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I have concerns with the requirement that "Councils would not be allowed to: procure or install bus shelters in their municipality" it is not clear at this stage how many shelters will be installed and where they will be installed and who decides this. It seems Council will not be making these decisions. Moreover the contract does not cover rural areas. So if Council has a need say to install a shelter in a remote area or a country area where there is a genuine need for a shelter this contract commitment will forbid it. I think it is sufficient to have an agreement to install shelters with advertising through the DOI but where there is no advertising involved Councils should not be restricted from installing shelters purchased via another contractor.

And how do we maintain our existing shelters if we can't enter into a maintenance agreement apart from doing it ourselves. It's too restrictive.

Regards

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