

SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Inquiry into

National Health Amendment (Budget Measures – Pharmaceutical Benefits Safety Net) Bill 2005

and

Health Legislation Amendment Bill 2005

THURSDAY, 13 OCTOBER 2005

Senate Committee Room 2S1

Parliament House, Canberra

PROGRAM

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| 5.30 pm - | 5.50 pm | Australian Medical Association (Subs 3 and 15)*
Mr John O'Dea, Director, Medical Practice Department |
| 5.50 pm - | 6.10 pm | Women's Health Victoria (Subs 2 and 8)*
<i>via teleconference</i>
Ms Marilyn Beaumont, Executive Director
Ms Kerrilie Rice, Policy & Research Officer |
| 6:10 pm | 6.25 pm | Medical Industry Association of Australia (Sub 16)+
<i>via teleconference</i>
Mr David Ross, Director, Healthcare Access |
| 6.25 pm - | 6.40 pm | National Association of Practising Psychiatrists (Sub 1)#
<i>via teleconference</i>
Dr Gil Anaf, past President |
| 6.40 pm - | 7.15 pm | Department of Health and Ageing (Subs 7 and x)*
Ms Joy Pettingell, Director, Policy Implementation and Budget, Pharmaceutical Benefits Branch
[other witnesses TBA] |

* Witnesses will give evidence on both Bills

+ Witness will give evidence on Health Legislation Amendment Bill 2005

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