

Karen Godfrey  
Productivity Commission

Dear Karen

Please accept this submission to the PC Inquiry into Philanthropy. What the attached research shows is that there is a correlation between donation behaviour and religious status of a person.

The key elements of the analysis relate to binary logistic regression using an established database. As such this is a similar method taken to the seminal works of Lyons and Nivison.

The purpose of this submission is to inform the Commissioners in their analysis of critical factors influencing philanthropy, with religiosity being a critical factor according to this analysis.

Yours sincerely

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