



Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Act 2024

2024 CHAPTER 13

PART 1

DIGITAL MARKETS

CHAPTER 6

INVESTIGATORY POWERS ETC AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS

Investigatory powers etc

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- (1) If the CMA considers that an individual (“X”) has information relevant to a digital markets investigation, the CMA may give a notice to X requiring X to answer questions with respect to any matter relevant to that digital markets investigation—
 - (a) at a place or in a manner (which may be remote) specified in the notice, and
 - (b) either at a time specified in the notice or on receipt of the notice.
- (2) The CMA must include in the notice—
 - (a) details of the digital markets investigation;
 - (b) information about the possible consequences of not complying with the notice.
- (3) Where X is connected to (see section 118(3)) the undertaking that is the subject of the digital markets investigation, the CMA must give a copy of the notice under subsection (1) to the undertaking.
- (4) The CMA must comply with the requirement under subsection (3)—
 - (a) at the time the notice is given to X, or

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- (b) where that is not practicable, as soon as reasonably practicable after the notice is given to X.
- (5) The CMA, or any person nominated by it, may take evidence in answer to questions under [subsection \(1\)](#) on oath, and for that purpose may administer oaths.
- (6) The powers conferred by [this section](#) are not exercisable in relation to an individual outside the United Kingdom.