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Dear Committee

Re: Senate inquiry into the reporting of news and the emergence of digital media

We refer to the Supplementary Submission of Australian Associated Press Pty Ltd (AAP) to the Inquiry.

In light of all the evidence submitted to the Inquiry, if the Senate Committee forms the view that intervention is necessary, we would not, in principle, oppose AAP's proposal for a mandatory industry code of practice under the Trade Practices Act as set out at paragraph 2.4 of the Supplementary Submission.

Yours sincerely

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