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Mr James Cox
Chief Executive Officer and Full Time Member
Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal
Level 8, 1 Market Street
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear Mr Cox

I am writing regarding the Discovery Point Water Factory Pty Ltd application under the *Water Industry Competition Act 2006* for a network operator's licence.

NSW Health supports the licence application. I request that NSW Health is consulted at the Technology Assessment stage and following the final compliance audit, before commercial production commences to ensure that all relevant health matters have been addressed.

NSW Health also requests that it is involved in the development of the final Recycled Water Management Plan, including incident notification and management procedures. The plan should be submitted to NSW Health for review prior to operation of the recycled water system.

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission. Should officers of IPART require further information, please contact Leslie Jarvis at the Water Unit, NSW Health on (02) 9391 9885.

Yours sincerely

Dr Wayne Smith
Director, Environmental Health Branch