

Environment and Communications Legislation Committee

The committee met on Thursday, 24 May 2012 from 9.01 am to 11.00 pm.

The committee called the:

- department and agencies of the Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy portfolio including Australia Post and the NBN Co.

Among other issues, the following matters were discussed:

- the increased use of parcel post with the growth of online shopping
- complaints from older Australians about the reduction in size and font of the most recent phone books produced by Sensis
- progress of the digital television switchover across the country
- provision of satellite services to Indigenous communities
- progress of the National Broadband Network roll out.