SELECT COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

Health

PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 10 July 2015

Macquarie University Audiology Seminar Room (1.640)
Australian Hearing Hub, Level 1, Macquarie University, SYDNEY

Time	Witness
8.00 am	**Australian Hearing and National Acoustic Laboratories** *(Submission 158)* Mr Bill Davidson, Managing Director Ms Gina Mavrias, Operations Director
9.00 am	**Aussie Deaf Kids** Mrs Ann Porter AM, Chief Executive Officer
9.35 am	**Deafness Forum of Australia** *(Submission 150)* Mr Steve Williamson, Chief Executive Officer Ms Margaret Dewberry, Adviser
10.10 am	*Short break (20 mins)*
10.30 am	**Parents of Deaf Children (PODC)** *(Submission 156)* Ms Anna Messariti, President Ms Kate Kennedy, Coordinator, Information and Advocacy Mr Mark Wyburn, Regional Representative
11.05 am	**Royal Institute for Deaf and Blind Children (RIDBC)** Mr Chris Rehn, Chief Executive Officer
11.40 am	**Deaf Australia Inc.** *(Submission 159)* Mr Kyle Miers, Chief Executive Officer
12.15 pm	*Lunch break (45 mins)*
1.00 pm	**The HEARing CRC & HearWorks** Professor Robert Cowan, Chief Executive Officer
1.35 pm	**Independent Audiologists Australia** *(Submission 153)* Dr Louise Collingridge, Executive Officer
2.10 pm	**Deaf Society of NSW** *(Submission 157)* Ms Leonie Jackson, Chief Executive Officer
2.45 pm	**The Shepherd Centre** *(Submission 154)* Dr Jim Hungerford, Chief Executive Officer
3.20 pm	*Short break (10 mins)*
3.30 pm	**Better Hearing Australia** Ms Sara Duncan, National President

4.05 pm	**Representatives from Department of Health** *(Submission 155)* Ms Catherine Rule, First Assistant Secretary, Medical Benefits Division Ms Tracey Duffy, National Manager, Office of Hearing Services **Representatives from Department of Finance** Mr Robin Renwick, Acting First Assistant Secretary Ms Sharon Ong, Assistant Secretary, Hearing Taskforce **Representatives from Department of Human Services** Mr Jonathan Hutson, Acting Deputy Secretary, Enabling Services Ms Rosemary Deininger, General Manager, Whole of Government Coordination Division
5.30 pm	*Adjournment*