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Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Defence Sub Committee

Chair: Michael Danby MP SubComm Chair: Senator Mark Furner

Defence Force Welfare Association Public Hearing

The Defence Force Welfare Association will address the Defence Sub-Committee at a Public Hearing on Tuesday 28 February.

Senator Mark Furner, the Sub-Committee Chair said "It will be important for the Sub-Committee to hear from the DFWA on issues relating to the unique nature of military service and issues surrounding the ADF workplace remuneration arrangements."

Details for the hearing are:

Date: Tuesday 28 February **Time:** 5.45pm – 6.45pm

Venue: Committee Room 1R1, Parliament House, Canberra

The Defence Sub-Committee, chaired by Senator Mark Furner (QLD), of the Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade is inquiring into the Department of Defence Annual Report 2010-2011 and is investigating a range of issues raised in the Defence Annual Report 2010-11 including:

- The Strategic Reform Program
- Personnel
- Operations
- Sustainment
- JSF

Further information is available on the Committee's inquiry website at: http://www.aph.gov.au/house/committee/jfadt/

For media inquiries, contact the Sub-Committee Chairman, Senator Mark Furner on 02 6277 3423 or 07 3881 3710.

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