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**Subject:** Copyright submission

Good Morning

I am a primary  teacher /librarian with more than 30 years’ experience managing a school library

As a teacher, I routinely photocopy, print, scan and electronically share material with students in the classroom.

The Educational Statutory Licence system makes my job easy. I can copy and share so much material, for a fraction  of the commercial cost of a textbook.

It is also reassuring to know that the people who create the educational content I use receive payment for their skill, time and effort.

I understand a recommendation has been made to remove the current system and replace it with a combination of new arrangements.

I strongly oppose any change to the current system that will create any further burden on my time.

I strongly oppose any change to the current system that creates uncertainty about what I can and cannot share with my students.

I strongly oppose any change to the current system that takes away fair remuneration from the people who create high-quality Australian educational resources, many of whom are teachers, which I rely on and value highly.

Yours sincerely

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