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Submissions on the Electricity Information
Disclosure Discussion Paper
Network Performance Group
Commerce Commission
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Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Marlborough Lines individual submission on the two Discussion papers:

- Regulation of Electricity Lines Business Review of Information Disclosure Regime.
- Regulation of Electricity Lines Businesses Implementing Valuation Choice for System Fixed Assets.

Marlborough Lines is party to and fully supports the submission prepared by PricewaterhouseCoopers on behalf of 21 ELBs. This individual submission further expands on some aspects of that PricewaterhouseCoopers submission.

As outlined in the conclusion to the submission Marlborough Lines wishes to attend the Commission's conference in March 2005 to further expand on this submission.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ken Forrest'. The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Ken Forrest
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