APPENDIX 2

Public Hearing

Friday, 15 June 2007 Parliament House, Canberra

Committee Members in attendance

Senator Gary Humphries (Chair) Senator Claire Moore (Deputy Chair) Senator Judith Adams Senator Lyn Allison Senator Carol Brown Senator Sue Boyce Senator Helen Polley Senator Ruth Webber

Witnesses

Australian Medical Association

Mr John O'Dea, Director Medical Practice

Dr Thomas Faunce

Dr Ken Harvey

Pharmacy Guild of Australia

Mr Kosmas Sclavos, National President Dr Michael Tatchell, Director, Health Economics

Generic Medicines Industry Association

Ms Di Ford, Executive Director Ms Jo Kim, Member Ms Didi Bains, Member Ms Robyn Ronai, Member Dr Gregory Pearce, Member

Consumers Health Forum of Australia

Ms Helen Hopkins, Executive Director

Medicines Australia

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