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Dear Client

**Re: NORTHERN SYDNEY REGIONAL ORGANISATION OF COUNCILS INCORPORATED-  
INC9883426**

I refer to the Application to register change of objects or constitution received by NSW Fair Trading on 30/08/2018.

The change to the objects/constitution has been registered and takes effect from the date of this letter.

NSW Fair Trading has not reviewed the constitution. Associations are reminded that the applicant lodging an Application to change objects or constitution (Form A6) on behalf of an association certifies that the content of the application, including any supporting documentation, is true and complies with the provisions of the *Associations Incorporation Act 2009*.

In the event the Association is not aware it should note:

***Changes to the association laws and the Model constitution commenced on 1 September 2016***

If the Association has not already done so it should review its constitution to ensure it complies with the *Associations Incorporation Act 2009*.

A fact sheet titled "About the Constitution" sets out the matters required in Schedule 1 that must be addressed in the Association's constitution.

If an association's constitution fails to address a matter outlined in Schedule 1, the Model constitution applies for that matter and will form part of the association's constitution. However, this does not affect the financial year end of an association registered prior to 1 July 2010, although it is strongly suggested that all incorporated associations, adopt a constitution that includes the date of financial year end.

The Model constitution may be updated from time-to-time. The updates will apply to the constitution of any Association that has adopted the Model constitution, or where the updated clause is taken as part of the Association's constitution.

Should you require any further information please view our website [www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/ftw/Cooperatives\\_and\\_associations.page](http://www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/ftw/Cooperatives_and_associations.page) prior to contacting the Registry.

Yours sincerely



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