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To Whom This May Concern,

MV Technology supplies both directly to the DNSP monopoly businesses and supplies to other parties (ASP's, distributors).

As a result, MV Technology seeks clarification from the AER regarding the Ring-Fencing Guidelines, if it includes the practice of DNSP Monopoly business on-selling of materials into the contestable market.

The Ring Fencing Guidelines should apply to the practice of on-selling goods by the DNSP monopoly business, as this is unregulated income, and therefore should have the same functional, financial and branding separation guidelines applied to the DNSP Monopoly business as the provision of services. If it does not include the practice of on-selling, the guidelines should be extended to include this so that any anti-competitive or cross subsidy of their selling prices and methods can be removed, and a level playing field established for the on-selling of all materials.

Kind regards,



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