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Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Labour
Matagaluega o Pisinisi, Alamanuia ma Leipa



The Role of the Competition and Consumer Commission

A guide for businesses and consumers

The role of the Commission

The Competition and Consumer Commission is an independent body that administers and enforces the Competition and Consumer Act 2016 (the CCA).

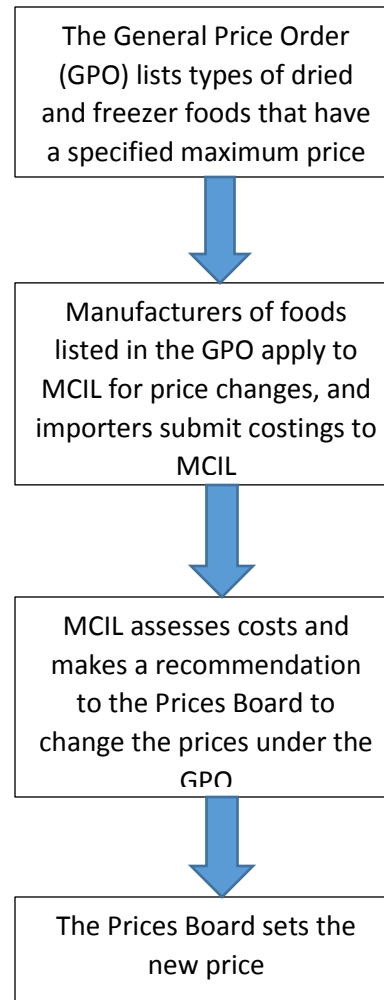
The Commission has the following functions under section 7 of the CCA:

- *Advise the Minister responsible for commerce on competition, consumer protection and prices;*
- *Conduct research into competition, consumer protection and prices;*
- *Promote business compliance with the CCA;*
- *Promote skills development in the legal, economic and policy aspects of competition, consumer protection and prices oversight;*
- *Educate the public on the value of competition and consumer protections; and*
- *Issue guidelines on competition, consumer protection, pricing and the administration of the CCA.*

Under Parts 6 and 7 of the CCA, the Commission has the power to conduct investigations into legal breaches and take enforcement action, including litigation.

Price Control

Old system



New system



Mo nisi faamatalaga faafesootai le Vaega o Fefaatauaiga
Talafeagai i Apia, Fogafale 3 Maota o Taii mo
Fa'alavelave Faafuasei, 20441 po o le Ofisa i Savaii, Fale
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GALUEGA TAUAVE A LE KOMISI O FAIGA FA'ATAUVAGA MA TAGATA E FA'AAOGAINA OLOA MA AUAUNAGA

Taiala mo pisinisi ma tagata fa'aoga oloa

Galuega Tauave a le Komisi

O le Komisi o le itutino e tutoatasi e galueaina ma faamalosia le Tulafono o Faiga Faatauvaga o Fefaatauaiga ma le Puipuiga o Tagata e Faaaogaina Oloa ma Auaunaga

O galuega tauave nei a le Komisi e tusa ai ma le vaega 7 o le Tulafono:

- *Fautuaina le Minisita i faiga faatauvaga, puipuiga o tagata e faaaogaina oloa ma auaunaga ma tau o oloa;*
- *Faautaitaia saililiga i mataupu e aafia ai faiga faatauvaga, puipuiga o tagata e faaaogaina oloa ma auaunaga ma tau o oloa;*
- *Uunaia le faaaogaina o faiga faafoe faalotoifale ma faafoega o lamatiaga e tagata o tauaveina pisinisi;*
- *Uunaia suesuega faapitoa ma le atinae o tomai e faatatau i itu faaletulafono, tulaga tau tamaoaiga ma faiga faavae, faatauvaga, puipuiga o tagata e faaaogaina oloa ma auaunaga ma le pulega o tau o oloa;*
- *Uunaia le faalauiloa o le malamalama o tagata lautele i le taua o faiga faatauvaga ma puipuiga o tagata e faaaogaina oloa ma auaunaga;*
- *Tauaveina so o se isi lava galuega tauave ua faaee atu e lenei Tulafono .*

Faatonutonuina o Tau o Oloa

Faiga Faavae Tuai

O le Poloaiga Aoao o Tau o Oloa o loo faatulaga ai tau mauualuluga faatapulaa mo oloa tuu fata ma tuuaise.

O fale gaosi oloa mo oloa gaosia i le atunuu e talosaga mai i le Matagaluega mo suiga o tau o oloa faapena foi pisinisi mo oloa auina mai fafo e tuuina mai pepa o faamatalaga.

E iloilo e le Matagaluega talosaga ma pepa o faamatalaga ma fai fautuaga i le Komiti Faatino o Tau o Oloa mo suiga i tau o oloa.

O le Komiti Faatino Tau o Oloa e faamaonia ma pasiaina tau o oloa.

Faiga Faavae Fou

E tusa ai ma le Tulafono o Faiga Faatauvaga o Fefaatauaiga ma le Puipuia o Tagata e Faaaogaina Oloa ma Auaunaga, e leai ni Poloaiga o Tau o Oloa ae faamalosia faiga faatauvaga.

E mafai ona manaomia e le Minisita mai le Komisi se lipoti o le suesuega o le tau o se oloa ua le tusa ai ma faiga faatauvaga.

Afai ae faamaonia e le Komisi ua lē talafeagai faatauvaga i tau o ni oloa, ua talosagaina loa le faia o se Poloaiga o Tau o Oloa e puleaina ai tau o nei oloa.

E faamaonia e le Ao o le Malo le faia o lenei Poloaiga o Tau o Oloa e faalagolago i fautuaga a le Kapeneta.