



JOINT COMMITTEES

**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INVESTMENT GROWTH**

**Creating sustainable economic growth in rural and regional Australia**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Friday 6 March 2026**

**Committee Room 2R1 and videoconference (WebEx)  
PARLIAMENT HOUSE, Canberra**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
10.00 am	<b><i>Roundtable (60 mins):</i></b> <b>Australian Trade and Investment Commission (Austrade) (<i>Submission 37</i>)</b>  <b>Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade</b>  <b>Tourism Australia</b>
11.00 am	<b>Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (<i>Submission 25</i>)</b>
<b><i>11.45 am</i></b>	<b><i>Break</i></b>
12.00 pm	<b>Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (<i>Submission 33</i>)</b>
<b><i>12.45 pm</i></b>	<b><i>Close</i></b>

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