



THE SENATE

FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION REFERENCES COMMITTEE

The current capability of the Australian Public Service (APS)

**PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 5 March 2021**

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

| Time | Witness |
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| 9.30 am | <p>Digital Transformation Agency (<i>Submission 5</i>) Mr Randall Brugeaud, Chief Executive Officer Mr Scott Cass-Dunbar, Chief Strategy Officer, Whole of Government Digital Strategy and Investment Group Ms Vanessa Roarty, Head of Digital Profession, Whole of Government Digital Strategy and Investment Group Mr Simon Quarrell, Head of Digital Investment and Insights, Whole of Government Digital Strategy and Investment Group Mr Peter Alexander, Deputy CEO and Chief Operating Officer</p> <p>Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (<i>Submission 2</i>) Mr William Story, First Assistant Secretary, APS Reform Ms Deborah Anton, Interim National Data Commissioner Mr Andrew Lalor, Assistant Secretary, Policy Innovation and Projects Division Ms Tanja Cvijanovic, First Assistant Secretary, Policy Innovation and Projects Division Mr Nathan Heeney, Chief Information Officer, Information Services Division</p> |
| 11.00 am | <p>Department of Finance (<i>Submission 6</i>) Mr Nathan Williamson, Deputy Secretary, Governance and Resource Management Ms Shannon Frazer, First Assistant Secretary, Productivity and Business Improvement, Governance and Resource Management Mr Matt Yannopoulos, Deputy Secretary, Budget and Financial Reporting Ms Amanda Lee, First Assistant Secretary, Budget Policy and Coordination Division, Budget and Financial Reporting Mr Andrew Danks, Acting First Assistant Secretary, Procurement and Insurance Division, Commercial and Government Services Mr Iain Scott, First Assistant Secretary, Corporate Services Division, Business Enabling Services Mr Rod Schreiber, Assistant Secretary, Productivity Improvement Branch, Productivity and Business Improvement, Governance & Resource Management</p> |
| 12.30 pm | Lunch |

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| 1.00 pm | <p>Australian Public Service Commission (<i>Submission 3</i>) Mr Peter Woolcott AO, APS Commissioner Ms Mary Wiley-Smith, Deputy Commissioner Mr Patrick Hetherington, First Assistant Commissioner Mr Grant Lovelock, First Assistant Commissioner Ms Katrina Purcell, Assistant Commissioner</p> <p>Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (<i>Submission 2</i>) Mr Phil Gaetjens, Secretary (until 1.45pm, via videoconference) Ms Michelle Dowdell, First Assistant Secretary, Digital Technology Taskforce Mr William Story, First Assistant Secretary, APS Reform</p> |
| 2.30 pm | <p>Adjournment</p> |