



THE SENATE

LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

The practice of dowry and the incidence of dowry abuse in Australia

**PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 21 September 2018**

**Edinburgh Room
Stamford Plaza, 111 Little Collins Street, Melbourne**

Time	Witness
11.30 am	Australasian Centre for Human Rights and Health (<i>Submission 2</i>) Dr Manjula O'Connor, Executive Director
12.10 pm	Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists (<i>Submission 9</i>) Dr Kym Jenkins, President
12.40 pm	Lunch
1.40 pm	Monash University (<i>Submission 15</i>) Associate Professor Marie Segrave Professor JaneMaree Maher, Professor, Sociology, Lead Researcher Monash Center for Gender and Family Violence Prevention Dr Kate Fitz-Gibbon, Senior Lecturer in Criminology, Lead Researcher Monash Center for Gender and Family Violence Prevention Dr Melissa Johnston, Post-Doctoral Researcher, Monash Gender, Peace and Security
2.20 pm	Women's Health in the North (WHIN) (<i>Submission 21</i>) Ms Sandra Morris, Manager, Health Promotion Ms Manasi Wagh-Nikam, Health Promotion Worker
3.00 pm	Afternoon tea
3.10 pm	Good Shepherd Australia New Zealand (<i>Submission 6</i>) Ms Stella Avramopoulos, Chief Executive Officer Ms Laura Vidal, Policy & Research Specialist- Safety & Resilience InTouch Multicultural Centre Against Family Violence (<i>Submission 6</i>) Ms Michal Morris, Chief Executive Officer Dr Ruchita Ruchita, Indian and Complex Case Support Manager
3.50 pm	Professor Supriya Singh (RMIT) (<i>Submission 3</i>) Ms Uthra Ramachandran (Monash University) (<i>Submission 28</i>)
4.30 pm	The Reverend Duku Atuku
5.00 pm	Ms Muktesh Chibber (<i>Submission 48</i>)
5.30 pm	Adjournment