



Media Advisory: Artists speak out against art ban!

JOIN ARTISTS, including **DAVID BROMLEY, EMILY FLOYD, MATTHEW JOHNSON, DAVID LARWILL, LISA ROET & MARK SCHALLER**, at the campaign launch to help **SAVE SUPER ART!**

When: 11am Wednesday 16 June 2010

**Where: David Bromley's studio
282b Chapel Street, Prahran
(above JB Hi-Fi, opposite Dan Murphy)**

The Federal Government's Cooper Review of Superannuation has called for a ban on art investments in Self Managed Super Funds (SMSFs), and for SMSFs to divest all art within 10 years. The ban would cost the Australian art industry an estimated **\$100million** in sales each year.

TELL COOPER, HANDS OFF ART IN SUPER!

1. Art is a legitimate investment for retirement savings
2. The integrity of these investments is already covered by existing regulations
3. The "unintended consequences" of the Cooper recommendations are disastrous for the Australian art industry.

SAVE SUPER ART calls on the Rudd Government to rule out the Cooper Review recommendations now, because they are fundamentally flawed, serve no good purpose, are already creating damaging uncertainty in the Australian art market, and, if implemented, would cause disastrous "unintended consequences" for the Australian art industry.

**For further information, and to help support the SAVE SUPER ART campaign, visit www.savesuperart.org.au, or contact: info@savesuperart.org.au
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