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Price Control Study of Airfield Activities
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Dear Jo

PRICE CONTROL STUDY OF AIRFIELD ACTIVITIES-PROCESS AND PRELIMINARY ISSUES

Thank you for your letter of the 4 June 1998 addressed to Kevin Doddrell.

Ansett New Zealand is certainly supportive of the Commission's proposed price control study on Airfield Activities.

At this stage the only comment we would make is that it would appear the proposed timetable between the first and twenty ninth October gives very little time between the receipt of submissions, conference on the draft report and the release of the final report. It is our view that a greater time should be allowed to correctly address all possible issues.

I look forward to your progress on this issue.

Yours sincerely

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