



THE SENATE

**SELECT COMMITTEE ON PFAS (PER AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES)**

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**PUBLIC HEARING**  
**Friday 5 September 2025**

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

Time	Witness
9.30 am	<b>Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (Submission 33)</b> Mr James Tregurtha, Acting Deputy Secretary Ms Rachel Burgess, Acting Division Head, Circular Economy Division  <b>Department of Health, Disability and Ageing (Submission 100)</b> Mr Stephen Bouwhuis, Assistant Secretary  <b>Department of Defence (Submission 66)</b> Ms Celia Perkins, Deputy Secretary Security and Estate Ms Kathleen Leane, Assistant Secretary PFAS Investigations and Management  <b>Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications, Sports and the Arts (Submission 2)</b> Ms Stephanie Werner, First Assistant Secretary, Domestic Aviation and Reform Division Ms Tori Wright, Assistant Secretary, Airport Environment Branch, Domestic Aviation and Reform Division Ms Rebecca Rush, Assistant Secretary, Norfolk Island and Mainland Territories Branch, Territories Division Ms Kim Forbes, First Assistant Secretary, Territories Division  <b>Airservices Australia (Submission 69)</b> Mr Rob Sharp, Chief Executive Officer Mr James Comley, PFAS Technical Lead  <b>National Health and Medical Research Council (Submission 57)</b> Mr Alan Singh, Executive Director – Research Quality Branch  <b>Food Standards Australia and New Zealand (Submission 70)</b> Dr Matthew O'Mullane, General Manager, Food Safety Branch
<b>12.00 pm</b>	<b>Adjournment</b>

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