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Standing Committee on Planning and Urban Renewal  
Inquiry into Billboards.

Noooo! Don't do it!!!

Whenever I travel interstate I am struck by how ugly it is having billboards everywhere. The ACT has a lovely clean&green feel which would be ruined by the intrusion of billboards. People come here to work for the public service but many stay here because Canberra has such great character - our city is a much-loved alternative to the stress and corporate greed of Sydney. We should not be copying Sydney's laws, we should be embracing our own character and culture. Billboards have no place in the Bush Capital.

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