Airport regulation

We regulate certain key facilities and services to get people and cargo on and off aeroplanes at New Zealand's three major airports.



Regulated services

Airfield

This includes: runways, taxiways, plane apron parking; air and ground traffic control facilities; airfield maintenance, safety and emergency services.

Passenger terminal activities

This includes: check-in and baggage handling; security, customs, immigration and quarantine facilities; passenger facilities, seating, and duty-free collection areas.

Aircraft and freight

This includes: aircraft servicing, refuelling, maintenance and hangar facilities; freight handling and storage, security, customs and quarantine services.

Services not regulated

This includes: retail facilities; car parking; and access for taxis, shuttles and buses.

Information disclosure regulation

The Commission does not regulate airport *prices*. We review airport pricing decisions to promote greater understanding of their performance.

