

APPENDIX 2

PUBLIC HEARINGS AND WITNESSES WHO APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

SYDNEY, 12 MAY 2000

Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission

Professor Alice Erh-Soon Tay, President

Mr Christopher Sidoti, Human Rights Commissioner

Centre for Comparative Genocide Studies

Professor Colin Tatz, Director

Mr Ara Margossian, Research Officer

Executive Council of Australian Jewry

Mr Jeremy Jones, National Vice-President

Amnesty International Australia

Mr Des Hogan, National Campaigns Team

Mr Matthew Hutchings, Lawyers Network Representative

Ms Elizabeth Turnbull, National Women's Team

National Council of Churches

Reverend David Gill, Minister, Uniting Church; and General Secretary

Ms Susan Harris, Education/Advocacy Officer, National Program on Refugees and Displaced People

Christian Democratic Party

Reverend the Hon. Frederick Nile, MLC, Honorary National President

The Returned and Services League of Australia

Mr James Bowen, Honorary Consultant on Public Affairs

Ms Wadjularbinna

Elder and Spokesperson, Gungalidda Nation, Gulf of Carpentaria

Ms Eliana Freydel Miller

Jewish Australian community

MELBOURNE, 16 MAY 2000**Victorian Council for Civil Liberties**

Dr Steven Tudor, Committee Member

Mr Andrew Mitchell

Solicitor (representing Professor Hilary Charlesworth, Associate Professor Robert McCorquodale, and Ms Penelope Mathew)

Attorney-General's Department

Ms Laurel Johnson, Assistant Secretary, Criminal Justice Branch

Mr Geoffrey Skillen, Legal Officer, Criminal Justice Branch

Law Council of Australia

Dr Mary Crock, Chair, Nationality and Residence Committee, International Law Section

Australian Council for Lesbian and Gay Rights

Mr Rodney Croome, Co-Convenor

Uniting Church in Australia National Assembly

Mr Peter Lewis, National Director, Covenanting

Dr William Leadbetter (Private capacity)**Australia/Israel and Jewish Affairs Council**

Dr Colin Rubenstein, Executive Director

Ms Alexis Fraser (Private capacity)**Mr Gregory McIntyre (Private capacity)**

