

Chairman
the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal
NSW

Dear Sir/Madam

I am a "stakeholder" in a waterfront property which may be affected by your review. I have had no notification from your tribunal about this review, and only heard about it from neighbours a few days ago. This is despite your website reference to "stakeholder consultation" and providing an opportunity for receipt of public submissions. I therefore request an extension of time, from December 2003 to April 2004, in order to prepare a submission. I also request direct notification from you. Without direct notification your tribunal would seem to be acting stealthily and unjustly to many stakeholders---for example, another neighbour, 89 years old, has cataracts and cannot read the newspapers. As with so many others, he knew nothing of what was planned for him, and without direct notification, he will be left to rely on gossip. This is uncivilised and unacceptable.

Yours sincerely

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