



THE SENATE

**ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS REFERENCES COMMITTEE**

**Threat of marine plastic pollution in Australia**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Thursday 10 March 2016**

**Hotel Grand Chancellor  
23 Leichhardt Street, Corner Wickham Terrace, Brisbane**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
1.45 pm	<b>National Toxics Network</b> ( <i>Submission 4</i> ) Ms Joanna Immig, Coordinator Dr Mariann Lloyd-Smith, Senior Advisor
2.15 pm	<b>Australian Institute of Marine Science</b> ( <i>Submission 11</i> ) Dr Britta Schaffelke, Research Program Leader Dr Frederieke Kroon, Principal Research Scientist
<i>2.45 pm</i>	<i>Afternoon Tea</i>
3.00 pm	<b>Waddi Springs</b>
3.30 pm	<b>Australian Seabird Rescue Inc</b> ( <i>Submission 80</i> ) Ms Kathrina Southwell, General Manager
4.00 pm	<b>Tangaroa Blue Foundation</b> ( <i>Submission 60</i> ) Ms Heidi Taylor, Managing Director
4.30 pm	<b>Dr Kathy Townsend</b> ( <i>submission 141</i> )
<i>5.00 pm</i>	<i>Adjournment</i>