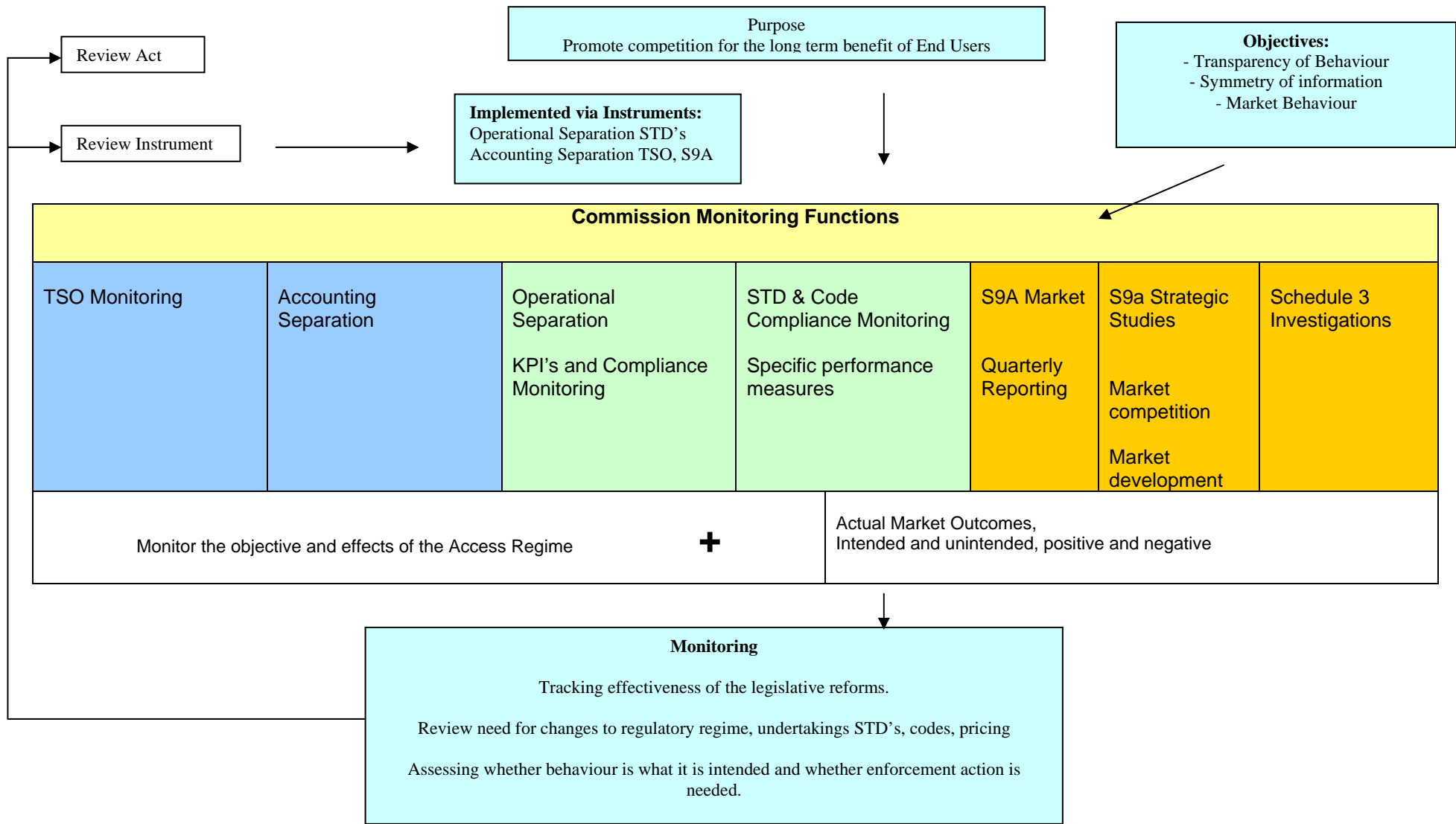


TELECOMMUNICATIONS AMENDMENT ACT 2006



COMMERCE COMMISSION'S TELECOMMUNICATIONS MONITORING FUNCTIONS
(see diagram above)

	Sector Monitoring	Regulatory Reviews	Operational Separation	Info Disclosure & Accounting Sep'n	STD Monitoring	TSO Monitoring
Statutory Monitoring Functions	S9A(1)(a) must monitor markets. S9A(1)(b) may conduct studies	Schedule 3 investigations	Part 2A: Telecom undertakings. S69R order to prevent breach s69X variety of UT's	Part 2B: S692B Accounting Sep. S69ZG Info publication	Part 2: S300 terms within STD's. S69ZC Access Principles. S30R STD reviews.	Part 3 S80 compliance assessment. Part 2 of Deed.
How our functions are carried out	Structured info gathering of Telco market effects & o/all performance & specific studies	Formal investigations on whether schedule of regulated services should be changed	Draw on IOG and other sources to identify potential for breach; and monitor the broader effects of UT's in markets	Formal requirements for Telecom to provide a broad range of info to Commission for publication.	Specific monitoring terms in STD's; issue information requirements to access providers as part of a review under s30R.	Formally assess compliance with TSO and with SQM for TSO services
Deliverables	- Telco Key stats - Market Monitor - NGN Study - Numbering Study	Report to Minister with Commissions recommendations	-c111 Reports, c84.2 - Monitoring reports for own use eg: risk analysis and variation requests.	- Regulatory Accounts. - Performance info - Public reports - STD and AP reports	Reports on compliance with both STD terms and with access principles.	Audited report on SQM's
Goals	Monitor o/all regime, inform public and identify market failure	Identify whether regulatory changes are required	Non discrimination, transparency and efficient investment in telecoms sector (s69A).	Public disclosure of info on op's and behaviour of Telecom NZ, other Access Providers & STD,s	Effective and transparent STD's	Effective TSO instrument
Other Functions	Publish reports and reviews as the Commission	Power to investigate changes to regulated services	Enforcement powers: Part 4A S69R S69Q	Enforcement powers to prescribe information for disclosure	STD Decision making powers	Enforcement of TSO conditions