Submission in response to consultation on ticket reselling in New Zealand

Name (full) Caroline Chapman Organisation (if applicable) Submitter category Individual consumer Have you experienced problems with ticket resale? Yes, I have personally experienced a problem Please share your experiences, either positive or negative Have paid very high prices for tickets that were held back by ticket agency Your views on the issues Are these problems serious enough to require changes to the law or industry practices? Yes Tell us what you think Your views on the options, and the pros and cons Price cap on resale tickets: Option C: Original sale price + resale costs Why did you choose the option above? Please explain Scalpers need to be outlawed More information disclosure: Do you agree with this option? Why or why not? Yes Ban on ticket-buying bots: Do you agree with this option? Why or why not? Yes Joint industry-government actions: Do you agree with this option? Why or why not? Yes

Are there other solutions that would work well?