



THE SENATE

ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

Threat of marine plastic pollution in Australia

**PUBLIC HEARING
Thursday 10 March 2016**

**Hotel Grand Chancellor
23 Leichhardt Street, Corner Wickham Terrace, Brisbane**

Time	Witness
1.45 pm	National Toxics Network (<i>Submission 4</i>) Ms Joanna Immig, Coordinator Dr Mariann Lloyd-Smith, Senior Advisor
2.15 pm	Australian Institute of Marine Science (<i>Submission 11</i>) Dr Britta Schaffelke, Research Program Leader Dr Frederieke Kroon, Principal Research Scientist
<i>2.45 pm</i>	<i>Afternoon Tea</i>
3.00 pm	Waddi Springs
3.30 pm	Australian Seabird Rescue Inc (<i>Submission 80</i>) Ms Kathrina Southwell, General Manager
4.00 pm	Tangaroa Blue Foundation (<i>Submission 60</i>) Ms Heidi Taylor, Managing Director
4.30 pm	Dr Kathy Townsend (<i>submission 141</i>)
<i>5.00 pm</i>	<i>Adjournment</i>