

Level 2, 97 Northbourne Avenue, Turner ACT 2612 Ph: (02) 6262 9822 | Fax: (02) 6262 9833

www.adstandards.com.au

CASE REPORT

1. Complaint reference number 54/02

2. Advertiser Peters & Brownes Group (Connoisseur Ice Cream)

3. Product Food4. Type of advertisement Outdoor

5. Nature of complaint Portrayal of sex/sexuality/nudity – section 2.3

6. Date of determination Tuesday, 12 March 2002

7. DETERMINATION Dismissed

DESCRIPTION OF THE ADVERTISEMENT

This outdoor advertisement comprises a groin-to-neck photograph of a naked male, arms crossed over his chest, with a superimposed graphic representation of a Connoisseur Ice Cream tub and a caption reading: 'You'll Never Go Back.'

THE COMPLAINT

Comments which the complainant/s made regarding this advertisement included the following:

"I find this ad obscene nearly, all in the nude in public."

THE DETERMINATION

The Advertising Standards Board ('the Board') considered whether this advertisement breaches Section 2 of the Advertiser Code of Ethics ('the Code').

The Board determined that, within the context of prevailing community standards, the advertising material did not contravene the Code in relation to the portrayal of sex, sexuality and/or nudity.

On further determination that the advertisement did not breach any other area of the Code, the Board dismissed the complaint.