

DRAFT FOR CONSULTATION

Telecommunications (Fibre Regulatory Settings) Regulations 2019

Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this day of 2019

Present:
in Council

These regulations are made under section 226 of the Telecommunications Act 2001—

- (a) on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council; and
- (b) on the recommendation of the Minister of Broadcasting, Communications, and Digital Media given in accordance with section 226(1) of that Act.

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Regulations

1 Title

These regulations are the Telecommunications (Fibre Regulatory Settings) Regulations 2019.

2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 31 December 2021.

3 Interpretation

In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

Act means the Telecommunications Act 2001

4 Transitional, savings, and related provisions

The transitional, savings, and related provisions (if any) set out in Schedule 1 have effect according to their terms.

5 Persons subject to information disclosure regulation

Except as provided for in regulation 7, Each person set out in column 1 of the following table is subject to information disclosure regulation under Part 6 of the Act in respect of the services set out in column 2:

Column 1	Column 2
Person subject to information disclosure regulation	Services subject to regulation
Chorus Limited	All fibre fixed line access services
Enable Networks Limited	All fibre fixed line access services
Northpower Fibre Limited	All fibre fixed line access services
Northpower LFC2 Limited	All fibre fixed line access services
UltraFast Fibre Limited	All fibre fixed line access services

6 Persons subject to price-quality regulation

Except as provided for in regulation 7, Each person set out in column 1 in the following table is subject to price-quality regulation under Part 6 of the Act in respect of the services set out in column 2:

Column 1	Column 2
Person subject to price-quality regulation	Services subject to regulations
Chorus Limited	All fibre fixed line access services

7 Geographic areas in which persons are not subject to information disclosure regulation and price-quality regulation

Each person specified in regulations 5 and 6 is not subject to information disclosure regulation or price-quality regulation, as the case may be, in respect of fibre fixed line access services where the end-users' premises, building or other access point is located in a geographic area where another person is required to construct a fibre-

to-the-premises access network under the UFB initiative.

Schedule
Transitional, savings, and related provisions

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Part 1
Provisions relating to these regulations as made

There are no transitional, savings, or related provisions relating to these regulations as made.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2012.

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These regulations are administered by the Ministry of Business, Innovation, and Employment.