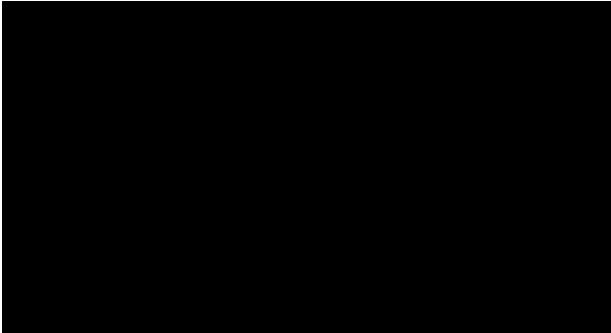


13 April 2023



Official Information Act #22.159 - Response

1. We refer to your request received on 6 April 2023 for copies of all submissions received by the Commerce Commission (**Commission**) in relation to consultation on the draft Misuse of Market Power Guidelines.
2. We have treated this as a request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (**OIA**).

Our response

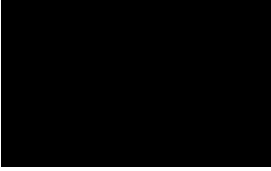
3. The Commission intends to publish the submissions received in response to consultation on the draft Misuse of Market Power Guidelines on our website.¹ We anticipate these will be published mid-late April 2023.
4. We have therefore decided to decline your request under section 18(d) of the OIA on the basis that the information you have requested will soon be publicly available.
5. If you are not satisfied with the Commission's response to your OIA request, section 28(3) of the OIA provides you the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. However, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss any concerns with you first.
6. Please note the Commission will be publishing this response to your request in the OIA register on our website.² Your personal information will be removed from the published response.

¹ <https://comcom.govt.nz/business/business-consultations/draft-misuse-of-market-power-guidelines>

² <https://comcom.govt.nz/about-us/requesting-official-information/oia-register>

7. Please do not hesitate to contact us at uia@comcom.govt.nz if you have any questions about this response.

Yours sincerely



OIA and Information Coordinator

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