

SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM
THURSDAY, 4 FEBRUARY 2010
Senate Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House, Canberra

Inquiry into Social Security and Other Legislation Amendment (Welfare Reform and the Reinstatement of the Racial Discrimination Act) Bill 2009 and the

Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs and Other Legislation Amendment (2009 Measures) Bill 2009 along with the

Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs and Other Legislation Amendment (Restoration of Racial Discrimination Act) Bill 2009

4.00 pm - 6:00 pm **Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs**
Mr Rob Heferen, Deputy Secretary
Mr Barry Sandison, Acting Deputy Secretary
Mr Anthony Field, Group Manager, Legal and Compliance
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