

Water Services Information Disclosure (Minor Amendments) Amendment Determination 2026

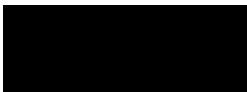
[2026] NZCC 26

The Commission

Dr John Small
Loretta Lovell
Graham Mitchell

Date of decision:

27 July 2026



Robert Cahn
27 July 2026
COMMERCE COMMISSION
Wellington, New Zealand

Determination history		
Determination date	Decision number	Determination name
20 February 2026	[2026] NZCC 3	Water Services Information Disclosure Determination 2026
27 July 2026	[2026] NZCC 26	Water Services Information Disclosure (Minor Amendments) Amendment Determination 2026

Under s 52P of the Commerce Act 1986, the Commerce Commission makes the following determination:

1. TITLE

- 1.1 This determination is the Water Services Information Disclosure (Minor Amendments) Amendment Determination 2026.

2. DETERMINATION AMENDED

- 2.1 This determination amends the Water Services Information Disclosure Determination 2026 [2026] NZCC 3 (**principal determination**).

3. COMMENCEMENT

- 3.1 This determination comes into force on 31 July 2026.

4. PRINCIPAL DETERMINATION AMENDMENTS

- 4.1 Replace clause 2.4(3)(b) with:

...

“(b) does not apply in relation to information disclosed under any of the following clauses:

- (i) clauses 3.4 to 3.7:
- (ii) clause 4.1:
- (iii) clauses 4.3 to 4.6:
- (iv) clauses 4.8 to 4.10:
- (v) clauses 5.27 to 5.29:
- (vi) clause 5.32:
- (vii) clauses 5.34 to 5.37.”

- 4.2 In clauses 4.3 to 4.5, clauses 4.11 and 4.12, and clause A12(2), delete “to the Commission”.

- 4.3 In clauses 4.4 and 4.12, replace “5 working days” with “10 working days”.

- 4.4 Replace clause A1(3)(h) to (j) with:

...

“(h) clause 5.24 in respect of non-network operating expenditure categories:

- (i) clause 5.27:
- (j) clause 5.28(3):
- (k) clauses 5.30 to 5.36.”

- 4.5 Replace clause A11 with:

“A11 Disclosure under clauses 4.6, 4.7, and 4.8 not required until 1 August 2026

A regulated supplier is not required to disclose information under any of clauses 4.6, 4.7, and 4.8 until 1 August 2026.”

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the determination but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This determination amends certain provisions of the principal determination to address several small implementation and drafting issues.

The determination is secondary legislation made under s 52P of the Commerce Act 1986.

This is secondary legislation issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019 .	
Title	Water Services Information Disclosure (Minor Amendments) Amendment Determination 2026
Principal or amendment	Amendment
Consolidated version	No
Empowering Act and provisions	Commerce Act 1986, section 52P
Replacement empowering Act and provisions	Not applicable
Maker name	Commerce Commission
Administering agency	Commerce Commission
Date made	27 July 2026
Publication date	27 July 2026
Notification date	27 July 2026
Commencement date	31 July 2026
End date (when applicable)	Not applicable
Consolidation as at date	Not applicable
Related instruments	Water Services Information Disclosure Determination 2026 [2026] NZCC 3

**Consistency Accountability Statement: Water Services Information Disclosure
(Minor Amendments) Amendment Determination 2026**

Agency Responsible	Commerce Commission
Portfolio	Commerce and Consumer Affairs
Date finalised	6 July 2026
Identification number	N/A

Statement of Review

I confirm that the Commerce Commission has assessed the above legislation, and the process for developing it, for consistency with the principles of responsible regulation as set out in section 9 of the Regulatory Standards Act 2025. This assessment identified no inconsistencies with the principles of responsible regulation.



Suzanne Stewart
Chief Executive Officer
Commerce Commission