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To: Committees
Subject: Submission on Billboard Inquiry



Dear Planning and Urban Renewal Committee,

RE: INQUIRY INTO BILLBOARDS

As a proud resident of the ACT for over 20 years, I am strongly opposed to any changes to the current rules and practices concerning billboards in the ACT. I am also opposed to the establishment of designated areas for billboard advertising or any relaxation of the current regulation.

My objections are focussed around:

The current regulations for billboard advertising have enabled Canberra to develop and maintain a unique character which would be lost.

I am concerned with driver safety particularly in regards to electronic billboards (eg bright visual distractions).


The potential impact on devaluing property prices for nearby homes or businesses.

The potential risk of having inappropriate advertising content in public areas.

I fail to understand how billboard advertising would 'enliven' urban areas.

Thankyou for accepting this submission.

kind regards,
Howie Tien

	
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