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The Secretary
The Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications Legislation Committee
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RE: SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

I wish to provide the Committee with material supplementary to my evidence of 18 May 2015 at the hearing in Melbourne (so as to not mislead the Committee).

Senator URQUHART asked: *Is it your belief that Minister Turnbull previously opposed advertising on SBS?*

I provide the following supplementary material (clarification) to my answer given:-

In 2011, Mr Turnbull – who was then the Shadow Minister – told Save Our SBS that if he had been in the Parliament in 1991 – the year that SBS was granted permission to broadcast advertisements – he would have voted against that. Mr Turnbull made his comment to me and the Save Our SBS Secretary on 8 April 2011 in Melbourne. Also present was Mr Turnbull's then Advisor.

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