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Committee Secretary
Senate Economics Committee
Department of the Senate
PO Box 6100
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Committee Secretary,

Thank you for your invitation to make a submission to the Senate Estimates Committee Inquiry into the Provisions of the Trade Practices Legislation Amendment Bill (No.1) 2007 and the Trade Practices Amendment (Predatory Pricing) Bill 2007.

The Post Offices Agents Association believe that both Bills represent significant issues for its members and would like to make a submission but will require a few days further for it to be finalised. We ask your agreement to this short delay.

Our submission will address:

- a. the creation of a second Deputy Chairperson position at the ACCC;
- b. the misuse of market power (amendments to section 46);
- c. unconscionable conduct (amendments section 51AC); and
- d. predatory pricing.

Yours faithfully,

Marie McGrath-Kerr
Chairman