



## **MEDIA ALERT**

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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ECONOMICS,  
FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**  
Manufacturing and Services Inquiries

*Chair: Hon Bruce Baird MP  
Deputy Chair: Dr Craig Emerson MP*

# **Economics Committee to hold public hearing for Manufacturing and Services Inquiries**

The House of Representatives Economics Committee will hold a public hearing tomorrow as part of its inquiry into the manufacturing sector and its inquiry into the services sector. Among the witnesses appearing are Professor Roy Green and the Investment and Financial Services Association.

The committee's inquiries, which were referred by Treasurer Peter Costello, have each received more than 40 submissions to date. This hearing forms part of a hearing program which began in August and will continue through into early 2007.

Details of the hearing are as follows:

<b>Committee</b>	House of Representatives Economics Committee
<b>Venue</b>	Conference Room A, Commonwealth Parliamentary Offices Level 8, Charterbridge House, 70 Phillip Street, Sydney.
<b>Date</b>	14 November 2006
<b>Time</b>	9.30am to 2.30pm

The program for the hearing is as follows:

<b>9.30am</b>	TAFE NSW (Manufacturing)
<b>10.15am</b>	Professor Roy Green (Manufacturing)
<b>11.15am</b>	Mallesons Stephen Jaques (Services)
<b>12.00pm</b>	English Australia (Services)
<b>12.45pm</b>	Lunch
<b>1.45pm</b>	Investment and Financial Services Association (Services)
<b>2.30pm</b>	Adjourn

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