



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMICS, FINANCE
AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND COST SHIFTING

**PUBLIC HEARING
FRIDAY, 27 JUNE 2003
Committee Room 1R1
Parliament House, Canberra
PROGRAM**

9.00am

Round Table

Local Government Grants Commissions
Local Government Managers Australia
Victorian CEOs
Commonwealth Grants Commission
Department of the Treasury
Department of Transport and Regional Services
Australian Local Government Association
Police Federation of Australia
Australian Services Union
Planning Institute Australia

For participants names see overleaf

10.45am

Morning tea

11.00am

Round Table continued

1.00pm

Close

Participants at round table hearing

Local Government Grants Commissions

Victoria Grants Commission

Mr John Lester, Chairman
Mrs Joanne Anderson, Member
Mr Colin Morrison, Executive Officer

South Australian Local Government Grants Commission

Mr Malcolm Germein, Chairman
Mrs Jane Gascoigne, Executive Officer

NSW Local Government Grants Commission

Emeritus Professor Maurice Daly, Chairperson
Mr Grahame Gibbs, Deputy Chairperson
Mr Bruce Wright, Executive Officer

NT Grants Commission

Mr Robert Beadman, Chairman

Queensland Local Government Grants Commission

Mr Peter Wooley, Manager, Local Government Funding Division

Local Government Managers Australia

Mr Lindsay Delahaunty, President
Mr Trevor Starr, Immediate Past President
Mr Jim Elvey, Chief Executive Officer

Victorian CEOs

Mr David Spokes, City of Port Phillip
Mr Hadley Sides, City of Stonnington

Commonwealth Grants Commission

Mr Malcolm Nicholas, Acting Secretary

Department of Treasury

Ms Jan Harris, General Manager, Commonwealth State Relations
Division
Ms Laurene Edsor, Senior Adviser, Integrated Tax Design Unit,
Tax Design Division

Department of Transport and Regional Services

Mr Mike Mrdak, First Assistant Secretary, Territories and Local
Government Division
Mr Adrian Beresford-Wylie, Assistant Secretary, Self-Governing
Territories, Local Government and Natural Disaster
Management Branch
Mr Geof Watts, Director, Economic Policy Section, Self-Governing
Territories, Local Government and Natural Disaster
Management Branch

Australian Local Government Association

Cr Mike Montgomery, President
Mr John Pritchard, Executive Director Policy and Research

Police Federation of Australia

Mr Mark Burgess, Chief Executive Officer

Australian Services Union

Mr Greg McLean, Assistant National Secretary

Planning Institute Australia

Ms Di Jay, Chief Executive Officer