



THE SENATE

ECONOMICS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

Affordable housing

**PUBLIC HEARING
Wednesday 30 July 2014**

**Committee Room 2S1
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	Department of Social Services (<i>Submission 198</i>) Ms Felicity Hand, Deputy Secretary, Disabilities and Housing Mr Bryan Palmer, Group Manager, Housing, Homelessness and Gambling Mr John Riley, Branch Manager, Housing and Analysis Ms Susan Black, Principal Advisor, Homelessness, NRAS and Gambling
10.00 am	The Treasury Mr Rob Heferen, Executive Director, Revenue Group Mr Chris Leggett, Manager, Law Design Practice, Revenue Group Ms Simone Abbot, Manager, Personal and Retirement Income Division Ms Michelle Dowdell, Manager, Social Policy Division Mr Chris Foster, Principal Adviser, Social Policy Division Mr Brenton Goldsworthy, Principal Adviser, Macroeconomic Conditions Division Mr Michael Wellham, Senior Adviser, Personal and Retirement Income Division
11.00 am	<i>Morning break</i>
11.15 am	Australian Bureau of Statistics (<i>Submission 112</i>) Dr Paul Jelfs, First Assistant Statistician Mr David Zago, Assistant Statistician
11.50 am	Master Builders Australia (<i>Submission 48</i>) Mr Wilhelm Harnisch, Chief Executive Officer Dr Brent Davis, National Director, Industry Policy
12.30 pm	Housing Industry Association (<i>Submission 178</i>) Mr Graham Wolfe, Chief Executive, Industry Policy and Media Relations Ms Kristin Brookfield, Senior Executive Director, Building Development and Environment Dr Harley Dale, Chief Economist Ms Geordan Murray, Economist
1.10 pm	<i>Lunch break</i>
2.05 pm	National Council of Women of Australia (<i>Submission 98</i>) Mrs Julie Anne Morris, President Ms Margaret Findlater Smith, National Coordinator of Standing Committees National Foundation for Australian Women (<i>Submission 38</i>) Ms Marie Coleman AO PSM, Chair, NFAW Social Policy Committee

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2.45 pm	The Australia Institute (<i>Submission 92</i>) Mr David Baker, Director of Research Ms Molly Johnson, Researcher
3.25 pm	<i>Afternoon break</i>
3.40 pm	Urban Development Institute of Australia (<i>Submission 190</i>) Mr Richard Lindsay, Chief Executive Officer Mr Liam Foley, Policy Officer
4.20 pm	Real Estate Institute of Australia (<i>Submission 88</i>) Ms Amanda Lynch, Chief Executive Officer Mr Jock Kreitals, Manager, Policy
5.00 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>