



THE SENATE

SELECT COMMITTEE INTO FUNDING FOR RESEARCH INTO CANCERS WITH LOW SURVIVAL RATES

Funding for Research into Cancers with Low Survival Rates

**PUBLIC HEARING
Wednesday 7 June 2017**

**Balmoral Room
Stamford Plaza , 111 Little Collins Street, Melbourne**

| Time | Witness |
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| 8.30 am | Panel: Mr Dustin Perry (<i>Submission 45</i>) Mrs Kate Peacock (<i>Submission 65</i>) Mrs Carly Gray (<i>Submission 116</i>) Mr Simon Gray (<i>Submission 117</i>) Mr Tom Akhurst (<i>Submission 207</i>) |
| 9.45 am | The Unicorn Foundation (<i>Submission 101</i>) Ms Simone Leyden, CEO & Co-founder |
| 10.25 am | Morning tea |
| 10.35 am | Australian and New Zealand Children's Haematology and Oncology Group (ANZCHOG) (<i>Submission 237</i>) Dr Chris Fraser, Chair Ms Robyn Strong, Executive Officer Clinical Associate Professor Nicholas Gottardo, Deputy Chair (via teleconference) |
| 11.15 am | Rare Voices Australia (<i>Submission 134</i>) Mrs Nicole Millis, Executive Officer |
| 11.55 am | Australasian Leukaemia & Lymphoma Group (<i>Submission 121</i>) Ms Delaine Smith, Chief Executive Officer Mr Peter Kempen, Chairman of the Board Professor Mark Hertzberg, Member and Director Professor Andrew Roberts, Member and Director |
| 12.35 pm | Lunch |
| 1.05 pm | Victorian Comprehensive Cancer Centre (<i>Submission 114</i>) Associate Professor Gavin Wright, Research and Education Lead - Lung Cancer Professor Mark Rosenthal, Clinical Trials Lead Dr Elizabeth Johnson, Program Manager |
| 1.45 pm | Research Australia (<i>Submission 122</i>) Mr Greg Mullins, Head of Policy |

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| 2.25 pm | <p>Panel: Pancreatic Cancer Alliance (<i>Submission 102</i>) Mr Daniel Goulburn, Member Dr Marina Pajic, Group Leader, Garvan Institute of Medical Research</p> <p>Pancare Foundation (<i>Submission 9</i>) Mr Barry Westhorpe, Chief Executive Officer</p> |
| 3.05 pm | <p><i>Afternoon tea</i></p> |
| 3.15 pm | <p>The Isabella and Marcus Paediatric Brainstem Tumour Fund (<i>Submission 131</i>) Dr Robert De Rose, Co-founder</p> |
| 3.55 pm | <p><i>Adjournment</i></p> |