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Dear Jo

PROCESS AND ISSUES PAPER FOR AUCKLAND AND CHRISTCHURCH AIRPORTS PSE3

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the Commerce Commission's (Commission) Process and Issues Paper on the review of Auckland and Christchurch Airports' third price setting events.

Wellington International Airport Ltd (WIAL) has participated in the development of the NZ Airports submission and supports the points made in that submission.

The proposed review of Auckland and Christchurch will be the first reviews under the Commission's new approach, under which contextual analysis is a key feature. This new approach has opened up the opportunity to move the information disclosure regime into a role that we consider is true to the original intention of information disclosure, distinct from price control regulation and has the ability to better serve the interests of consumers.

If you have any questions in relation to this submission please contact me at martin@wlg.aero.

Yours sincerely

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