

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth)

IN THE AUSTRALIAN COMPETITION TRIBUNAL

File No: ACT 1 of 2017

Re: Application by Tabcorp Holdings Limited under section 95AU of the *Competition and Consumer Act 2010* for an authorisation under subsection 95AT(1) to acquire shares in the capital of a body corporate or to acquire assets of another person

Applicant: Tabcorp Holdings Limited (ACN 063 780 709)

DIRECTIONS

TRIBUNAL: Justice Middleton (President)

DATE OF ORDER: 8 May 2017

WHERE MADE: Melbourne



THE TRIBUNAL DIRECTS THAT:

Electronic Hearing

1. The hearing of this matter is to be conducted as an electronic trial (eTrial) which will include an electronic Hearing Book accessible to the Tribunal, the Applicant, the Commission, Tatts and any other intervener subject to the Tribunal's directions on confidentiality dated 23 March 2017 and any other orders the Tribunal makes in relation to confidentiality.
2. The costs of provision of the eTrial services by the third party service provider engaged to provide those services (not including the costs of any real-time transcription services) are to be allocated between the parties in the following way:
 - (a) for fixed shared costs:
 - (1) the Applicant – 23.33%
 - (2) the Commission – 23.33%
 - (3) Tatts Group Limited – 23.33%

- (4) CrownBet Pty Ltd – 10%
 - (5) Victorian Racing interveners – 10%
 - (6) Racing.com – 10%
- (b) each party is to bear its own costs in respect of any additional costs which are charged on a per item or per user basis.
3. The Applicant is to deliver to the third party service provider copies of all statements, reports and other documents proposed to be relied on at the hearing by the Applicant, the Commission, Tatts or any other intervener in sufficient time to enable the third party service provider to prepare by 6.00pm AEST on Thursday 11 May 2017 an electronic Hearing Book accessible to the parties listed in Order 1 of these directions.
4. Order 19 of the orders of the Tribunal dated 17 March 2017 is vacated.

Date entered: 8 May 2017



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REGISTRAR
Australian Competition Tribunal