



**MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**  
MANATŪ KAIHOKOHOKO

## What we do

### Our vision: Confident consumers

Our main role is to create an environment that promotes good and accurate information flows between suppliers and consumers so that consumers can transact with confidence.

We are part of the Ministry of Economic Development.

[Visit the Ministry of Economic Development's website for more about MED's purpose, and strategies and priorities.](#)

### Our Minister

Hon Chris Tremain is the Minister of Consumer Affairs.

[View his profile on the Parliament website.](#)

## What we do

- Develop consumer policy including consumer protection, product safety and weights and measures
- provide appropriate, accurate and accessible information, education and advice for consumers and businesses on consumer laws and issues
- investigate unsafe consumer products
- provide advice on consumer representation, including a consumer representation nomination service to government departments and agencies
- administer a range of consumer legislation
- enforce the Weights and Measures Act 1987.

[Find out what we don't do, and who may be able to help you.](#)

[Find out about the Ministry's organisational structure.](#)

[Find out more about Weights and Measures.](#)

### Job vacancies

The Ministry of Economic Development advertises jobs at the Ministry of Consumer Affairs.

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### Papers and Reports

[Briefing to incoming Minister 2012](#) [PDF format 100KB] (on Ministry of Economic Development website.)

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