



THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMICS

Inquiry into Schemes, Digital Wallets and Innovation in the Payments Sector

**PUBLIC HEARING
Tuesday 24 February 2026**

**9.00am - 4.00pm
Committee Room 2R1, Canberra, ACT**

| Time | Witness |
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| 9.00 am | Roundtable – Regulators Reserve Bank of Australia (<i>Submission 1</i>) Mr Ellis Connolly, Head, Payments Policy Department Ms Rhonda Luo, Senior Manager, Payments Efficiency and Competition Section, Payments Policy Department Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (<i>Submission 3</i>) Mr Daniel Chippeck, Senior Specialist Mr Ian Beckett, General manager Australian Securities & Investments Commission (<i>Submission 2</i>) Ms Kate O'Rourke, Commissioner Dr Rhys Bollen, Senior Executive Leader, Fintech |
| 10.00 am | Roundtable – Australian banks Australian Banking Association (<i>Submission 36</i>) Hon Simon Birmingham, Chief Executive Officer Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited (<i>Submission 9</i>) Mr Nigel Dobson, Banking Services lead Commonwealth Bank of Australia (<i>Submission 14</i>) Mr Ethan Teas, Executive General Payments Manager National Australia Bank (<i>Submission 8</i>) Mr Shane Conway, Group Executive Transformation Westpac Group (<i>Submission 7</i>) Mr Joel Lenhardt, Managing Director, Merchant Payments |
| 11.15 am | Break |
| 11.30 am | Visa (<i>Submission 5</i>) Mr Alan Machet, Group Country Manager |
| 12.15 pm | Mastercard (<i>Submission 4</i>) Mr Richard Wormald, President Asia Pacific Mr Paul Monnington, Division President Australasia |
| 1.00 pm | Lunch |
| 1.45 pm | American Express (<i>Submission 6</i>) Ms Corrina Davison, Managing Director Ms Sarah Wood, Vice President Government Affairs |

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| 2.30 pm | Apple (<i>Submission 15</i>) Mr Sean Dillon, Senior Director, Competition and Regulation Mr Marshal Allshouse, Senior Director, Legal, Wallets Payments and Commerce |
| 3.15 pm | Break |
| 3.30 pm | Australian Payments Plus (<i>Submission 18</i>) Ms Lynn Kraus AM, Chief Executive Officer Mr Adrian Lovney, Chief Product Officer |
| 4.00 pm | Close |