



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ENVIRONMENT**

Inquiry into the Register of Environmental Organisations

*Chair: John Cobb MP  
Deputy Chair: Tony Zappia MP*

## **Public hearing for inquiry into the Register of Environmental Organisations**

The House of Representatives Environment Committee will conduct a public hearing in Canberra on Friday, 18 September 2015 as part of its inquiry into the Register of Environmental Organisations.

Representatives from environmental organisations on the Register and other interested parties will appear before the Committee.

Details of the public hearing are as follows:

Time: 9:00 am

Date: Friday, 18 September 2015

Location: Committee Room 1R1, Parliament House, Canberra

9.00 am	Law Council of Australia
9.30 am	Minerals Council of Australia Whitehaven Coal
10.00 am	National Parks Association of the Australian Capital Territory
10.45 am	National Parks Australia Council
11.15 am	Australian Network for Plant Conservation
11.45 am	Dr Greg Ogle
1.15 pm	Conservation Council ACT Region
1.45 pm	Council of Heads of Australian Botanic Gardens
2.15 pm	Community Council for Australia
2.45 pm	WWF Australia

Audio from the hearings will be webcast at: [http://www.aph.gov.au/News\\_and\\_Events/Watch\\_Parliament](http://www.aph.gov.au/News_and_Events/Watch_Parliament).

Submissions to the inquiry, including those from the organisations appearing at this hearing, are available at: [http://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary\\_Business/Committees/House/Environment/REO/Submissions](http://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/House/Environment/REO/Submissions).

Further details about the inquiry, including submissions received and the terms of reference, can be found on the inquiry's website at: <http://www.aph.gov.au/reo>.

**For media comment** please contact the Committee Chair, the Hon John Cobb MP, on 0438 300 101.

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