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Freedom of Information Officer  
Australian Competition & Consumer Commission  
GPO Box 3131  
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Dear Sir / Madam

**RE: ACCC – Freedom Of Information Request**

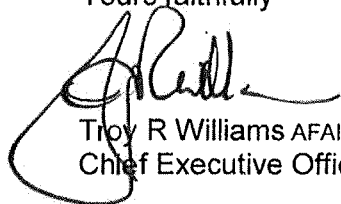
The Australian Dental Industry Association (ADIA) tenders this formal request for the release of documents in accordance with the *Freedom of Information Act (Cth)1982* by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC). The documents that ADIA seeks are held by the ACCC's Product Safety Branch and are as follows:

- Documents referenced by Mr Peter Wallner (ACCC Director - Chemicals & Regulated Products) in a meeting between ADIA and the ACCC held on Friday, 13 April 2012 that provides data on the number and type of complaints / reports / injuries concerning the purchase and use of tooth whitening products in Australia.
- Documents referenced by Mr Peter Wallner (ACCC Director - Chemicals & Regulated Products) in a meeting between ADIA and the ACCC held on Monday, 25 March 2013 that provides data on the number and type of complaints / reports / injuries concerning the purchase and / or use of tooth whitening products in Australia.
- Other data held by the ACCC collected from state / territory governments on the number and type of complaints / reports / injuries concerning the purchase and / or use of tooth whitening products in Australia.
- Documents held by the ACCC relating to patient injury in Australia associated with the use of teeth whitening products containing greater than 6% hydrogen peroxide and / or 18% carbamide peroxide.

Once you have reviewed the matter it would be appreciated if you could tender advice concerning the timeframes for a response and the fees / charges payable (if any) associated with the collation of the information. Once in receipt of that advice ADIA will make the the necessary arrangements to secure the documents.

If you have any questions on this matter please contact me at your convenience.

Yours faithfully



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