

# UQFL180

## Friends of the ABC Collection

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| <b>Size</b>      | 1 box  |
| <b>Contents</b>  | Membership records, minutes, reports, newsletter, correspondence, bank statement, publications, proposed constitution, annual report, cheque book.                 |
| <b>Biography</b> | Friends of the ABC (Qld) was formed spontaneously as a broadcasting consumer group to publicise and to take action against threats to the independence of the ABC. |
| <b>Notes</b>     | Open access  |

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### Box 1

#### Folder 1

Constitution

Proposed constitution - also draft rules for organisations seeking registration (annotated) 1976-77

Two holograph letters

Marjorie (Roe) unsigned

Secretary FOABC, signed S Wyeth

#### Folder 2

Membership records

List of members - names and addresses on cards

List of members - handwritten and photocopied

Enrolment forms of members

Dates covered 1977-79

#### Folder 3

Public Inquiry into Independence for the ABC, Saturday, 4 March 1978

Notes, seminar programme, speakers' scripts (some scripts contain author's amendments)

#### Folder 4

Proceedings of the Public Inquiry into Independence of the ABC.

Edited version of papers presented at seminar

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**Folder 5**

Public Inquiry into Independence of the ABC. Papers prepared for publication

**Folder 6**

Friends of ABC Monitoring Group

News programmes on Channel O and Channel 2 in June 1977 - range of items and positioning in telecast listed

**Folder 7**

Minutes:

- 9 Dec 1976 - 2 Nov 1977
- 3 Jun 1979

**Folder 8**

Annual meeting 4 Mar 1978: Agenda, Annual Report, Treasurer's report

**Folder 9**

Slogan competition

Slogans suggested by listeners

**Folder 10**

Newsletter Nos 1-6 1977-78

Letter to members 5 Mar 1981

**Folder 11**

Correspondence (10 items)

Jan 1978 - Feb 5 1981

**Folder 12**

Ms notes (of meetings)

Cheque book 28 Jan 1977 - 6 Jul 1981

Bank statement Jul 1979

### **Folder 13**

Publications, publicity etc

Brochures, questionnaire, petitions, cuttings, newsletters, etc supporting ABC

### **Folder 14**

Publications received from other organisations:

*Aunty's nieces and nephews newsletter* July 1981 (Camberwell, Victoria)

*Why children's television must be treated differently* - article by Elaine Thompson

SBS : 3 perspectives 1979

Australia/Broadcasting and television Act 1942-1973

*Friends of the ABC/News and views* 1979 (4 Issues)

Australian Broadcasting Commission Annual report 1 Jul 1976 - 30 Jun 1977