



THE SENATE
SELECT COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY AND
REGULATORY TECHNOLOGY

Media release

Sydney public hearings

The Senate Select Committee on Financial Technology and Regulatory Technology will be conducting public hearings in Sydney on Wednesday 19 and Thursday 20 February 2020.

Additional public hearings will be held in Canberra on Thursday 27 February and Friday 28 February 2020. Programs for these later hearings will be made available on the committee website at

https://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/Financial_Technology_and_Regulatory_Technology

The programs for the Sydney public hearings are attached.

Further information

For further media comment contact the Office of Senator Andrew Bragg, Committee Chair on (02) 9159 9320.

For general information about the inquiry, contact the secretariat on 02 6277 3535, via email: fintech.sen@aph.gov.au or visit:

https://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/Financial_Technology_and_Regulatory_Technology/FinancialRegulatoryTech

Committee membership

Senator Andrew Bragg, Chair
Senator Marielle Smith, Deputy Chair
Senator Susan McDonald
Senator Paul Scarr
Senator Jess Walsh
Senator Rex Patrick



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Public Hearing Program
19 February 2020
The Portside Centre, Level 5, Symantec House
207 Kent St, Sydney

Time	Witness
8.00am	Square Peg (Submission 54) Mr Tony Holt, Co-Founder and Partner
8.30am	Piper Alderman (Submission 56) Mr Michael Bacina, Partner
9.00am	Stone and Chalk (Submission 25) Mr Alex Scandurra, CEO
9.40am	Australian Banking Association (Submission 26) Mr Aidan O'Shaughnessy, Executive Director, Policy Ms Fiona Landis, Acting Executive Director, Corporate Affairs
10.10am	ANZ (Submission 20)
<i>10.40 am</i>	<i>Break</i>
10.50am	Zip (Submission 116) Mr Peter Gray, Co-Founder and Chief Operating Officer
11.30am	StartUpAus (Submission 5) Mr Peter Bradd, Chair
12.05pm	Tic:Toc (Submission 127) Mr Anthony Baum, Founder and CEO
<i>12.40pm</i>	<i>Lunch break</i>
2.20pm	Australian Payments Network (Submission 99) Mr Andy White, EDO 34 South 45 North Consulting (Submission 66) Dr Bradley Pragnell, Principal (<i>via teleconference</i>)
<i>3.10pm</i>	<i>Break</i>
3.20pm	Financial Rights Legal Centre and Consumer Action Law Centre (Submission 36) Mr Drew MacRae, Policy and Advocacy Officer
4.00pm	86,400 (Submission 31) Mr Robert Bell, CEO
4.30pm	Gateway Network Governance Body (Submission 91)

5.00pm	Baker McKenzie (Submission 63)
5.30 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>



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8.00am	<p>Power Ledger (Submission 1) Dr Jemma Green, Co-Founder and Executive Chairman (<i>via teleconference</i>)</p> <p>Fabrick Innovations (Submission 93) Mr Heath Behncke, Executive Chair</p> <p>ASX (Submission 45) Mr Peter Hiom, Deputy CEO Mr Cliff Richards, Executive General Manager, Equity Post-Trade Services Mr Dan Chesterman, Chief Information Officer</p>
8.50am	<p>Super Consumers Australia (Submission 49) Ms Erin Turner, Director of Campaigns and Communications Ms Rebecca Curran, Senior Policy Advisor</p>
9.20am	<p>H2 Ventures (Submission 35) Mr Ben Heap, Founding Partner</p>
9.50am	<p>Afterpay (Submission 83)</p>
<i>10.20am</i>	<i>Break</i>
10.30am	<p>DC Consulting and Management Pty Ltd (Submission 101) Mr David Columbro, Director</p>
11.00am	<p>Australian Investment Council (Submission 12) Mr Yasser El-Ansary, Chief Executive Mr Brendon Harper, Head of Policy and Research Ms Robyn Tolhurst, Public Affairs Manager</p>
11.30am	<p>NPP Australia (Submission 24) Mr Adrian Lovney, CEO</p>
<i>12.00pm</i>	<i>Lunch break</i>
1.00pm	<p>Australian Finance Industry Association (Submission 87) Ms Diane Tate, CEO</p>

	Brighte (Submission 40) Ms Katherine McConnell, CEO
1.40pm	Business Council of Australia (Submission 125) Mr Simon Pryor, Executive Director, Policy Mr Pero Stojanovski, Senior Economist
2.10pm	Finder (Submission 70) Mr Fred Schbesta, CEO and Co-Founder
2.40pm	<i>Break</i>
2.50pm	Australian Computer Society (Submission 3) Mr Andrew Johnson, CEO
3.20pm	<i>Adjournment</i>