APPENDIX 2

WITNESSES WHO APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

Canberra, Friday 10 November 2006

Commonwealth Ombudsman

Dr Vivienne Thom, Acting Commonwealth Ombudsman

Mrs Helen Fleming, Senior Assistant Ombudsman

Ms Vicki Brown, Senior Assistant Ombudsman

Mr Robert Goodrick, Director of Inspections

Mr Frederick Bluck, Director, Legal and Policy

Community and Public Sector Union

Mr Stephen Jones, National Secretary

Ms Alison Rahill, National Research Officer

Australian Federal Police

Federal Agent Roman Quaedvlieg, Acting Assistant Commissioner and National Manager, Economic and Special Operations

Federal Agent Ray Johnson, Manager, Special Operations

Mr Peter Whowell, Manager, Legislation

National Welfare Rights Network

Mr Michael Raper, President

Ms Linda Forbes, Representative and Casework Coordinator

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Mr Sean Innis, Acting Group Manager, Social Policy Group

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