

To whom it may concern,

We request that you decline the proposed purchase of Vodafone by Infratil on the grounds it would result in a unfair advantage and would severely affect competitive ability.

The reasons for this are as follows:

Vodafone is a conglomerate of former competitive businesses:

Paradise.net

Saturn

Ihug

Clear Communications

Telstra

Resulting in TelstraSaturn and Then TelstraClear

Infratil is also a conglomerate in its own right on a more broad base but with an already strong access to Multi-point commercial sales.

If this merger was to go ahead, it would place Infratil in the most dominant position above all other competitors by being able to place one bill services for Power, Internet and Telecommunications.

This places it out of reach of competitors from both the Power industry and Telecommunications.

In effect creating a situation where no other service provider will be able to match.

With its current ability to provide a Single point of entry to Power, Data and Internet, adding the ability to link Phone, Mobil and TV services would be completely rule out any form of competition

We hope your vision to be trusted, influential and high performing is not overshadowed by such a high profile decision.

Regards

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