



THE SENATE

**LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE**

**The ability of Australian law enforcement authorities to eliminate gun-related violence in the community**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Monday 13 October 2014**

**Corinthian Room  
SMC Conference & Function Centre, 66 Goulburn Street, Sydney**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
9.00 am	<b>Dr James Lemon</b> ( <i>Submission 215</i> )
9.20 am	<b>Firearm Safety and Training Council</b> ( <i>Submission 73</i> ) Mr Gary Bryant, General Manager
9.55 am	<b>Victims of Crime Assistance League</b> ( <i>Submission 221</i> ) Mr Howard W Brown OAM, Vice President
<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Morning tea</b>
10.40 am	<b>Panel:</b> <b>National Farmers' Federation</b> ( <i>Submission 390</i> ) Ms Sarah McKinnon, Manager, Workplace Relations & Legal Affairs  <b>Pastoralists' Association of West Darling Inc.</b> Mr Chris Wilhelm, (via teleconference)  <b>Tasmanian Farmers &amp; Graziers Association</b> ( <i>Submission 132</i> ) Mr Peter Skillern, Policy Manager (via teleconference) Mrs Melinda King, Policy Manager (via teleconference)
11.25 am	<b>Panel:</b> <b>Arms &amp; Militaria Collectors' Association of NSW</b> ( <i>Submission 108</i> ) Mr Sid Thurgar, President  <b>NSW Firearms Dealers Association Inc.</b> ( <i>Submission 83</i> ) Mr Paul Britton, Vice President
<b>12.10 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
12.55 pm	<b>Panel:</b> <b>NSW Amateur Pistol Association Inc.</b> ( <i>Submission 104</i> ) Mr Brian Cheers, President  <b>NSW Amateur Pistol Association Inc.</b> ( <i>Submission 104</i> ) Mr Rob Boutcher, Executive Manager  <b>Shooters Union NSW Inc.</b> ( <i>Submission 72</i> ) Mr Peter Whelan, President

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1.40 pm	<b>NSW Police</b> ( <i>Submission 391</i> ) Detective Chief Superintendent Ken Finch, Director of the Organised Crime Directorate
<b>2.55 pm</b>	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
3.05 pm	<b>Victorian Police</b> ( <i>Submission 389</i> ) Detective Superintendent Peter De Santo AMP, Commander - State Anti-Gangs Division
<b>4.20 pm</b>	<i>Adjournment</i>