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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, 9 April 2026 9:19 AM
To: [REDACTED]; IG Taskforce
Subject: [Tasmanian Times] RE: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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Thanks [REDACTED], I've sent a holding response to Mr Holden

[REDACTED] – now that GCM has agreed with the way forward, when you have capacity can you have a look at the draft response to the Tas Times complainant - [2026.04.02 Draft correspondence to complainant.docx](#)

Is it fine if we just go back to Mr Holden with a couple sentences in response...

Thank you for providing further information regarding the advertising practices of the Tasmanian Times. As the Tasmanian Times does not currently appear to be advertising any illegal online gambling services, the ACMA will be taking no further action at this time. We thank you for your ongoing engagement in this matter.

Let me know if you think we need a more fulsome response.

Kind Regards,

[REDACTED]
Investigations & Compliance Officer
Gambling Compliance Team

Australian Communications and Media Authority



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From: IG Taskforce <IGTaskforce@acma.gov.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 8 April 2026 8:38 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, 7 April 2026 5:55 PM
To: IG Taskforce <IGTaskforce@acma.gov.au>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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Dear [REDACTED]

Can you confirm receipt of my return email on the 30th of March, and does this answer your query?

I remain committed to full compliance with the laws regarding high-risk industries or financial services.

Thank you.

Regards

Rod Holden
Chief Executive Officer
Tasmanian Times

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Sent: Monday, 30 March 2026 4:15 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] >
Subject: RE: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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Dear Mr Holden,

Please see attached correspondence from [REDACTED], Manager, Gambling Compliance Team. Please respond by 7 April 2026.

Regards,

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From: IG Taskforce <IGTaskforce@acma.gov.au>

Sent: Monday, 9 March 2026 12:41 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276 [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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Dear Mr Holden,

We acknowledge receipt of your email. Thank you for your prompt removal of the article.

Regards,

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From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: ACMA Ref: IGA-2026-00276

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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email and letter regarding interactive gambling advertising on the Tasmanian Times website. Your quick turnaround allows us to complete this part of our due diligence.

I can confirm that the article mentioned has been removed.

I also note that this post was made under an unusual author tag which likely explains why it was missed in our audit. I will ask our technical team to search for other posts with this unusual tag to ensure there are no other posts like this.

Regards

Rod Holden
Chief Executive Officer
Tasmanian Times

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