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Dr Wendy Craik
Commissioner
Productivity Commission
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Dear Dr Craik

Wheat marketing inquiry

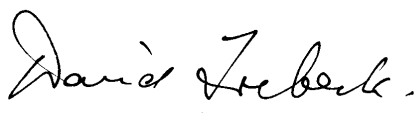
I wish to make a submission to the wheat marketing inquiry by means of the attached statement, letter and speech:

- the statement was made at one of the public hearings of the Ralph Committee which investigated (single desk) wheat marketing arrangements in 2007;
- the letter was a follow up submission to the Ralph Committee;
- the speech was delivered a few months ago; while it ranges over many topics, it includes brief reference to wheat marketing on pp9-11.

As will be apparent, I am opposed to the former single desk marketing arrangements and support the rapid introduction of a fully deregulated market. The attached material was mainly addressed to the structures of the past and as such it does not specifically address some of the terms of reference of the present inquiry. Nevertheless I trust that it constitutes useful background material.

The documents were written in a personal capacity and as a wheatgrower. However, I acknowledge that I am also a director of Graincorp Ltd, which has also made a submission to the Commission's inquiry.

Yours sincerely



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