

## **Appendix 2**

### **Witnesses who appeared before the Committee at the public hearings**

*Wednesday, 26 March 2008*

*Parliament House*

*CANBERRA*

#### **Export Wheat Commission**

Mr Peter Woods, Acting Chief Executive Officer

#### **Grains Policy Institute Pty Ltd and GrainCorp Operations Ltd**

Mr David Ginns, Chief Executive Officer, Grains Policy Institute; and Representative,  
GrainCorp Operations Ltd

**Mr Ron MacPherson, Private capacity**

**Mr Brian Curry, Private capacity**

**Mr Anthony Drum, Private capacity**

**Mr Lance Drum, Private capacity**

**Mr Hugh Hart, Private capacity**

**Mr Michael O'Hare, Private capacity**

**Mrs Velia O'Hare, Private capacity**

**Mr Brian Packer, Private capacity**

#### **Grain Growers Association of Australia**

Mr Bryan Clark, Industry Development Manager

**Mr Alan Malcolm, Private capacity**

**Mr Barry Bishop, Private capacity**

**Mr Gary Bibby, Private capacity**

**Mr Andrew Broad, Private capacity**

**Mr Neil Simpson, Private capacity**

#### **Condamine Growers Group**

Mr Rowell Walton

Mr Rodney Hamilton

***Thursday, 27 March 2008***

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**AWB Ltd**

Mr Sasha Grebe, Trade Advocacy and Government Relations Manager

Mr Robert Hadler, General Manager, Corporate Affairs

**Allen Consulting Group**

Mr Stephen Bartos, Director

**Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry**

Mr David Mortimer, Executive Manager, Food and Agriculture Division

Dr Terence Sheales, Chief Commodity Analyst and Manager, Agriculture Branch,

Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics

Mr Russell Phillips, General Manager, Wheat, Sugar and Crops Branch

**Wheat Industry Expert Group**

Mr John Crosby, Chairman

**Brocklesby Growers Group**

Mr Patrick Drum

Mr Philip Gollasch

Mr James McDonnell

**Australian Grain Exporters Association (AGEA)**

Mr Alick Osborne, Director

**Grains Council of Australia**

Mr Jamie Smith, Board Director, Policy Council

Dr Benjamin Gursansky, Consultant

***Monday, 31 March 2008***

***Legislative Council Committee Office***

***Parliament Place***

***WEST PERTH***

**Mr Jeffrey Fordham, Private capacity**

**Mr Kim Halbert, Private capacity**

**Mr Gary Peacock, Private capacity**

**Co-operative Bulk Handling Limited**

Mr Imre Mencshelyi, Chief Executive Officer

Mr David Woolfe, General Manager, Secretarial and Legal Division

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**PGA Western Graingrowers**

Mr Leon Bradley, Chairman  
Mr Richard Wilson, Vice-Chairman  
Mr Slade Brockman, Policy Director  
Mr Gary McGill, Member

**Western Australian Farmers' Federation**

Mr Andrew McMillan, Director of Policy  
Mr John Hassell, Transport Portfolio Vice-President  
Mr Paul Southam, Senior Vice-President, Young Farmers Section  
Mr Desmond Seymour, Grains Council Milling Representative

**Wheat Growers' Association Inc.**

Mr Bob Iffla, Chairman  
Mr Peter Wells, Adviser  
Mrs Jane Fuchsbichler, Committee Member  
Mr Philip Gardiner, Committee Member

**WA Grain Group**

Mr Douglas Clarke, Chairperson  
Mr Raymond Marshall, Vice-Chairman  
Mr Robert Doney, Committee Member

**Mr Kimberley Packer, Private capacity****Mr Jeffrey Murray, Private capacity****Mr Donald Taylor, Private capacity****Shire of Beverley**

Councillor James Alexander, President

*Tuesday, 22 April 2008*

*Parliament House*

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**Eastern Wheat Growers**

Mr Chris Kellock  
Mr Mark Johns  
Mr Justin Brennan  
Mr Angus McLaren

**NSW Growers Group**

Mr Jock Munro  
Mr Hugh Hart

**Export Wheat Commission**

Mr Peter Woods, Acting Chief Executive Officer

**Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC)**

Mr Joe Dimasi, Executive General Manager, Regulatory Affairs Division

Mr Bruce Cooper, General Manager, Corporate and Regulatory Unit

Mr David Salisbury, Director, Transport and Prices Oversight Branch

Mr Scott Gregson, General Manager, Enforcement

**Wheat Export Marketing Alliance**

Mr Graham Blight, Chairman [Via Teleconference]

Mr John Ridley

Mr Mark Hoskinson

**AWB Limited**

Mr Sasha Grebe, Trade Advocacy and Government Relations Manager

Mr Robert Hadler, General Manager, Corporate Affairs

**PGA Western Graingrowers [Via Teleconference]**

Mr Leon Bradley, Chairman

Mr Slade Brockman, Policy Director

**WA Grain Group [Via Teleconference]**

Mr Douglas Clarke, Chairperson

Mr Robert Doney, Committee Member

Mr Raymond Marshall, Vice-Chairman

**NSW Farmers' Association**

Mr John Ridley, Chairman, Grains Committee

Mr Mark Hoskinson, Executive Councillor, and Member, Grains Committee

Mr Jock Munro, Executive Councillor, and Member, Grains Committee

**Emerald Group Australia Pty Ltd**

Mr Michael Chaseling, Deputy Chairman

**Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry**

Mr David Mortimer, Executive Manager, Food and Agriculture Division

Dr Terence Sheales, Manager, Agriculture Branch and Chief Commodity Analyst,

Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics

Mr Russell Phillips, General Manager, Wheat, Sugar and Crops Branch, Food and Agriculture Division

**GrainCorp Operations Ltd**

Mr David Ginns, Manager Corporate Relations