



PARLIAMENT OF AUSTRALIA

Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade
Defence Sub-Committee

Inquiry into the economic, social and strategic trends in Australia's region and the consequences for our defence requirements

Public Hearing-Round Table Program

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Participants

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- Mr John McFarlane

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- Mr Michael Pezzullo

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9:30 am CHAIR'S OPENING STATEMENT

09:35 am SESSION I

The economic, social and strategic trends in our region

10:50 am BREAK

11:00 am SESSION II

The consequences of regional trends on Australian defence requirements

12:30 pm Adjournment