



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Private Health Insurance Amendment (GP Services) Bill 2014

PUBLIC HEARING
Wednesday 20 August 2014

Room C7
The Portside Centre, Sydney

Time	Witness
8.30 am	Medibank (<i>Submission 7</i>) Mr Dan O'Brien, General Manager Corporate Affairs Ms Natalie Kelly, Head of Strategy and Corporate Development Mr James Connors, Manager Government and Regulatory Affairs
9.00 am	Doctors Reform Society (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 4</i>) Dr Tim Woodruff, Vice President
9.20 am	Morning tea
9.30 am	Australian Council of Social Service (<i>Submission 3</i>) Ms Rebecca Vassarotti, Acting Deputy Chief Executive Officer Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health (via teleconference) Mr Rod Wellington, Chief Executive Officer
10.00 am	Australian Dental Association (<i>Submission 5</i>) Mr Robert Boyd-Boland, Chief Executive Officer Mrs Eithne Irving, Policy and Regulation Manager
10.25 am	Australian Medical Association (<i>Submission 1</i>) Associate Professor Brian Owler, President Ms Anne Trimmer, Secretary-General
10.50 am	Private Healthcare Australia (<i>Submission 6</i>) Hon. Dr Michael Armitage, Chief Executive Officer
11.15 am	HCF Mr Shaun Larkin, Managing Director
11.45 am	Department of Health (<i>Submission 10</i>) Mr Richard Bartlett, Acting Deputy Secretary Mr Shane Porter, Assistant Secretary, Private Health Insurance Branch
12.30 pm	Adjournment