



THE SENATE
Select Committee on Agricultural and Related Industries

Inquiry into the Incidence and Severity of Bushfires Across Australia

Thursday, 29 April 2010
Assured Ascot Quays Apartment Hotel
150 Great Eastern Highway – Ascot
PERTH
HEARING PROGRAM

| Time | Witness | Submission |
|-----------------|---|-------------------|
| 8.30 am | WA Department of Environment and Conservation Mr Keiran McNamara, Director-General Mr Peter Dans, Director, Regional Services Mr Rick Sneeuwjagt, Fire Management Services, Principal Fire Projects Officer | 50 |
| 9.30 am | The Bushfire Front Mr Roger Underwood, Chairman | 48 |
| 10.00 am | <i>Morning Tea Break</i> | |
| 10.15 am | Conservation Council of WA Dr Beth Schultz, Forests and Fire Spokesperson | |
| 11.00 am | Volunteer Bush Fire Brigades WA Mr Chris Sousa, Member Mr Terry Hunter | 23 |
| 11.45 am | WA Farmers Federation Mr Alan Hill, Policy Director | 32 |
| 12.15 pm | Sentinel Alert Pty Ltd Mr Sean Groombridge | 54 |
| 1.00 pm | <i>Lunch Break</i> | |
| 1.30 pm | Fire and Emergency Authority of WA Ms Jo Harrison-Ward, Chief Executive Officer Mr Craig Hynes, Chief Operations Officer | 39 |
| 2.15 pm | Professor Neal Enright School of Environmental Science, Murdoch University | |
| 3.00 pm | <i>Adjournment of Hearing</i> | |