



PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

PUBLIC HEARING

Inquiry into Family Business in Australia

Date: Tuesday 13 November 2012
Start: 9.00am
Venue: Committee Room 2S3
Address: Parliament House, CANBERRA

PROGRAM

9.00am – 9.45am **Department of Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education**
Mr Peter Chesworth (SB Division)
Ms Chris Butler (AusIndustry)
Ms Michelle Henderson (Enterprise Connect)
Mr Raphael Cicchini (SB Division)

9.45am – 10.30am **Treasury**
Mr Hector Thompson: General Manager, Small Business Tax Division
Mr Paul McMahon, Manager, Manager, Small Business Tax General Unit
Ms Kate Preston, Manager, Revenue Group
Mr Michael Wilson, Analyst, Small Business Tax Entities Unit
Mr David Woods, General Manager, Markets Group

10.30am – 10.45am *Morning tea*

10.45am – 11.30am **Australian Bureau of Statistics** (submission 2)
Mr Bill Allen, Assistant Statistician
Ms Jacky Hodges, Regional Director

11.30am – 12.15pm **Council of Small Business Organisations of Australia**
Peter Strong, Chief Executive Officer (TBC)

12.15 – 1.15pm *Lunch*

1.15pm – 2.00pm **Regional Development Australia**
Mr Simon Atkinson, First Assistant Secretary for Regional Strategy and Coordination
Mr Shane Bennett, Assistant Secretary Regional Economic and Infrastructure Policy
Mr Michael Heard, Director, RDA Strategy

2.00pm – 2.45pm **Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry**
Australian Bureau of Agricultural Resource Economics and Sciences (ABARES)
Dr Lisa Elliston, Assistant Secretary
Mr Peter Martin, Policy Officer

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Chair: Ms Deborah O'Neill MP

Deputy Chair: Senator Boyce

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2.45pm – 3.30pm **Power Family Group Pty Ltd**
Mr Mathew Power

3.30pm *Adjournment*

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