



THE SENATE

**EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**Sex Discrimination and Fair Work (Respect at Work) Amendment Bill 2021**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Tuesday 20 July 2021**

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

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
11.00 am	<b>Australian Industry Group (Ai Group) (via videoconference)</b> ( <i>Submission 6</i> ) Mr Stephen Smith, Head of National Workplace Relations Policy Ms Nicola Street, National Manager Workplace Relations Policy
11.30 am	<b>Minerals Council of Australia</b> ( <i>Submission 30</i> ) Ms Tania Constable, Chief Executive Officer Ms Megan Davison, Principal Adviser – Safety and Health
<b>12.00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
1.00 pm	<b>Australian Discrimination Law Experts Group</b> ( <i>Submission 35</i> ) Dr Karen O'Connell, Member
1.30 pm	<b>Law Council of Australia</b> ( <i>Submission 45</i> ) Ms Katherine Eastman AM SC, Chair, Equal Opportunity Committee Ms Tarryn Gaffney, Senior Policy Lawyer
2.00 pm	<b>Fair Work Commission</b> ( <i>Submission 1</i> ) Mr Murray Furlong, Acting General Manager Ms Ailsa Carruthers, Executive Director – Client Services Delivery Branch
2.30 pm	<b>Rio Tinto (via videoconference)</b> Ms Cecile Thaxter, Vice President, Health, Safety, Environment & Communities Mr Ben Mansour, General Manager Employee Relations and Human Resources
<b>3.00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
3.10 pm	<b>Safe Work Australia</b> Ms Michelle Baxter, Chief Executive Officer Ms Amanda Johnston, Deputy Chief Executive Officer Ms Sarah Costelloe, Branch Manager
3.40 pm	<b>Attorney-General's Department</b> ( <i>Submission 32</i> ) Ms Jody Anderson, First Assistant Secretary Ms Alex Mathews, A/g First Assistant Secretary, Employment Conditions Division Ms Sharon Huender, Assistant Secretary Mr David Cains, Assistant Secretary Ms Joanna Virtue, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights Branch Mr Matt Graham, A/g Assistant Secretary, Employment Standards Branch, Industrial Relations Legal Division Mr Henry Jones, Director Ms Abigail Kuttner, Director, Respect@Work Implementation Unit

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