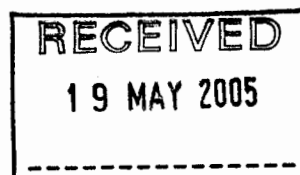


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Dear Mr Cesarin and Dr Hartley

**Re: Response to the Recommendations of the
Regulation of Products at the Interface between Cosmetics and
Therapeutic Goods (NEWGREEN REVIEW)**

We write to support the CTFA's response to the recommendations of the above Review following their consultation with members of the Cosmetic Industry.

The Coty Lancaster Group strongly supports moisturisers containing sunscreens being declared cosmetics as it will allow us to market our full European product range to the Australian market.

To date the requirements of the Australian Listing System have proved to onerous and costly for our Company to comply and as a result an extensive range of moisturisers that are safe, effective and fully compliant with stringent European requirements are denied to Australian consumers.

We applaud the direction of the Review and agree with the comments made by our Industry Association, the Cosmetic Toiletry and Fragrance Association of Australia Inc.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gavin Blackburn". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over the typed name.

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