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Joint Standing Committee on Treaties

Public Hearing

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TPP 11 Final Hearing

The [Joint Standing Committee on Treaties](#) will hold its final public hearing into the TPP 11 on Monday.

Committee Chair [Stuart Robert MP](#) said the committee would explore the issues raised during the inquiry with representatives of the Australian Government.

“The committee has conducted a comprehensive inquiry into the TPP 11, including receiving over 66 submissions and conducting four public hearings since the treaty was tabled in March,” Mr Robert said.

The hearing is likely to canvas a range of issues including compliance costs for business, modelling, labour mobility, and the impact of the withdrawal of the US for Australian businesses.

Before hearing from the Government, the committee will discuss the TPP 11 with Medicines Australia and the Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The committee expects to table its report on the TPP 11 in August.

Public hearing details: 11.00am – 1.00pm, Monday 25 June 2018, Committee Room 2R1, Parliament House, Canberra

11.00am: Medicines Australia

11.30am: Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry

12.00pm: Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Attorney General’s Department

Department of Finance

Department of Home Affairs

Department of Industry Innovation and Science

Department of Agriculture and Water Resources

Department of Health

IP Australia

1.00pm: *Close*

The hearing will be broadcast live at aph.gov.au/live

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