

**SENATE FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE  
REFERENCES COMMITTEE**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

**INQUIRY INTO ASSESSMENT OF THREATS TO SECURITY OF  
AUSTRALIANS IN SOUTH-EAST ASIA**

**Committee Room 2S1  
0830-1600, 28 May 2004**

**Broadcast on television Parliament House Channel 8, Radio 90.3  
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**08:30 Dept of Defence**

Mr Ron Bonighton, (Deputy Secretary, Intelligence and Security)  
Mr Frank Lewincamp, (Director, Defence Intelligence Organisation)

**09:15 Office of National Assessments**

Mr Peter Varghese (Director General),

10:30 *Morning tea break*

**10:45 Australian Security Intelligence Organisation**

Mr Dennis Richardson (Director General)

**12:00 Dept of Foreign Affairs and Trade**

Mr Ian Kemish, (First Assistant Secretary, Public Diplomacy, Consular and  
Passports Division)

Mr Jeff Roach, Director, Consular Information Section

Mr Bill Paterson PSM (First Assistant Secretary, South and SE Asia Division)

1:30 *Luncheon break*

**2:30 QANTAS Airways**

Mr Geoffrey Askew (Head of Group Security)

4:00 Adjourn

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