

SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON AUSTRALIA'S FOOD PROCESSING SECTOR

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PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM

Date: Friday, 11 May 2012

Start: 9.00am

Venue: Committee Room 2S3, Parliament House, Canberra

9.00am-10.00am	Dick Smith Foods – Mr Dick Smith
10.00am-10.15am	Morning tea
10:15am–11:30am	Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Mr Allen Grant, First Assistant Secretary, Agricultural Productivity Division Mr Jeremy Cook, Acting Assistant Secretary, Food Branch Agricultural Productivity Division Dr Jammie Penm, Assistant Secretary, Agricultural Commodities and Trade Ms Patricia Gleeson, Senior Economist, Agricultural Commodities and Trade Branch, ABARES Dr Colin Grant, First Assistant Secretary, Plant Biosecurity Mr Greg Read, First Assistant Secretary, Biosecurity Food Division Mr Mark Phythian, Director, Imported Food Program
11:30am–12:15pm	Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations Representatives to be confirmed
12.15pm–1.00pm	Department of Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education Mr Russell Dean, Manager, Food Industry Policy Ms Ann Bray, General Manager, Food and Chemicals Branch Dr Russell Edwards, General Manager Clean Technology Investment AusIndustry Ms Julia Freeman, Manager, Competion, Industry and Small Business Policy Division Ms Lyndall Milward-Bason, Manager Customs Policy Section, Trade &International Branch Mr Shyam Kumaran, Laboratory Operations Manager, Analytical Services Branch Mr Paul Trotman, General Manager, Trade and International Branch Ms Jane Urquhart, General manager, Business Improvement Branch, Enterprise Connect Division
1.00pm–2.00pm	Lunch
2.00pm-2:45pm	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Christopher Langman, First Assistant Secretary, Trade and Economic Policy Division
2:45pm-3:30pm	SA Horticultural Services and Summerfruit Mr Trevor Ranford, Consultant
3:30pm-3:45pm	Afternoon tea
3:45pm-4:30pm	TBC

Chair: Senator the Hon Colbeck Deputy Chair: Senator Madigan Members: Senator Edwards, Senator Fisher, Senator Ryan, Senator Sterle, Senator the Hon Stephens, Senator Urquhart, Senator Xenophon