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## **Inquiry into the extent and economic impact of salinity**

**Date** Tuesday 28 February 2006  
**Time** 5:45pm – 9:30pm (approx)  
**Room** 2 S1  
**Address** Parliament House  
Canberra

### **PROGRAM**

<b>5:45 pm</b>	<b>Grain Research &amp; Development Corporation Submission 5</b> Mr Gregory Fraser, <i>Executive Manager – Practices</i> Dr Martin Blumenthal, <i>Manager – Agronomy, Soil and Environment</i>
<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Arts, Heritage and Environment, ACT Chief Minister's Department Submission 14</b> Dr Maxine Cooper, <i>Executive Director</i> Mr John Foster, <i>Senior Policy Officer</i>
<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>7:15 pm</b>	<b>Greening Australia Submission 16</b> Mr Carl Binning, <i>Chief Executive Officer</i> Mr Bruno Yvanovich, <i>Business Development Manager</i>
<b>7:45 pm</b>	<b>Australian Conservation Foundation Submission 19</b> Mr Corey Watts, <i>A/Manager, Land &amp; Water Programme</i>
<b>8:30 pm</b>	<b>Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Department of Environment and Heritage Submission 24</b> Mr Malcolm Forbes, <i>First Assistant Secretary, Australian Government Natural Resource Management Programme Division, Department of the Environment and Heritage</i> Mr David Calvert, <i>Acting General Manager – Australian Government Natural Resource Management Team, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry</i> Mr Tom Aldred, <i>Executive Manager, Natural Resource Management, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry</i> Dr Mirko Stauffacher, <i>Science Communications Adviser, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry</i>
<b>9:30 pm (approx)</b>	<b>Adjournment</b>