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Inquiry into IT Pricing in Australia

I wish to draw the Committees' attention to another example of Australians being ripped-off when they buy digital music from the iTunes online store.

When I wen to purchase albums by Jerry Jeff Walker, they are initially listed at less than \$10. The screenshot below illustrates this.

When I went to purchase an album the price jumped to \$16.99 (Live from Dixie's Bar & Bus stop). When I tried again later, the price displayed was again \$9.99. This time when I tried to purchase the album, I received the following message "The item is currently being modified. Please try again later."

I suspect that Apple is trying to stop me buying at the US price, which is probably the one displayed when I first log onto the site.

I hope the Committee can put an end to the discriminatory practices of Apple.

Yours sincerely

Robert Webber

Albums Page 1



20th Century Masters - The Mill...

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Sep 10, 2002

★★★★ 20 Ratings

★★★ * 10 Ratings

\$9.99



Ultimate Collection: Jerry Jeff W...

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Aug 28, 2001

★★★☆ 15 Ratings





The Best of Jerry Jeff Walker

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1980

\$8.99



Viva Terlingua (Live)

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1973

** * * 23 Ratings

\$8.99



Ridin' High

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1975

★★★★★ 21 Ratings

\$8.99

\$9.99



Great Gonzos

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Aug 27, 1991

★★★★★ 10 Ratings

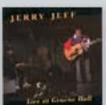
\$9.99



Cowboy Boots and Bathin' Suits

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Apr 14, 1998

★★★★ 14 Ratings



Live At Gruene Hall

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1989

★★★★ 11 Ratings

\$9.90



A Man Must Carry On, Vol. 2

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1977

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\$9.99

\$9.99



A Man Must Carry On, Volume ...

Jerry Jeff Walker Released 1977

** * * * 8 Ratings

\$8.99



Night After Night

* * * 6 Ratings

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Dec 28, 1995

食食食食育 7 Ratings

JERRY JEFF WALKER

Live from Dixie's Bar & Bus Stop

Jerry Jeff Walker Released Jul 31, 2012

\$9.99

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