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Dear Sir / Madam,

Please accept my submission opposing eBay International AG's intended restriction of previously acceptable payment methods.

The move to having Paypal (also owned by eBay) as the ONLY means of payment offered by eBay sellers is monopolistic, un-Australian, anti-choice and akin to a Westfield mall forcing the proprietors of all stores therein to accept only a Westfield credit card as payment.

The "cash on pick up" option is not applicable given that most eBay transactions are conducted on an interstate or international basis. Those in remote areas will also be placed at a disadvantage having even less choice than others.

There is no benefit to the eBay buyer by allowing this change. There are no benefits for eBay sellers by allowing this change. The only entity that will benefit is eBay.

I offer Paypal as one of the many methods of payment to my buyers because I believe they should be afforded just that - a choice.

1. the proposed conduct will result in a substantial lessening of competition;
2. the public benefit that may result from the proposed conduct would not outweigh the detriment to the public caused by the lessening of competition.

Regards Rodney c Coles, Fairsales2 on ebay