



THE SENATE

**RURAL AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS AND TRANSPORT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**Voice for Animals (Independent Office of Animal Welfare) Bill 2015**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Monday 14 September 2015**

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

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
4.00 pm	<b>Sentient: The Veterinary Institute for Animal Ethics</b> ( <i>Submission 5</i> ) Dr Rosemary Elliott, President  <b>Voiceless</b> ( <i>Submission 8</i> ) Mr Emmanuel Giuffre, Legal Counsel  <b>World Animal Protection</b> ( <i>Submission 10</i> ) Ms Nicola Beynon, Head of Campaigns
4.50 pm	<b>Barristers Animal Welfare Panel</b> Mr Graeme McEwen, Director
<b>5.30 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
5.45 pm	<b>Department of Agriculture</b> ( <i>Submission 9</i> ) Mr Phillip Glyde, Deputy Secretary Ms Barbara Cooper, Acting Assistant Secretary, Meat Exports, Exports Division Ms Fran Freeman, First Assistant Secretary, Agricultural Policy Division Dr Narelle Clegg, Assistant Secretary, Live Animal Exports, Exports Division Ms Sally Standen, Assistant Secretary, Agricultural Industries Branch, Agricultural Policy Division Dr Robyn Martin, Assistant Secretary, Animal Health Policy Branch Mr Allan Sheridan, Director, Animal Biosecurity Branch
<b>6.30 pm</b>	<b>Adjournment</b>