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**Sent:** Thursday, 28 June 2018 10:40 a.m.  
**To:** Corporate Law  
**Subject:** Re: Have Your Say — The publication of directors' residential addresses and beneficial ownership

Hi there,

Good morning!

My feedback for MBIE

I am responding to the NZ Companies Office email as below, to say I think directors' residential addresses should NOT be published.

My reason is for personal privacy and safety, especially as a woman business owner, we don't want our addresses available.

Many thanks and best wishes  
Megan

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On Thursday, 28 June 2018, 10:01:15 AM NZST, The New Zealand Companies Office <[info@comms.companies.govt.nz](mailto:info@comms.companies.govt.nz)> wrote:

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## Have Your Say — The publication of directors' residential addresses and beneficial ownership

You are receiving this email as you are a frequent user of the New Zealand Companies Office.

The Companies Office is the authoritative source of information about New Zealand businesses, which are administered across a number of different registers, including the Companies Register.

You are invited to make submissions on two areas that the Ministry of

Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE) is currently consulting on:

**1. Should directors' residential addresses be publicly available if a Director Identification Number (DIN) is introduced?**

The Government is currently looking into whether New Zealand should introduce a director identification number (DIN). As part of the DIN work we have an opportunity to consider whether the residential addresses of New Zealand company directors should continue to be published on the Companies Register. MBIE seeks your feedback on the publication of directors' residential addresses on the Companies Register if a DIN were to be introduced.

Submissions close on 3 August 2018.

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**2. Increasing the transparency of the beneficial ownership of New Zealand Companies and Limited Partnerships**

There is an international trend towards increasing the transparency of beneficial ownership to combat the misuse of corporate entities by criminals. MBIE seeks your feedback on what requirements there should be on New Zealand companies and limited partnerships to hold and disclose information about their beneficial owners.

Submissions close on 3 August 2018.

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