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**From:** Robin Sevenoaks  
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**To:** Committees  
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I wish to make a submission about Billboard Advertising to the Committee Secretary Standing Committee on Inquiry into Billboards.

I make this submission as a private citizen and resident of Canberra.

Name: Robin Sevenoaks

I urge the committee to take into account:

1. The loss of visual amenity that billboards cause in the landscape
2. The distraction billboards provide to drivers
3. The damage caused by billboards in an otherwise beautiful environment that is Canberra, our national capital
4. The social impact of unrealistic adds
5. The contrast between those areas outside of Canberra that allow advertising and those that don't


To sum up I strongly urge the committee to recommend against relaxing the laws on advertising to preserve what is a very beautiful city which in many ways is a showcase for the rest of Australia.

I am willing to appear at the public hearing.

Thank you for accepting this submission.

Regards,

Robin Sevenoaks.

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