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Dear Alice Cole Roberts

**Re: Consultation Competition and Markets Authority (CMA)
the Office of Fair Trading (OFT) and the Competition
Commission (CC).**

EJF is writing in response to the invitation to The Competition and Markets Authority (CMA) consultation. With inclusion of Disabled Persons.

Her Majesty's Treasury, sometimes referred to as the Exchequer, or more informally the Treasury, is the United Kingdom government department responsible for developing and executing the British government's public finance policy is consulting on updating the guidance on the use of sunset clauses and the duration of remedies issued in its [Market investigations guidelines \(CC3\)](#).

Full employment is what the Queen promised in her speech of Twenty Fifteen 2015.

In the dealing with the general public! disabled persons are not always considered in an appropriate manner for inclusion in most schemes. Formerly performed by; the Office of Fair Trading (OFT) and the Competition Commission (CC). What happen when this new

Competition and Markets Authority (CMA) run out of money and how will the (CMA) be able to take on the enforcement of correcting issues?

Education and some disabled person is two separate “Main Bodies” in life. Will need to make provision for in terms of education in any new scheme,

Whatever this country is consulting on is of great interest to disabled persons, things are getting so complicated for disabled people.

1.19 It remains open to the relevant parties to apply for variation or revocation of the remedies on the basis of a change of circumstances rather than awaiting the CMA’s own-initiative review. Does this mean that every person must apply to get proper remedy?

2. Questions for consideration

Q1. In your view, does the updated text of the Guidelines in Appendix 1 give effect to the CMA’s intentions as described above? *Not very assuring and we are not quite sure how this will work-out.*

Q2. Is the updated text of the Guidelines sufficiently clear? **No.**

If there are particular aspects of the amended text where you feel greater clarity is necessary, please be specific about the aspects concerned and the changes that you would propose to improve them. ... ***Traditionally disabled persons cannot get work of any real value. If this is an open system then EJF and Disabled Persons will need to registered for fair access to A-Z of access to justice, by acting in person or by personal representation (s)***

Q3. Do the factors set out in paragraph 6 (of Amendment 1 to Appendix 1) identify the key considerations the CMA should have regard to when considering the duration of remedies and the use of sunset clauses? ... ***sunset clause need son-me form of clear issues resolution to satisfy vulnerable people.*** Are there other factors to

which the CMA should have regard?.. ***Employment for disabled persons.***

Q4. Is the CMA's ability to achieve this objective enhanced by setting an expectation when introducing new remedies without a sunset clause (or with a long sunset clause), ... ***Good remedy and legal enforcements .***

the CMA will initiate a review of the continuing need for such remedies within ten years?... ***We will go with popular opinion...*** Do you consider that ten years is a suitable long-stop date for a review, bearing in mind that if the parties to a remedy identify a change of circumstance earlier they can request a review? .. ***Too long perhaps 5 years.***

Q5. Do you have any other comments about the proposed amendments to the Guidelines? ***Consumers is the most role that disabled people are forced to take, whilst EJF agree that some form of change is taking place we will need to put this on the Educational and Employment Agenda, for further action.***

EJF, hope this has been helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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