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Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works

Chair: Ms Kirsten Livermore MP

Public hearing for inquiry into Defence housing development in Warner, Queensland

The Public Works Committee is holding a public hearing for the inquiry into the proposed development and construction of housing for Defence at Warner in the northern suburbs of Brisbane.

DHA proposes to develop approximately 465 allotments for the provision of developed land and housing in Warner to assist in satisfying future housing demand for Defence personnel. DHA intends to construct houses for Defence families on 130 lots. The remaining 335 residential lots, and potentially the 2.1 hectare super lot, will be sold to the general market.

The estimated cost of the project is \$91.3 million. Construction is expected to be complete by December 2016.

Full details on the proposal are available on the Committee's website: www.aph.gov.au/pwc

Hearing Venue: Eatons Hill Hotel and Function Centre
646 South Pine Road
Eatons Hill, Qld

Date: Wednesday, 12 June 2013

Time: 10.30am to 11.30am

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

NB the Public Works Committee is neither involved in the tendering process nor the awarding of contracts. Enquiries on those matters should be addressed to Defence Housing Australia.

For interview: Contact the Chair's office on (07) 4922 6604.

For further information, including how to make a submission, the public hearing times, and copies of submissions when they become available, please visit the Committee website <http://www.aph.gov.au/pwc> or contact the Committee Secretariat on (02) 6277 4636.