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Moment of inspiration
The spark of an idea becomes an original piece of music

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Writing the song
The moment an original song is written or recorded, it's automatically copyrighted in Australia

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Songwriters join APRA AMCOS
To become a member, songwriters register original songs online and join for free.

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Businesses get licensed
Organisations purchase a licence from APRA AMCOS or OneMusic, so their staff, customers and business reap the benefits of listening to music.



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Payday
Royalties are paid to songwriters giving them financial support to be inspired all over again.

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Credit where it's due
APRA AMCOS keeps track of music use so songwriters are paid fairly.

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Press play
Once music is played or purchased, songwriters earn royalties. Songs can be performed live, downloaded, streamed or broadcast on radio or television.

THE STORY OF A SONG

MADE BY MUSIC.
Here's how APRA AMCOS keeps Australian music turning.

Find out how APRA AMCOS and OneMusic work together
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