

glossary and abbreviations

ACCC	Australian Competition and Consumer Commission
Act	the Trade Practices Act
AFL	Australian Football League
amicus curiae	'friend of the court'—Counsel who assists the court by putting arguments in support of an interest that might not be adequately represented by the parties to the proceedings, such as the public interest.
AMWU	Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union
ANAO	Australian National Audit Office
AWU	Australian Workers' Union
CEPU	Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia
CJ	Chief Justice
Dawson inquiry	review of the Trade Practices Act inquiry, chaired by Sir Daryl Dawson
ex-officio commissioners	hold office on the Commission because they head up other regulatory agencies
GST	goods and services tax
HECS	Higher Education Contribution Scheme
NEM	national electricity market
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
pay TV	subscription television services
s. 87B undertaking	court enforceable undertaking made under section 87B of the Trade Practices Act
TPA	Trade Practices Act
the tribunal	Australian Competition Tribunal