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**Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Committee, Infrastructure,
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Senator Steph Hodgins-May: asked the Airservices Australia on 18 February 2026

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- (1. Can AirServices define "noise impact" precisely, including how it determines acceptability/safety for regulators and residents?
2. What evidence or logic supports noise sharing mechanisms as reducing overall harm, rather than redistributing it?