



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

Growing evidence of an emerging tick-borne disease that causes a Lyme like illness for many Australian patients

**PUBLIC HEARING
Wednesday 20 April 2016**

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

Time	Witness
12.30 pm	Department of Health (<i>Submission 495</i>) Dr Gary Lum, Principal Medical Adviser, Office of Health Protection Ms Sharon Appleyard, First Assistant Secretary, Office of Health Protection Mr Graeme Barden, Assistant Secretary, Health Protection Policy Branch, Office of Health Protection National Health and Medical Research Council Professor Anne Kelso AO, Chief Executive Officer Dr Tony Willis, Executive Director
2.00 pm	National Association of Testing Authorities, Australia (via teleconference) Mr John Styzinski, General Manager, Operations and Technical Mr John Mitchell, Manager, Government Relations Mr Andrew Griffin, Deputy Sector Manager, Legal and Clinical Services
2.45 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>