



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

Extent of income inequality in Australia

**PUBLIC HEARING
Thursday 16 October 2014**

**Committee Room 2S1
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	Department of Social Services Ms Allyson Essex, Branch Manager of Policy Strategy Branch Mr Sean Innis, Group Manager Policy Office Australian Taxation Office Mr Michael O'Neill, Assistant Commissioner, Public Groups International Mr Tim Dyce, Deputy Commissioner, Aggressive Tax Planning
10.00 am	The Australia Institute (<i>Submission 4</i>) Dr Richard Denniss, Executive Director Mr David Richardson, Senior Research Fellow
10.45 am	Morning tea
11.00 am	Associate Professor Roger Wilkins, Principal Research Fellow, Melbourne Institute of Applied Economic and Social Research, The University of Melbourne (<i>Submission 7</i>) Professor Peter Whiteford, Director, Social Policy Institute, Australian National University (<i>Submission 55</i>) Mr Ben Phillips, NATSEM
12.15 pm	Lunch
1.00 pm	The Smith Family (<i>Submission 9</i>) Ms Anne Hampshire, Head of Research and Advocacy Anglicare Australia (<i>Submission 33</i>) Ms Kasy Chambers, Executive Director Mr Roland Manderson, Deputy Director
2.00 pm	St Vincent de Paul Society National Council (<i>Submission 19</i>) Dr John Falzon, Chief Executive Officer UnitingCare Australia (<i>Submission 30</i>) Ms Lin Hatfield Dodds, National Director Ms Annette Pereira, Manager, Communications and Public Affairs Reverend Bill Crews, Superintendent, Ashfield Parish Mission

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2.45 pm	Public Health Association of Australia (<i>Submission 42</i>) Dr Yvonne Luxford, Member
3.30 pm	Mental Health Australia (<i>Submission 16</i>) Mr Josh Fear, Director, Policy and Projects
4.15 pm	Australia21 (<i>Submission 37</i>) Emeritus Professor Bob Douglas AO, Director
5.00 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>