

Reference number CR1589

Contact name

Niraj Shekhawatia

Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

Yes

Organisation name

Bhagwati Australia Pty Ltd

Type of organisation

Business

Business size

Small

Industry

Retail Trade

Is your submission confidential?

No

Submission type

Have Your Say

Comment

I would like to express strong objection to the strengthening of duopoly of Coles and Woolworths which are now slowly gulping up all small business operators as well as local producers. This will lead into our families and kids loose our livelihood and we will become the puppet of these giants who will then twist the market on their terms and conditions. There is already enormous pressure on suppliers where they have been squeezed to last drop of blood by coles and woolies with threatening of losing supply contracts if not agree for desired rebates and discounts . I would like to request authorities to save our small businesses and support independent retailers to continue their local trade and able to feed the families. Government should take firm step and come forward to support small independent retailers.