



THE SENATE

ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

Media diversity in Australia

**PUBLIC HEARING
Monday 6 September 2021**

**Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	Google Australia (<i>Submission 78</i>) Ms Lucinda Longcroft, Director of Public Policy, Google Australia and New Zealand Ms Samantha Yorke, Senior Manager, Government Affairs & Public Policy, Google Australia & New Zealand
10.00 am	<i>Morning tea</i>
10.10 am	Sky News Australia (<i>Submission 15</i>) Mr Paul Whittaker, Chief Executive Officer
11.10 am	The Hon Kevin Rudd AC (<i>Submission 52</i>)
11.40 am	<i>Lunch</i>
12.30 pm	Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications (<i>Submission 49</i>) Mr Richard Windeyer, Deputy Secretary, Communications & Media Ms Pauline Sullivan, First Assistant Secretary, Online Safety, Media & Platforms Division Mr Mike Makin, Assistant Secretary, News & Media Industry Branch Mr Jason Potkins, Acting Assistant Secretary, Content & Copyright Branch Australian Communications and Media Authority (<i>Submission 36</i>) Ms Nerida O'Loughlin, Chair Ms Crenia Chapman, Deputy Chair and CEO Ms Cathy Rainsford, General Manager, Content & Consumer Division
1.30 pm	United Firefighters Union Victorian Branch (<i>Submission 46</i>) Mr Peter Marshall, Secretary
2.00 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>