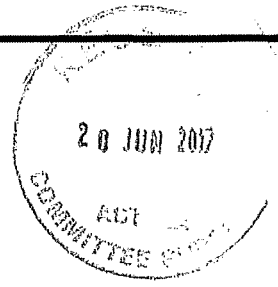


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Geez, in what way do billboards have the "potential to enliven urban areas", as per the inquiry's terms of reference?!

It's visual noise that doesn't help people, and we're currently relatively free of it. The ACT Gov't has no meaningful capacity to regulate the increasingly insidious advertising industry online, but you do have the capacity to give people some solace in their own neighbourhoods. Well, really, you've given people that solace for 80 years. On what basis would you cancel that?

Cheers,

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