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Mr Brian Parmenter Chair Queensland Competition Authority GPO Box 2257 BRISBANE QLD 4001

Dear Mr Parmenter

We are writing to amend the Ministerial Direction of 2 July 2010 which referred the water and wastewater activities of Queensland Urban Utilities, Allconnex Water and Unitywater to the Queensland Competition Authority (the QCA) for a price monitoring investigation.

The Amended Ministerial Direction is to apply for the period 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2013 and to the distributor-retailers as currently constituted under the *South East Queensland Water Reform (Distribution and Retail) Act 2009.*

If any of the water and wastewater activities currently provided by the distributor-retailers revert to local government control on 1 July 2012, it is intended that the Amended Ministerial Direction be updated to also include these local governments in the price monitoring arrangements.

A copy of the Amended Ministers' Direction Notice is attached.

Should you have any further queries in relation to this matter, please contact Ms Tania Hman, Director, Economic and Structural Policy Branch, Treasury Department on (07) 3224 2806 or tania.homan@treasury.qld.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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