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### Joint Committee on Publications

Inquiry into printing standards for documents presented to Parliament

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## NEW INQUIRY INTO THE PRINTING STANDARDS FOR DOCUMENTS PRESENTED TO PARLIAMENT

The [Joint Committee on Publications](#) has launched a new inquiry into printing standards for documents presented to Parliament.

The inquiry will review the current standards for documents presented to Parliament. Since the last review of printing standards in 2007, the costs, technologies and capabilities associated with printing have changed significantly.

The inquiry will focus on the relevance of the current printing standards and their scope of application in an increasingly digital and online environment. The inquiry also follows on from the recent Australian Government Printing and Publications Review conducted by the Department of Finance and the Independent Review of Whole-of-Government Internal Regulation (the Belcher Review) commissioned by the Secretaries Board. The terms of reference can be found [here](#).

Submissions are open until 3 January 2017. Please notify the [Committee secretariat](#) if you intend to make a submission.

To receive updates, you can [Track this inquiry](#)

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