



THE SENATE

**EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**Fair Work Legislation Amendment (Closing Loopholes No.2) Bill 2023 [Provisions]**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Friday 6 October 2023**

**Parmelia Hilton, Swan Room  
14 Mill Street, Perth**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
9.00 am	<p><b>Panel 1:</b> <b>Mining and Energy Union - WA District</b> (<i>Submission 8</i>) Mr Greg Busson, District Secretary Mr Adam Walkaden, National Legal Director</p> <p><b>Australian Workers Union</b> (<i>Submission 9</i>) Mr Shane Roulstone, National Organiser</p>
9.45 am	<p><b>Panel 2:</b> <b>WA Chamber of Commerce and Industry</b> Mr Chris Rodwell, Chief Executive Mr Aaron Morey, Chief Economist Mr Ryan Martin, Associate Director of HR and Workplace Relations</p> <p><b>Chamber of Minerals &amp; Energy of Western Australia</b> Ms Rebecca Tomkinson, Chief Executive Officer Mr Aaron Walker, Manager, Industry Competitiveness and Economics Mr Giacomo Giorgi, External Legal Advisor (Partner, Corrs Chambers Westgarth)</p>
10.30 am	<p><b>Panel 3:</b> <b>Unions WA</b> (<i>Submission 7</i>) Mr Owen Whittle, Secretary</p> <p><b>CFMEU Construction &amp; General Division</b> Mr Zachary Smith, National Secretary Ms Lucinda Weber, Senior National Legal Officer</p>
<b>11.15 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
11.30 am	<p><b>Panel 4:</b> <b>Roy Hill</b> Mr Gerhard Veldsman, CEO Group Operations, Hancock Prospecting Mr Justin Seal, Manager Performance, Remuneration, Governance, Roy Hill</p> <p><b>Lynas Rare Earths</b> Ms Amanda Lacaze, Chief Executive Officer (via teleconference)</p>

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12.15 pm	<p><b>Panel 5:</b> <b>Australian Manufacturing Workers Union</b> Mr Steven McCartney, State Secretary Max, Member</p> <p><b>United Workers Union</b> Ms Carolyn Smith, Secretary Ms Rosemarie Belen, Member Ridgen Wangmo, Member</p>
<b>1.00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
2.00 pm	<p><b>Panel 6:</b> <b>National Farmers Federation and WAFarmers</b> Mr Tony York, Member</p> <p><b>National Farmers Federation</b> Mr Tony Mahar, Chief Executive Officer (via teleconference) Mr Ben Rogers, General Manager - Workplace Relations and Legal Affairs (via teleconference)</p> <p><b>Livestock and Rural Transporters Association WA</b> Mr Darren Bairstow, President Mrs Jan Cooper, Chief Executive Officer</p>
2.45 pm	<p><b>Western Australian Hotels and Hospitality Association Incorporated (Union of Employers) (Submission 11)</b> Mr Bradley Woods, Chief Executive Officer Ms Bianca Grubor, Workplace Relations Lawyer</p>
<b>3.30 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
3.45 pm	<p><b>Panel 7:</b> <b>Link Force (TBC)</b></p> <p><b>Journey Recruitment</b> Ms Jackie Lee, Managing Director</p> <p><b>Technical Resources</b> Mr Matthew Iustini, Chief Executive Officer</p>
4.30 pm	<p><b>Master Builders of Australia</b> Mr Shaun Schmitke, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, National Director - IR/Safety/Contracts</p>
<b>5.15 pm</b>	<b>Adjournment</b>