



Internode CEO to appear before NBN Committee in Melbourne

Chair of the Committee overseeing the rollout of the National Broadband Network, Robert Oakeshott, today confirmed that Internode CEO, Simon Hackett will appear before the committee in Melbourne on 28 July as part of its ongoing review.

Mr Oakeshott said "Mr Hackett and Internode have been the first to release retail prices to hang off the government's wholesale platform, and at the same time Mr Hackett has made some stinging comments about the reasons behind those costs for smaller retailers. The committee has obviously found these comments to be of interest and therefore invited him to give evidence. I am pleased he has accepted, and look forward to the discussion."

PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION:

Thursday, 28 July 2011, Legislative Council Committee Room, Parliament House, Spring Street, Melbourne

8.30 am	Internode
9.30 am	Post Office Agents Association Limited
10.00 am	Capgemini Australia
10.30 am	Australia On Line

Audio of the hearing will be available at: <http://webcast.aph.gov.au/livebroadcasting/>

For media comment: please contact the Chair's Office on 0429 787 320.

Further information about the inquiry is available: by contacting the Committee Secretariat on (02) 6277 2322 via email jcnbn@aph.gov.au or by visiting the committee's webpage at: www.aph.gov.au/jcnbn/telbill