Appendix 2

Abbreviations

AASB Australian Accounting Standards Board

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

ACCC Australian Competition and Consumer Commission

ACIS Automotive Competitiveness and Investment Scheme

ACT Australian Competition Tribunal

ANAO Australian National Audit Office

APRA Australian Prudential Regulation Authority

ASIC Australian Securities and Investments Commission

ASX Australian Stock Exchange

ATO Australian Taxation Office

AWA Australian Workplace Agreement

CAMAC Corporations and Markets Advisory Committee

COMET commercialising emerging technologies

DITR Department of Industry, Tourism and Resources

FICS Financial Industry Complaints Service

FIRB Foreign Investment Review Board

FRC Financial Reporting Council

GDP gross domestic product

GST goods and services tax

HECS higher education contribution scheme

IDC inter-departmental committee

IFRS International Financial Reporting Standards

LNG liquefied natural gas

NOPSA National Offshore Petroleum Safety Authority

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development

R&D research and development

SMEs small and medium enterprises

TCF textile, clothing and footwear