

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS Film and Television Inquiry Public Hearing: 9 August 2017 Chair: Luke Howarth MP

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Film and television industry inquiry hears from actor Roy Billing

The House of Representatives Standing Committee on Communications and the Arts will conduct a public hearing in Canberra this week to hear from well-known actor Roy Billing.

The Chair of the committee, Mr Luke Howarth MP, stated that 'Roy Billing is a household name in Australia, appearing in films like Rabbit Proof Fence and the Dish, and television shows like Underbelly, House Husbands and Blue Heelers.'

'The Committee looks forward to hearing from this veteran of our screen industry and discussing some of the issues facing actors in Australia today', added Mr Howarth.

PUBLIC HEARING DETAILS

PUBLIC HEARING CANBERRA Wednesday, 9 August 2017 Committee Room 1R6

Parliament House Canberra

12.45am Mr Roy Billing OAM

1.30pm Finish

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