

CoSBA



Combined Small Business Alliance of WA (Inc)

Date: 11 January 2015



Hon Bruce Billson MP
Minister for Small Business
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Minister,

Re: Franchising Code of Conduct

On behalf of our President, CoSBA members and small businesses at large, I wish to convey to you and your Government our appreciation for the introduction of the new Franchising Code of Conduct.

As a strident advocate for and supporter of the new provision in the Code that are designed to protect small business franchisees, CoSBA looks forward to proactive implementation and enforcement of the Code by the respective agencies charged with so doing.

Whilst there is much more for the Government to do in the interest of small business, this initiative provides small business with optimism that the Government will continue to take steps to ameliorate the burden of Government imposts upon small business.

That by necessity should include the removal of the union/Labor imposed process of the ATO determining who can be defined a small business - and returning to the "common law" process, and the continuing reduction of red tape, with particular emphasis placed on that red tape that affects small business.

Yours faithfully

**Combined Small Business Alliance
of Western Australia Inc. (CoSBA)**

OLIVER MOON
Chief Executive Officer

cc: Hon Joe Francis, Minister for Small Business