INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Independent Consumer and Competition Commission

ICCC Form-1

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORISATION OF RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES

To: Independent Consumer and Competition Commission

The Authorisation Application
An application for Authorization is made under Section 70 of the Independent Consumer and Competition Commission Act 2002, to:

(Tick the box(es) applicable to you)

☐ enter into a contract or arrangement or arrive at an understanding that substantially lessens competition (to which Section 50 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(1);

☐ give effect to a provision of a contract, arrangement or understanding that substantially lessens competition (to which Section 50 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(2);

☐ carry out or enforce a covenant (to which Section 51 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(3);

☐ require the giving of, or to give, a covenant (to which Section 51 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(4);

☐ enter into a contract or arrangement or arrive at an understanding (to which Section 52 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(5);

☐ give effect to an exclusionary provision of a contract, agreement or understanding (to which Section 52 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(6);

☐ engage in the practice of resale price maintenance (to which Section 59 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(7);

☐ do an act or engage in conduct (to which Section 60 would or might apply), pursuant to Section 70(8).

Further Details: (refer to the back for further instructions)

1. Details of Applicant:
   a) Name of Applicant:
   b) Address in PNG for service of documents:
   c) Brief description of business carried on by applicant:

2. Details of Proposal:
   a) Brief description of agreement or practice and, where already made, its date:
   b) Names and addresses of other parties to the proposed agreement or practice.

3. Basis for Application:
   a) Grounds for grant of authorization.
   b) Facts and contentions relied on in support of those grounds.

4. Should you require confidentiality for any material provided as part of the application please specify.

Date: ___________ / _________________/20____

Name: ___________________________ Designation: __________________________ Signature: __________________________
INSTRUCTIONS

1. If there is insufficient space on this form to provide the required information, please attach additional pages.

2. If the application made by or on behalf of a firm, the name of the firm is to be inserted in 1 (a) and the application is to be signed by a person authorized by the applicant to do so.

3. In item 1 (c), describe that part of the applicant's business relating to the subject matter of the agreement or practice in respect of which the application is made.

4. The consideration of applications for authorization is a public process and all information received will be put on the public record unless a claim for confidentiality has been granted by the Commission. Where a confidentiality claim has been rejected, unless the material has been withdrawn by the applicant, all documents provided to the Commission containing information which will form part of the consideration of the Application will be placed on the public record.

5. In relation to claims of confidentiality, the Commission may, at its discretion, grant or reject any claim. If the confidentiality claim is rejected you will be provided with an opportunity to withdraw the information for which confidentiality is sought.

6. Supply six (6) printed copies of any application and where possible a compact disc with a soft copy of the application.