



THE SENATE

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

**Higher Education Support Amendment (Response to the Australian Universities Accord
Interim Report) Bill 2023 [Provisions]**

**PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 8 September 2023**

**Sydney Masonic Centre
Sydney**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	Universities Australia (<i>Submission 5</i>) Ms Catriona Jackson, Chief Executive Professor Margaret Sheil AO, Board Deputy Chair
9.45 am	Regional Universities Network (<i>Submission 14</i>) Mr Alec Webb, Executive Director
10.30 am	Break
10.45 am	Panel 1: University of Tasmania Professor Ian Anderson, Deputy Vice-Chancellor Western Sydney University Professor Clare Pollock, Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Provost
11.30 am	Panel 2: End Rape on Campus Ms Sharna Bremner, Founder and Director (via teleconference) Fair Agenda Ms Renee Carr, Executive Director (via teleconference)
12.15 pm	Lunch
12.45 pm	Panel 3: Council of Australian Postgraduate Associations (CAPA) (<i>Submission 19</i>) Mr Errol Phuah, National President (Caretaker) National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Postgraduate Association (NATSIPA) (<i>Submission 19</i>) Dr Sharlene Leroy-Dyer, National President (via teleconference)

1.30 pm	<p>Panel 4: Australian Council of Heads of Social Work Education (<i>Submission 20</i>) Professor Christine Morley Professor Linda Briskman (via teleconference) Dr Maree Higgins</p> <p>Students Against Placement Poverty Mr Isaac Wattenberg (via teleconference)</p>
2.15 pm	<p>Department of Education (<i>Submission 23</i>) Mr Ben Rimmer, Deputy Secretary, Higher Education, Research and International Ms Kelly Pearce, First Assistant Secretary, Higher Education Mr Damian Coburn, Assistant Secretary, Funding Integrity and Students</p>
3.00 pm	<p>Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Ms Adrienne Nieuwenhuis, Commissioner Dr Katrina Quinn, Acting Executive Director, Regulatory Operations</p>
3.45 pm	Adjournment