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Ms Tanja Cvijanovic  
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Dear Ms Cvijanovic

### **AusCheck Regulations 2007**

I am writing to the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) regarding the *AusCheck Regulations 2007*, which, as per the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*, are scheduled to sunset on 1 October 2017. It has been decided that the instrument is to be remade without significant amendment.

The Attorney-General's Department certifies that the *AusCheck Regulations 2007* are operating effectively and efficiently, and therefore a Regulation Impact Statement is not required for this regulation to be remade.

The assessment that the regulation is operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by a consultation process which involved AusCheck, Australia's intelligence community agencies, the Australian Federal Police, the Department of Health, the Department of Immigration and Border Protection, the Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development and all issuing bodies responsible for issuing Aviation Security Identification Cards and Maritime Security Identification Cards. Consultation occurred between January and March 2017.

I acknowledge that OBPR will publish this letter for transparency purposes.

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact Michael Pahlow on 02 6141 2042 or michael.pahlow@ag.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nicole Rose', written over a horizontal line.

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