

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM

Holiday Inn
Cnr The Esplanade & Florence Street
Cairns
Tuesday, 13 April 2010
11.00am – 6.15pm

Inquiry into the Wild Rivers (Environmental Management) Bill 2010	
11.00am – 11.45am	<p>Chuulangun Aboriginal Corporation (Submission 10) <i>Mr David Claudie, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer</i></p> <p>Nyacha Kumopinta Aboriginal Corporation (Submission 20) <i>Mr Donald De Busch, Chairman</i></p> <p>Girringun Aboriginal Corporation (Submission 26) <i>Mr John Andy, Chairman</i> <i>Mr Phillip Rist, Chief Executive Officer</i></p>
11.45am – 12.30pm	<p>Cape York Land Council (Submission 25) <i>Mr Richard Ahmat, Executive Director</i> <i>(also a Board Member of the Balkanu Cape York Development Corporation)</i> <i>Mr David Yarrow, Legal Adviser</i></p>
12.30pm – 1.15pm	<p>The Wilderness Society Queensland (Submission 29) <i>Mr Glenn Walker, Wild Rivers Campaigner</i> <i>Dr Tim Seelig, Queensland Campaign Manager</i> <i>Mr Anthony Esposito, National Manager Indigenous Conservation Program</i></p>
1.15pm – 2.00pm	Lunch break
2.00pm – 2.45pm	<p>Queensland Department of Environment and Resource Management (Submission pending) <i>Mr John Bradley, Chief Executive Officer</i> <i>Mr Andrew Luttrell, Director, Policy Indigenous Services</i> <i>Mr Scott Buchanan, Project Director for Wild Rivers</i></p>
2.45pm – 3.15 pm	<p>Balkanu Cape York Development Corporation (Submission 18) <i>Mr Gerhardt Pearson, Executive Director</i> <i>Mr Terry Piper, Chief Operating Officer</i></p>
3.15pm – 4.00pm	<p>Carpentaria Land Council Aboriginal Corporation (Submission 27) <i>Mr Murrandoo Yanner, Land Council Representative and Gangalidda Representative</i> <i>Mr Terence Taylor, Land Council Representative and Wild Rivers Head Ranger</i> <i>Mr Mark Hogno, Land Council Representative and Wild Rivers Ranger Coordinator</i></p>
4.00pm – 4.30pm	Cape Alumina Limited (in camera appearance)
4.30pm – 5.00pm	<p>Cape York Sustainable Futures (Submission 19) <i>Mr Joseph Elu, Treasurer and Mayor, Northern Peninsula Regional Council</i> <i>Ms Trish Butler, Chief Executive Officer</i></p>

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5.00pm – 5.30pm	Dr Geoff Mosley (Submission 2) (<i>via teleconference</i>)
5.30pm – 6.00pm	Lockhart River Aboriginal Shire Council (Submission 6) <i>Mr Rodney Accoom, Mayor</i> <i>Mr Greg Omeenyo, Land and Sea Ranger, Lockhart River Traditional Owner</i>
6.00pm – 6.45pm	Northern Peninsula Area Traditional Owners (Submission 13) <i>Mr Larry Woosup, Representative</i> Ms Phyllis Yunkaporta , Traditional Owner and Deputy Mayor, Aurukun Shire Council (Submission 9) Mr Peter Kyle , Umpila Traditional Owner and Member, Umpila Nesbit, Rocky, Massey, Chester Rivers Advisory Committee TBC

Chair: Senator Trish Crossin; Deputy Chair: Senator Guy Barnett; Secretary: Ms Julie Dennett