DECISION 2014 – 03 - 31 TRAVEL AGENCY COMMISSIONER – AREA 3

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Applicant:

Great Southern Rail Travel Pty Ltd ("GCR")

1 Greenhill Road
Wayville SA 5034
Australia.
Represented by Mr. Rhys Godbee, Director - Finance, Commercial and Assurance

Respondent:

Agency Administrator, Geneva International Air Transport Association, IATA Represented by Mr. Rodney D'Cruz, Manager Agency Management Asia/Pacific, IATA, Singapore.

The Case and Decision:

The Agent was required to submit its financial statements for the annual financial review by 30 March 2014.

In its explanation the Agent advised that it was part of a UK based multi national company and its statutory accounts are completed by the local entity of that parent company. GSR has requested that the accounts be finalised for lodgment by the due date, however, it is a process that requires review and Board approval and is beyond the control of GSR locally.

The lodgment date for the Australian Securities Commission is 30 April 2014 and the Agent advises that it would submit its financial statements to IATA same day.

It would be illogical to seek waiver of the right for an oral hearing from the Parties and hence this waiver is assumed.

IATA has not objected to the extended time sought.

Consequently, bearing the foregoing in mind, it is hereby decided as follows:

1. The Agent is granted interlocutory relief until 30 April 2014.

Decided this 31st day of March 2014 in London

Jorgen Foged Travel Agency Commissioner Area 3

Notes:

- 1. As per Resolution 820e, Section 4, any Party has the right, if it considers itself aggrieved by this Decision, to seek review by Arbitration in accordance with the provisions of Resolution 824, Section 14.
- 2. The Parties are advised that effective from 1 June 2012, according to Subparagraph 2.10 of Resolution 820e, any of them may request an interpretation of this Decision, or for a correction of any error in computation, any clerical or typographical error, or any omission in this Decision. Such request must be made within 15 days of receipt of the <u>electronic version</u> of this Decision.