



THE SENATE

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE

PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM

**Inquiry into the economic and security challenges facing Papua New Guinea
and the island states of the southwest Pacific**

**Friday, 19 June 2009
Parliament House, CANBERRA
Committee Room 2S1**

9.00–10.00 a.m.	Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat via teleconference from Suva	submission 69
	Mr Feleti Penitala Teo, Deputy Secretary General/currently Acting Secretary General Mr Edward Vrkic, Executive Officer, Pacific Plan Office Mr Sanjesh Naidu, Economic Adviser Mr Rick Nimmo, Director, Political Governance and Security Programme	
10.00–10.45 a.m.	Department of Defence AIRCDRE Anthony Jones, Director General, Pacific and East Timor Mr Ben Coleman, Acting First Assistant Secretary, Strategic Policy Division	submission 18
10.45–11.30 a.m.	Centre for Democratic Institutions Professor Benjamin Reilly, Director	no submission
11.30–1.00 p.m.	AusAID Mr Tony Liston, Director, Partnerships and Incentives, Pacific Brands Ms Juliette Brassington, Director, Melanesia Section, Pacific Branch Dr Jane Lake, Assistant Director General Ms Margaret Callan, Assistant Director General, Papua New Guinea Branch Mr John Davidson, Assistant Director General, Office of Development Effectiveness Mr Robert Jackson, Assistant Director General, Deployable Civilian Capacity Group	submission 65

**The committee will take a morning tea break when convenient*