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**Proposed amendments to information disclosure determinations for airport services, electricity distribution services, and gas pipeline services**

Meridian appreciates the opportunity to comment on the Commerce Commission's proposed amendments to information disclosure determinations, particularly as they relate to electricity distribution services. Meridian agrees with the Commerce Commission's proposed amendments.

We have also reviewed (in draft) and support the submission of Genesis Energy, which makes the further point that, in light of the new technologies emerging in the electricity sector, it is not clear that the current information disclosure requirements are fit for purpose. In particular, for the reasons given by Genesis, it is questionable whether electricity distribution businesses disclose sufficient information to interested persons to assess whether the purpose of Part 4 is being met.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this submission.

Yours sincerely

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