



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Social Services Legislation Amendment (Drug Testing Trial) Bill 2018

**PUBLIC HEARING
Monday 23 April 2018**

**Function Centre
Rydges Bankstown, 874 Hume Highway, Bass Hill**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	South Western Sydney Primary Health Network Dr Keith McDonald, Chief Executive Officer Mrs Amy Prince, Director of Planning and Performance
9.30 am	Salvation Army Australia (<i>Submission 11</i>) Major Brad Halse, National Head of Government Relations Ms Kathryn Wright, Territorial AOD Unit Director St Vincent de Paul Society National Council of Australia (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 21</i>) Dr John Falzon, Chief Executive Officer Ms Corinne Dobson, Director of Policy and Research
10.00 am	Canterbury Bankstown City Council Mayor Khal Asfour, Mayor
10.30 am	<i>Morning tea</i>
10.40 am	Kirby Institute for Infection and Immunity (<i>Submission 4</i>) Professor Lisa Maher, Professor and Program Head Drug Policy Modelling Program, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, University of NSW (<i>Submission 18</i>) Professor Alison Ritter, Director
11.25 am	Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 3</i>) Dr Kym Jenkins, President Royal Australasian College of Physicians Clinical Associate Professor Adrian Reynolds, President, Australasian Chapter of Addiction Medicine St Vincent's Health Australia (<i>Submission 41</i>) Dr Martyn Lloyd-Jones, Visiting Medical Officer, Addiction Medicine Specialist

12.10 pm	<p>Associate Professor Kate Seear and Associate Professor Kylie Valentine (via teleconference) (Submission 13)</p> <p>Australian Drug Law Reform Foundation Dr Alex Wodak, President Mr Ben Mostyn, Founding Member</p>
12.40 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	<p>Australian Council of Social Service (Submission 36) Ms Charmaine Crowe, Senior Policy and Advocacy Officer</p> <p>WA Council of Social Service (via teleconference) Mr Chris Twomey, Leader, Policy Development and Research</p> <p>Queensland Council of Social Service (via teleconference) (Submission 24) Mark Henley, Chief Executive Officer</p>
2.15 pm	<p>NSW Users and Aids Association Dr Mary Ellen Harrod, Chief Executive Officer</p> <p>Australian Injecting and Illicit Drug Users League (Submission 6) Ms Melanie Walker, Chief Executive Officer</p>
2.45 pm	<p>Ted Noffs Foundation (via teleconference) (Submission 31) Mr Matt Noffs, Chief Executive Officer</p> <p>Penington Institute (Submission 39) Mr John Ryan, Chief Executive Officer</p>
3.15 pm	Afternoon tea
3.25 pm	<p>City of Mandurah (via teleconference) (Submission 35) Mr Mark Newman, Chief Executive Officer Mrs Lesley Wilkinson, Director, People and Communities</p>
4.00 pm	<p>Palmerston Association (via teleconference) Hon Sheila McHale, Chief Executive Officer</p> <p>Passages (via teleconference) Miss Jade Gillespie, Senior Youth Worker, Passages Peel Mrs Sandy McKiernan, Executive Manager, Specialist Community Services, St Vincent de Paul Society – Passages Youth Engagement Hubs</p> <p>WA Network of Alcohol and other Drug Agencies (via teleconference) (Submission 29) Ms Jill Rundle, Chief Executive Officer Mr Ethan James, Manager, Advocacy and Research</p>
5.00 pm	Adjournment