Senate Community Affairs Committee

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Topic: Civil Society National Centre of Excellence

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Senator Stephens asked:

Could you take on notice and provide the committee with a detailed list of who has been involved in the Civil Society National Centre of Excellence consultations, and any further consultation sessions that you are planning to hold.

Answer:

The Department has been in consultation with Senior Officers from the Treasury, Australian Taxation Office and Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

The Department has also spoken to representatives from the sector listed in the table below and State representatives from Relationships Australia. The Department is working across government to ensure arrangements are in place following the abolition of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC) to facilitate a smooth transition and will continue to discuss this issue and the establishment of the National Centre for Excellence with stakeholders.

Name	Organisation
Susan Pascoe	Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission
David Locke	Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission
Murray Baird	Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission
Kasy Chambers	Anglicare
Lin Hatfield Dodds	UnitingCare
Jackie Brady	Catholic Social Services
Martin Laverty	Catholic Health Australia
Father Brian Lucas	Australian Catholic Bishops Conference
Anne Hollands	Benevolent Society
Professor Ann O'Connell	Not for Profit Project, Melbourne Law School
A/Professor Matthew Harding	Not for Profit Project, Melbourne Law School
John Emerson AM	Herbert Smith Freehills
Alice McDougall	Herbert Smith Freehills

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Name	Organisation
David Crosbie	Community Council for Australia
John King	Charity Law Association
Joe Zabar	UnitingCare Australia
Anne Robinson	Charity Law Association
Professor Ian Ramsay	Centre for Corporate Law and Securities Regulation, MLS
Derek Mortimer	Law Institute of Victoria Charity Law Committee
Tessa Boyd-Caine	Australian Council of Social Service
A/Professor Fiona Martin	University of New South Wales
Francis Moore	Australian Catholic Bishops Conference
Jennifer Batrouney SC	Victorian Bar, Law Council
Liz Morgan	JusticeConnect
Professor David Gilchrist	Curtin University, Western Australia
Krystian Seibert	Philanthropy Australia
David Ward	Philanthropy Australia
Amyn Nathwani	Governance Institute
Dr Joyce Chia	Not for Profit Project Melbourne Law School
Robert Wicks	Anglican Church, Sydney
Myles McGregor-Lowndes	Centre for Philanthropy and Nonprofit Studies, Queensland University of Technology