queensland Rail), is set to expire on 31 December 2013. The QCA is currently considering AU1. Once approved, AU1 will replace the 2008AU.

On 28 June 2013, Queensland Rail submitted a revised reference tariff for West Moreton System coal carrying train services as part of the approval process for AU1. The QCA has invited interested parties to respond to this submission by 30 September 2013. The following documents are provided to further assist the QCA and industry in their consideration of the proposed reference tariffs:

- Proposed West Moreton Reference Tariff Asset Roll-Forward Information (Attachment 1);
- Proposed West Moreton Reference Tariff Building Block Information (Attachment 2);
- Addendum to Queensland Rail's "West Moreton Reference Tariff Reset Capital Submission" provided to the QCA on 28 June 2013 AU1 (Attachment 3);
- WorleyParsons review of the capital and maintenance costs underpinning the proposed West Moreton Reference Tariff – Confidential (Attachment 4); and
- WorleyParsons review of the capital and maintenance costs underpinning the proposed West Moreton Reference Tariff – Redacted (Attachment 5).

Queensland Rail looks forward to working with the Authority and stakeholders towards the approval of the revised reference tariff for the West Moreton System.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Mr Douglas Jasch, Manager Regulation and Policy on (07) 3072 0544.

Yours sincerely



**Glen Dawe**  
Chief Executive Officer

18 September 2013

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**ATTACHMENT 4 – WorleyParsons Review of the West Moreton Reference Tariff  
Capital and Maintenance Costs - Confidential**

[This report has been removed and provided separately due to the inclusion of confidential information. Attachment 5 contains a redacted version of this report]