



THE SENATE

LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Regulator of Medicinal Cannabis Bill 2014

**PUBLIC HEARING
Tuesday 31 March 2015**

**Macquarie Room
NSW Parliament, 6 Macquarie Street, Sydney**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	University of Sydney academics (<i>Submission 52</i>) Associate Professor Jonathon Arnold Professor Iain McGregor
9.45 am	Emeritus Professor Laurence Mather (<i>Submission 17</i>)
10.15 am	Panel: Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations, the National Association of People With HIV Australia, ACON and Positive Life NSW (<i>Submission 30</i>) Mr Lance Feeney Epilepsy Action Australia (<i>Submission 31</i>) Ms Carol Ireland, Chief Executive Officer Ms Lisa Todd, Clinical Governance Manager
11.00 am	Morning tea
11.10 am	Panel: Cancer Voices Australia (<i>Submission 10</i>) Ms Sally Crossing, Convenor Ms Lucy Haslam (<i>Submission 68</i>)
11.55 am	Panel: Cancer Council Australia (<i>Submission 37</i>) Ms Kate Whittaker, Manager, Cancer Care Policy Clinical Oncology Society of Australia (<i>Submission 37</i>) Professor Mei Krishnasamy, President MS Australia and MS Research Australia (<i>Submission 49</i>) Dr Lisa Melton, Research Development
12.35 pm	Lunch
1.25 pm	Drug Policy Modelling Program, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, UNSW (<i>Submission 19</i>)
2.25 pm	Australian Drug Law Reform Initiative (<i>Submission 36</i>) Dr Alexander Wodak AM, Member Executive Committee Mr Benjamin Mostyn, Member

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3.10 pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
3.20 pm	Royal Australasian College of Physicians (<i>Submission 29</i>) Professor Robert Batey Professor Philip Morris
4.00 pm	Palliative Care Australia (<i>Submission 23</i>) Ms Liz Callaghan, Chief Executive Officer (via teleconference) Associate Professor Richard Chye, Board Member Mr Alex Hunfir, Manager Volunteer Support Services Ms Linda Hansen, Executive Officer
4.40 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>